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Form 990



Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

OMB No 1545-0047

2012

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2012 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01-2012 , 2012, and ending 06-30-2013

B Check if applicable ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization EXCELSIOR COLLEGE		D Employer identification number 16-1532850		
	Doing Business As				
	Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) 7 Columbia Circle		Room/suite		
	City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 Albany, NY 122035159				
			G Gross receipts \$ 92,964,056		
		F Name and address of principal officer John Ebersole 7 Columbia Circle Albany, NY 122035159		H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
				H(b) Are all affiliates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "No," attach a list (see instructions)	
				H(c) Group exemption number ▶	
I Tax-exempt status ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () ◀ (Insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527					
J Website: ▶ www.excelsior.edu					
K Form of organization ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶				L Year of formation 1998	M State of legal domicile NY

Part I

Summary

Activities & Governance	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities Excelsior College provides educational opportunity to adult learners with an emphasis on those historically underrepresented in higher education The College meets students where they are - academically and geographically, offering quality instruction and the assessment of prior learning			
	2	Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets			
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	21	
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	21	
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2012 (Part V, line 2a)	5	1,538	
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	0	
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	0	
	b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0	
	Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year	Current Year
		9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	1,045,506	1,342,437
10		Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	69,521,826	78,915,559	
11		Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	720,248	1,181,750	
12		Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	66,807	5,872	
			71,354,387	81,445,618	
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	594,426	602,676	
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0	
	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	47,972,669	52,641,803	
	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	69,399	54,200	
	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶1,283,807			
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	23,991,156	24,700,593	
	18	Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	72,627,650	77,999,272	
	19	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	-1,273,263	3,446,346	
Net Assets or Fund Balances			Beginning of Current Year	End of Year	
	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	42,181,339	46,555,847	
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	15,822,635	16,625,734	
	22	Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	26,358,704	29,930,113	

Part II

Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Sign Here	Signature of officer		2014-05-07	
	Date			
Paid Preparer Use Only	John Pontius VP of Finance and Administration			
	Type or print name and title			
	Prnt/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed PTIN
	Firm's name ▶		Firm's EIN ▶	
	Firm's address ▶		Phone no	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) ☐ Yes ☐ No

Part III

Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

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1

Briefly describe the organization's mission

Excelsior College provides educational opportunity to adult learners with an emphasis on those historically underrepresented in higher education The College meets students where they are - academically and geographically, offering quality instruction and the assessment of prior learning

2

Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

3

Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

4

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a

(Code) (Expenses \$ 27,361,864 including grants of \$ 183,262) (Revenue \$ 43,397,700)

Undergrad and Graduate Tuition (credit and non-credit bearing) Higher Education During this period, 112,426 undergraduate hours of course instruction, and 14,318 hours of graduate level course instruction were delivered

4b

(Code) (Expenses \$ 14,332,848 including grants of \$ 419,414) (Revenue \$ 15,754,702)

Nursing and Written Examinations (administered examinations) Higher Education During this period, the College administered 31,771 written examinations to students enrolled in its vnanous programs and administered 2,037 performance examinations to students enrolled in its Nursing programs

4c

(Code) (Expenses \$ 11,441,261 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 19,373,375)

Enrollment in higher education During this period, 18,261 new students enrolled in the College while there were 36,530 actively enrolled students as of 6/30/13 4,639 students completed degree requirements between 7/1/12 and 6/30/13

(Code) (Expenses \$ 3,493,916 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 389,781)

Other Program Services consists of 1)The President's Forum which provides higher education institutions the opportunity to exchange knowledge and perceptions of current models and tools for successful operation in an online environment,2)The Educators Service Educators program which works with higher education institutions to develop and deliver online programs and courses specializing in assisting institutions that serve individuals traditionally underrepresented in higher education, and 3) the Excelsior College Press which publishes contemporary nonfiction in areas that support the academic interests of the College

4d

Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)

(Expenses \$ 3,493,916 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 389,781)

4e

Total program service expenses

56,629,889

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A 	1 Yes	
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)? 	2 Yes	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	3	No
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II 	4 Yes	
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5	No
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6	No
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	7	No
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III 	8 Yes	
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21 for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV	9	No
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V 	10 Yes	
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI 	11a Yes	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII	11b	No
c Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII	11c	No
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX	11d	No
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X 	11e Yes	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X 	11f Yes	
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII 	12a Yes	
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional 	12b	No
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E 	13 Yes	
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	No
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV 	14b Yes	
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15	No
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16	No
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions) 	17 Yes	
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II 	18 Yes	
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19	No
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a	No
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b	

Part IV

Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to any government or organization in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	21		No
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	22	Yes	
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	23	Yes	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i>	24a	Yes	
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		No
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		No
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		No
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25a		No
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25b		No
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highest compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26		No
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27		No
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)			
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a		No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b	Yes	
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c		No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> . . .	29		No
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30		No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>	31		No
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>	32		No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33		No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	34		No
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		No
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	35b		
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36		No
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37		No
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Yes	

Part V

Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable.	305	
1b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.	0	
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	Yes	
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return.	1,538	
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions).	Yes	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.		
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		No
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: _____ See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		No
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		No
c	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?		No
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	Yes	
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	Yes	
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		No
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year.	7d	
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		No
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		No
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.	10a	
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities.	10b	
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders.	11a	
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them).	11b	
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a	
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.	12b	
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	13a	
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans.	13b	
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand.	13c	
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a	No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.	14b	

Part VI

Governance, Management, and Disclosure

For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	21	
If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O			
1b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	21	
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2	No
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3	No
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4	Yes
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5	No
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6	No
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	7a	No
7b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b	No
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following		
8a	The governing body?	8a	Yes
8b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	Yes
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O	9	No

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a	No
10b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b	
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11a	Yes
11b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990		
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	Yes
12b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	Yes
12c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	12c	Yes
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	No
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	Yes
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
15a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	Yes
15b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	Yes
If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions)			
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	16a	Yes
16b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b	No

Section C. Disclosure

17	List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. ☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O)
19	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization Hillary Harding Excelsior College 7 Columbia Circle Albany, NY (518) 608-8382

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII ☐

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."

- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations

- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons

☐ Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

[illegible]

Part VII

1b	Sub-Total			
c	Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A			
d	Total (add lines 1b and 1c)	3,357,267	0	527,857

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed in Item 1) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization. 36

		Yes	No
3	Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	3	No
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	4	Yes
5	Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>	5	No

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
UCS Pearson Inc 13036 Collection Center Drive Chicago IL 60693	Examination Administrative Services	1,962,518
Blackboard Inc PO Box 200154 Pittsburgh PA 152510154	Learning Management System	1,885,863
ATA Interactive Systems Leela Business Park Andheri Kurla Road Mumbai IN 400 059	Course Development Services	1,570,771
Milton S Eisenhower Library Johns Hopkins University Baltimore MD 21218	Library Services	1,289,254
Southern Performance Assessment Center 3032 Briarcliff Road NE Atlanta GA 30329	Nursing Examination Administrative Services	815,394
2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization ▶44		

Part VIII

Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VIII

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a	Federated campaigns . . .	1a	0				
	b	Membership dues	1b	0				
	c	Fundraising events	1c	56,537				
	d	Related organizations	1d	0				
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e	456,492				
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	829,408				
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$		9,684				
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f						1,342,437
Program Service Revenue			Business Code					
	2a	Graduate, Undergraduate, and Non- Credit Bearing Tuition	611310	43,397,700	43,397,700	0	0	
	b	Examination Fees	611310	15,754,702	15,754,702	0	0	
	c	Enrollment Related Fees	611310	19,373,375	19,373,375	0	0	
	d	President's Forum Fees	611310	32,750	32,750	0	0	
	e	Educators Service Educators Fees	611310	348,177	348,177	0	0	
	f	All other program service revenue		8,855	8,855	0	0	
	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f			78,915,559			
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		400,663	0	0	400,663	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds		0	0	0	0	
	5	Royalties		0	0	0	0	
			(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	6a	Gross rents	0	0				
	b	Less rental expenses	0	0				
	c	Rental income or (loss)	0	0				
	d	Net rental income or (loss)		0				0
			(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
	7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	12,284,900	0				
	b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	11,495,473	8,340				
	c	Gain or (loss)	789,427	-8,340				
	d	Net gain or (loss)		781,087				
	8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 56,537 of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18		5,960				
	a							
	b	Less direct expenses	14,625					
	c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events		-8,665		0	-8,665	
	9a	Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19		0				
	a							
	b	Less direct expenses	0					
	c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities		0	0	0	0	
	10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances		0				
a								
b	Less cost of goods sold	0						
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory		0	0	0	0		
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code						
11a	Bad Check Charges	900099	5,565	5,565	0	0		
b	Merchandise	900099	9,564	9,564	0	0		
c	Miscellaneous	900099	-592	-592	0	0		
d	All other revenue		0	0	0	0		
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d			14,537				
12	Total revenue. See Instructions			81,445,618	78,930,096	0	1,173,085	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns All other organizations must complete column (A)

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX ☒

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.		(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States See Part IV, line 21	0	0		
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States See Part IV, line 22	602,676	602,676		
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0	0		
4	Benefits paid to or for members	0	0		
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	3,356,517	1,073,050	2,068,844	214,623
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0	0	0	0
7	Other salaries and wages	39,660,986	33,050,688	5,919,160	691,138
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	2,632,330	2,267,175	333,485	31,670
9	Other employee benefits	3,666,990	3,025,913	585,467	55,610
10	Payroll taxes	3,324,980	2,770,805	496,233	57,942
11	Fees for services (non-employees)				
a	Management	0	0	0	0
b	Legal	169,034	0	169,034	0
c	Accounting	120,262	0	120,262	0
d	Lobbying	279,718	0	279,718	0
e	Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17	54,200			54,200
f	Investment management fees	71,863	0	71,863	0
g	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O)	11,651,570	7,926,996	3,656,451	68,123
12	Advertising and promotion	1,442,346	0	1,441,446	900
13	Office expenses	2,184,108	1,036,819	1,088,912	58,377
14	Information technology	1,663,873	1,196	1,662,278	399
15	Royalties	522,399	522,399	0	0
16	Occupancy	985,245	236,638	748,607	0
17	Travel	1,679,579	1,270,090	387,427	22,062
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0	0	0	0
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	509,118	208,104	272,482	28,532
20	Interest	7,777	0	7,777	0
21	Payments to affiliates	0	0	0	0
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	1,774,782	1,135,860	638,922	0
23	Insurance	51,116	3,728	47,388	0
24	Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O)				
a	Credit Card Fees	841,844	841,844	0	0
b	College Wide Bad Debt Expense	692,765	692,765	0	0
c	Miscellaneous Expense	53,194	-36,857	89,820	231
d					
e	All other expenses	0	0	0	0
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	77,999,272	56,629,889	20,085,576	1,283,807
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation Check here ☐ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X

Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part X

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				(A)		(B)
				Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing		-553,429	1	-1,157,413
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		7,793,732	2	11,733,298
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		129,782	3	97,080
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4,074,509	4	4,852,301
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L		0	5	0
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L		0	6	0
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		619,464	7	768,042
	8	Inventories for sale or use		139,354	8	116,377
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		1,241,044	9	1,387,227
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a23,189,044			
	b	Less accumulated depreciation	10b13,707,768	10,065,472	10c	9,481,276
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		18,542,598	11	19,172,933
	12	Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11		0	12	0
	13	Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11		0	13	0
	14	Intangible assets		0	14	0
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11		128,813	15	104,726
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)		42,181,339	16	46,555,847
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		8,622,501	17	8,765,646
	18	Grants payable		444,283	18	584,726
	19	Deferred revenue		5,321,148	19	6,198,787
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		1,234,716	20	950,266
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D		0	21	0
	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		0	22	0
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		187,953	23	114,759
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		0	24	0
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D		12,034	25	11,550
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		15,822,635	26	16,625,734
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.					
	27	Unrestricted net assets		25,138,039	27	28,548,332
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		526,845	28	545,409
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		693,820	29	836,372
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.					
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund			31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds			32	
	33	Total net assets or fund balances		26,358,704	33	29,930,113
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		42,181,339	34	46,555,847

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	81,445,618
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	77,999,272
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	3,446,346
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	26,358,704
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	125,063
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	0
7	Investment expenses	7	0
8	Prior period adjustments	8	0
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	0
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	29,930,113

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both ☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	2a	No
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both ☒ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	2b	Yes
c	If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	2c	Yes
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	3a	Yes
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits	3b	Yes

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Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors										
(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
Richard Yep Chairman of the Board	120	X						0	0	0
Polly Baca Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
William G Harris Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Helen Benjamin Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Harold L Hodgkinson Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Linda Davila Vice Chairman of the Board	120	X						0	0	0
Garry Jaunal Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Don Dea Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Michael Loughran Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Gloria R Gelmann Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Jerry L Neff Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Bryanne Hamill Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Mary O'Connor Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
David Oliker Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Sharon I Richie-Melvan Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Alvin J Schexnider Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Harry L Staley Treasurer of the Board	120	X						0	0	0
Pamela Tate Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Andre Vacroux Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
John R Wetsch Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Sara Waldorf Board Member (Ex-Officio)	120	X						0	0	0
Lyvier Conss Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
KH Maman Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
Louis Soares Board Member	120	X						0	0	0
John Ebersole President and Board Member (Ex-Officio)	3750			X				543,776	0	140,754

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(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
Mary Beth Hanner Provost and Chief Academic Officer	37 5 0			X				232,758	0	38,320
John M Pontius VP for Finance and Administration	37 5 0			X				178,742	0	18,419
Stephen G Ernst VP for Innovation and Strategy	37 5 0			X				0	0	0
Cathy Kushner VP Institutional Advancement	37 5 0			X				174,171	0	25,978
Joseph Porter VP for Legal & Governmental Affairs, General Counsel, Secretary to the BOT	37 5 0			X				192,866	0	18,488
Wayne Brown VP for Extended Education	37 5 0			X				231,436	0	23,035
Edmund McTernan VP for HR and Administrative Services	37 5 0			X				134,636	0	26,207
Craig Maslowsky VP for Enrolmment Management	37 5 0			X				178,604	0	30,377
Susan O'Hern VP for Information Technology	37 5 0			X				159,701	0	28,426
Patrick Jones Vice Provost	37 5 0				X			176,547	0	24,742
Jane LeClair Dean, Business and Technology	37 5 0				X			162,843	0	21,056
Scott Dalrymple Dean, School of Liberal Arts	37 5 0				X			162,532	0	20,092
Mary Lee Pollard Dean, Nursing	37 5 0				X			151,428	0	15,256
George Timmons Dean, Online Education and Learning Services	37 5 0					X		147,485	0	15,386
Deborah L Sopczyk Dean, School of Health Sciences	37 5 0					X		141,261	0	23,062
Thomas Dalton AVP for Enrollment Management/Financial Aid	37 5 0					X		132,089	0	24,675
Murray Block Chief of Staff	37 5 0					X		129,114	0	11,733
Anita Burns AVP for Human Resources	37 5 0					X		127,278	0	21,851

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No 1545-0047

2012

Open to Public Inspection

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
EXCELSIOR COLLEGE

Employer identification number
16-1532850

Part I

Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box)

- 1

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A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
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A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E)
- 3

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A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4

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A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state _____
- 5

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An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II)
- 6

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A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7

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An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II)
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A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II)
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An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III)
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An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 11

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An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h

a

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Type I

b

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Type II

c

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Type III - Functionally integrated

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Type III - Non-functionally integrated
- e

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By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)
- f

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If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g

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Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

(i)

A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?

(ii)

A family member of a person described in (i) above?

(iii)

A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?
- h

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Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1 - 9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of monetary support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

Part II

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)						
11 Total support (Add lines 7 through 10)						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage						
14 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))		14				
15 Public support percentage for 2011 Schedule A, Part II, line 14		15				
16a 33 1/3% support test—2012. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						▶
b 33 1/3% support test—2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						▶
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2012. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						▶
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						▶
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions						▶

Part IIISupport Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage			
15 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15		
16 Public support percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16		

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage			
17 Investment income percentage for 2012 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17		
18 Investment income percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18		
19a 33 1/3% support tests—2012. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶			
b 33 1/3% support tests—2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶			
20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ▶			

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

Facts And Circumstances Test

Explanation

SCHEDULE C

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

▶ Complete if the organization is described below. ▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
▶ See separate instructions.

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If the organization answered “Yes” to Form 990, Part IV, Line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations Complete Parts I-A and B Do not complete Part I-C
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations Complete Parts I-A and C below Do not complete Part I-B
- Section 527 organizations Complete Part I-A only

If the organization answered “Yes” to Form 990, Part IV, Line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-A Do not complete Part II-B
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-B Do not complete Part II-A

If the organization answered “Yes” to Form 990, Part IV, Line 5 (Proxy Tax) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations Complete Part III

Name of the organization EXCELSIOR COLLEGE	Employer identification number 16-1532850
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Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

1	Provide a description of the organization’s direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV	
2	Political expenditures	▶ \$ _____
3	Volunteer hours	_____

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

1	Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955	▶ \$ _____
2	Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955	▶ \$ _____
3	If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?	☐ Yes ☐ No
4a	Was a correction made?	☐ Yes ☐ No
b	If “Yes,” describe in Part IV	

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

1	Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities	▶ \$ _____
2	Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities	▶ \$ _____
3	Total exempt function expenditures Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b	▶ \$ _____
4	Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	☐ Yes ☐ No
5	Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization’s funds Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC) If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV	

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization If none, enter -0-

Part II-A

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

- A
- Check ☐ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures)
- B
- Check ☐ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)															
b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)															
c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)															
d Other exempt purpose expenditures															
e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)															
f Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both columns															
<table><tr><td>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</td><td>The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</td></tr><tr><td>Not over \$500,000</td><td>20% of the amount on line 1e</td></tr><tr><td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td><td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000</td></tr><tr><td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td><td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000</td></tr><tr><td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td><td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000</td></tr><tr><td>Over \$17,000,000</td><td>\$1,000,000</td></tr></table>		If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000		
If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:														
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e														
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000														
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000														
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000														
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000														
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)															
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a If zero or less, enter -0-															
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c If zero or less, enter -0-															
j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?		☐ Yes	☐ No												

4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)
(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 2a through 2f on page 4.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part II-B

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

For each "Yes" response to lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity.		(a)		(b)
		Yes	No	Amount
1	During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of			
a	Volunteers?		No	
b	Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?	Yes		
c	Media advertisements?		No	
d	Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?		No	
e	Publications, or published or broadcast statements?		No	
f	Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?		No	
g	Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?	Yes		416,878
h	Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?		No	
i	Other activities?	Yes		119,809
j	Total. Add lines 1c through 1i.			536,687
2a	Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?		No	
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912.			
c	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912.			
d	If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
3 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

Part III-B

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No" OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."

1	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2	Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
a	Current year	2a	
b	Carryover from last year	2b	
c	Total	2c	
3	Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4	If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	
5	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5	

Part IV

Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1, Part I-B, line 4, Part I-C, line 5, Part II-A (affiliated group list), Part II-A, line 2, and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
SchC_P2B_S00_L01	Schedule C, Part II-B, Line 1	The majority of time/cost is spent in direct contact with various state legislators and other state government officials, in coordination with the College's registered lobbyist consultants, defending the College's Associate Degree Nursing program. The College works to have state statutes and/or regulations changed or introduced to ensure that the College's Associate Degree Nursing graduates are eligible for Registered Nurse licensure in those states. A significant portion of cost/time is spent preparing materials to aid College Officials, in coordination with the College's registered lobbyist consultants, in educating government officials on the fact that Excelsior College graduates are as prepared for licensure as nursing graduates from more traditional programs. Time is also spent drafting proposed legislation that would ensure Excelsior College nursing graduates would receive licensure in various states.

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No 1545-0047

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Name of the organization
EXCELSIOR COLLEGE

Employer identification number
16-1532850

Part I

Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year	
2	Aggregate contributions to (during year)	
3	Aggregate grants from (during year)	
4	Aggregate value at end of year	
5	Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? ☐ Yes☐ No	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? ☐ Yes☐ No	

Part II

Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1

Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education)☐ Preservation of an historically important land area☐ Protection of natural habitat☐ Preservation of a certified historic structure☐ Preservation of open space

2

Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Year
a	Total number of conservation easements
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements
c	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register

3

Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶_____

4

Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶_____

5

Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?

☐ Yes☐ No

6

Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶_____

7

Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶\$ _____

8

Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?

☐ Yes☐ No

9

In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III

Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

▶\$ _____0

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X

▶\$ _____64,800

2

If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items

a

Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

▶\$ _____0

b

Assets included in Form 990, Part X

▶\$ _____0

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Schedule D (Form 990) 2012

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets *(continued)*

3

Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

a

☒ Public exhibition

b

☐ Scholarly research

c

☐ Preservation for future generations

d

☐ Loan or exchange programs

e

☐ Other

4

Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII

5

During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a

Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table

c

Beginning balance

d

Additions during the year

e

Distributions during the year

f

Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a

Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

☐

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a)Current year	(b)Prior year	b (c)Two years back	(d)Three years back	(e)Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	656,693	568,648	453,217	419,861	402,739
b Contributions	166,939	106,517	53,899	23,575	37,250
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	67,248	3,538	103,243	48,982	-43,015
d Grants or scholarships	18,859	20,681	20,690	19,490	17,458
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	886	-1,878	21,021	19,711	-40,345
f Administrative expenses	3,226	3,207	0	0	0
g End of year balance	867,909	656,693	568,648	453,217	419,861

2

Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as

a

Board designated or quasi-endowment

0 %

b

Permanent endowment

89 %

c

Temporarily restricted endowment

11 %

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%

3a

Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

(i) unrelated organizations

3a(i)

☐ Yes

☐ No

(ii) related organizations

3a(ii)

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

3b

☐

4

Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land	0	706,735		706,735
b Buildings	0	7,807,140	2,727,862	5,079,278
c Leasehold improvements	0	359,391	248,572	110,819
d Equipment	0	13,555,350	10,576,137	2,979,213
e Other	0	760,428	155,197	605,231
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				9,481,276

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return					
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			1	81,644,065
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12				
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	125,063		
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	50,419		
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	0		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	0		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	175,482
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	81,468,583
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1				
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	0		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	-22,965		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	-22,965
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)			5	81,445,618
Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return					
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			1	78,072,656
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25				
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	50,419		
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	0		
c	Other losses	2c	0		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	0		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	50,419
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	78,022,237
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 :				
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	0		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	-22,965		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	-22,965
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)			5	77,999,272

Part XIII Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, line 2, Part XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
SchD_P03_S00_L04	Schedule D, Part III, Line 4	Consists of various paintings that have been donated to and/or purchased by the college and have been recorded at their appraised fair market value at the time of donation, or cost at time of purchase. This collection aids in fostering a sense of community and appreciation of the arts for students, faculty, and support staff of the college.
SchD_P05_S00_L04	Schedule D, Part V, Line 4	The intended use of the College's endowment is for scholarships which are given to students to defray the cost of degree completion.
SchD_P10_S00_L02	Schedule D, Part X, Line 2	The College is classified for tax purposes as an organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and except for unrelated business income, if any, is exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(a) of the Code. Therefore, no provision for income taxes is made in the accompanying financial statements. The College follows the FASB guidance regarding accounting for uncertain tax positions. The College believes that it has no uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken that could result in an unrecognized tax benefit liability. The College has no federal or state informational tax returns that are currently under examination by the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") or state authorities. However, fiscal years 2010 and later remain subject to examination by the IRS and New York State.
SchD_P11_S00_L04b	Schedule D, Part XI, Line 4b	INCLUDES FUNDRAISING EXPENSES AND LOSS ON DISPOSAL OF ASSETS
SchD_P12_S00_L04b	Schedule D, Part XII, Line 4b	Includes fundraising expenses and loss on disposal of assets.

SCHEDULE E
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Schools

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►Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 13,
or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 48.
► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

Name of the organization
EXCELSIOR COLLEGE

Employer identification number
16-1532850

Part I

	YES	NO
1 Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body?	1 Yes	
2 Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	2 Yes	
3 Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe If "No," please explain If you need more space use Part II	3	No
4 Does the organization maintain the following?	4a Yes	
a Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff?	4b Yes	
b Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?	4c Yes	
c Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	4d Yes	
d Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain If you need more space, use Part II		
5 Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to	5a	No
a Students' rights or privileges?	5b	No
b Admissions policies?	5c	No
c Employment of faculty or administrative staff?	5d	No
d Scholarships or other financial assistance?	5e	No
e Educational policies?	5f	No
f Use of facilities?	5g	No
g Athletic programs?	5h	No
h Other extracurricular activities? If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain If you need more space, use Part II		
6a Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?	6a Yes	
b Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? If you answered "Yes" to either line 6a or line 6b, explain on Part II	6b	No
7 Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4 01 through 4 05 of Rev Proc 75-50, 1975-2 C B 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," explain on Part II	7 Yes	

Part III Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part I, lines 3, 4d, 5h, 6b, and 7, as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any other additional information (see instructions)

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
SchE_P01_S00_L03	Schedule E, Part I, Line 3	The organization meets the criteria established in section 4 03-2 of revenue procedures 75-50
SchE_P01_S00_L06	Schedule E, Part I, Line 6	The College receives government assistance in the form of, Federal Direct Loans, SEOG Grants, NYS TAP Grants, NYS APTS Grants, HRSA Nursing Student Loan Program and HRSA Nursing Faculty Loan Program

SCHEDULE F
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990,
Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.
► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization
EXCELSIOR COLLEGE

Employer identification number
16-1532850

Part I

General Information on Activities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

- 1 For grantmakers. Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 2 For grantmakers. Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds outside the United States.
- 3 Activites per Region (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e g , fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
South Asia	0	0	Program Services	Meet with other institutions to investigate articulation agreements and meet with course development vendors	23,601
Europe (including Iceland and Greenland)	0	0	Program Services	Attending and Presenting at Academic Conferences	15,794
Middle East and North Africa	0	0	Program Services	Evaluate Seminary Courses for College Credit	11,162
East Asia and the Pacific	0	0	Program Services	Marketing assessment opportunities to other institutions	4,585
South America	0	0	Program Services	Attend graduation ceremony of articulating institution	1,008
3a Sub-total					
b Total from continuation sheets to Part I					
c Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)	0	0			56,150

Part II

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1	(a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of non-cash assistance	(h) Description of non-cash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)

- 2 Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter ▶
- 3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities ▶

Part III

(a) Type of grant or assistance

(b) Region

(c) Number of recipients

(d) Amount of cash grant

(e) Manner of cash disbursement

(f) Amount of non-cash assistance

**(g) Description
of non-cash
assistance**

(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)

Part IV Foreign Forms

- 1

Was the organization a U S transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)*

☐ Yes

☒ No
- 2

Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 3520, Annual Return to Report Transactions with Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A)*

☐ Yes

☒ No
- 3

Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Corporations. (see Instructions for Form 5471)*

☐ Yes

☒ No
- 4

Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund. (see Instructions for Form 8621)*

☐ Yes

☒ No
- 5

Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships. (see Instructions for Form 8865)*

☐ Yes

☒ No
- 6

Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713).*

☐ Yes

☒ No

Supplemental Information
Complete this part to provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

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SCHEDULE G
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information Regarding
Fundraising or Gaming Activities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Part I Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 17.

- 1

Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.
- a

☒ Mail solicitations
- e

☒ Solicitation of non-government grants
- b

☒ Internet and email solicitations
- f

☒ Solicitation of government grants
- c

☒ Phone solicitations
- g

☒ Special fundraising events
- d

☒ In-person solicitations
- 2a

Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services?

☒ Yes ☐ No
- b

If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
Ruffalo Cody LLC 65 Kirkwood Road SW Cedar Rapids, IA 52404	Phone Solicitation		No	54,473	45,966	8,507
The Stelter Company 10435 New York Ave Des Moines, IA 50322	Donor Mailings Consulting/Gift Planning Website		No	0	8,234	-8,234
Total ▶				54,473	54,200	273

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit funds or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

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Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1 Partners in Lifelong Learning Scholarship Fundraising Event (event type)	(b) Event #2 (event type)	(c) Other events (total number)	(d) Total events (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	62,497		62,497
	2	Less Contributions . .	56,537		56,537
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	5,960		5,960
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes	0		0
	5	Noncash prizes . .	184		184
	6	Rent/facility costs . .	875		875
	7	Food and beverages .	8,842	0	8,842
	8	Entertainment	0	0	0
	9	Other direct expenses .	4,724		4,724
	10	Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶			
	11	Net income summary Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10 ▶			
					(14,625)
					-8,665

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1	Gross revenue			
Direct Expenses	2	Cash prizes			
	3	Non-cash prizes			
	4	Rent/facility costs			
	5	Other direct expenses . . .			
	6	Volunteer labor	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
	7	Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) ▶			
	8	Net gaming income summary Combine lines 1 and 7 in column (d) ▶			

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities _____

a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "No," explain _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain _____

Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? ☐ Yes ☐ No

12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? ☐ Yes ☐ No

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in

a The organization's facility	13a	
b An outside facility	13b	

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records

Name ▶

Address ▶

15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ _____

c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party

Name ▶

Address ▶

16 Gaming manager information

Name ▶

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$

Description of services provided ▶

☐ Director/officer ☐ Employee ☐ Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ _____

Part IV Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
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Schedule I
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
EXCELSIOR COLLEGE

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.
▶ Attach to Form 990

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Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

1

Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?

☒ Yes ☐ No

2

Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC Code section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance

2

Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table

▶

3

Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

▶

Part III

Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a)Type of grant or assistance	(b)Number of recipients	(c)Amount of cash grant	(d)Amount of non-cash assistance	(e)Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f)Description of non-cash assistance
(1) Scholarships	891	602,676	0	N/A	

Part IV

Supplemental Information.

Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
SchI_P01_S00_L02	Schedule I, Part I, Line 2	The College provides individual scholarship assistance to enrolled students in order to defray the cost of the College's enrollment and examination fees. This assistance is provided through direct credit to the student's account with the college, ensuring funds are utilized for their intended purpose. Depending on the source of funds, there may be donor stipulations which students may need to adhere to in order to maintain eligibility of funds. In the event of such, ongoing monitoring is performed by the College's Financial Aid department.

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Part I

Questions Regarding Compensation

	Yes	No
1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items ☐ First-class or charter travel ☐ Travel for companions ☒ Tax idemnification and gross-up payments ☐ Discretionary spending account ☒ Housing allowance or residence for personal use ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence ☒ Health or social club dues or initiation fees ☐ Personal services (e g , maid, chauffeur, chef)		
b If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	1bYes	
2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2Yes	
3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director Check all that apply Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III ☒ Compensation committee ☒ Independent compensation consultant ☐ Form 990 of other organizations ☒ Written employment contract ☒ Compensation survey or study ☒ Approval by the board or compensation committee		
4 During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization		
a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a	No
b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b	No
c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III	4c	No
Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only must complete lines 5-9.		
5 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of		
a The organization?	5a	No
b Any related organization? If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III	5b	No
6 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of		
a The organization?	6a	No
b Any related organization? If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III	6b	No
7 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	7	No
8 Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53 4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III	8	No
9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53 4958-6(c)?	9	

Part II **Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees.** Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
See Additional Data Table								

Part IIISupplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
SchJ_P01_S00_L01a	Schedule J, Part I, Line 1a	In calendar year 2012, the College grossed up taxable wage payments to the President to reimburse the President for taxes incurred related to supplemental voluntary health and welfare benefits. Additionally, in 2012 the college paid social club dues on behalf of the President for business use relating to College matters only, and as such, were not treated as taxable income to him. All personal use of the club was reimbursed to the College. A monthly housing allowance is provided to the President and is included in his taxable wages. The College reimburses a portion of health club dues of its employees as part of the College's wellness initiative policy. This benefit is available to all college employees, and is included in the taxable income of employees who use this benefit, including officers.

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(A) Name		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
		(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other compensation				
John Ebersole	(i)	348,883	105,000	89,893	132,206	9,310	685,292	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mary Beth Hanner	(i)	232,055	0	703	23,923	15,159	271,840	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
John M Pontius	(i)	178,251	0	491	18,157	659	197,558	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cathy Kushner	(i)	173,705	0	466	17,798	8,576	200,545	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joseph Porter	(i)	182,519	0	10,347	18,273	353	211,492	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wayne Brown	(i)	229,753	0	1,683	22,497	676	254,609	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edmund McTernan	(i)	134,378	0	258	14,335	12,130	161,101	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Maslowsky	(i)	178,560	0	44	18,505	11,920	209,029	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Susan O'Hern	(i)	159,474	0	227	16,555	16,825	193,081	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Patrick Jones	(i)	156,295	0	20,252	16,072	11,308	203,927	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jane LeClair	(i)	159,388	0	3,455	15,900	5,551	184,294	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scott Dalrymple	(i)	162,349	0	183	14,876	5,306	182,714	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mary Lee Pollard	(i)	151,276	0	152	15,208	186	166,822	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
George Timmons	(i)	147,430	0	55	14,656	791	162,932	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deborah L Sopczyk	(i)	140,865	0	396	14,439	9,018	164,718	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thomas Dalton	(i)	131,937	0	152	13,711	12,118	157,918	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Schedule K (Form 990)	Supplemental Information on Tax Exempt Bonds ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 24a. Provide descriptions, explanations, and any additional information in Part VI. ▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.	OMB No 1545-0047
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Part I

Bond Issues

(a) Issuer name	(b) Issuer EIN	(c) CUSIP #	(d) Date issued	(e) Issue price	(f) Description of purpose	(g) Defeased		(h) On behalf of issuer		(i) Pool financing	
						Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
A Albany County Industrial Development Agency	22-2587283		05-16-2003	2,292,130	Refinance issue used for 7 Columbia Circle		X		X		X
B Albany County Industrial Development Agency	14-1663410		09-18-2003	1,300,000	Purchase of 9 Columbia Circle		X		X		X

Part II

Proceeds

	A	B	C		D	
1 Amount of bonds retired	0	0				
2 Amount of bonds legally defeased	0	0				
3 Total proceeds of issue	2,292,130	1,300,000				
4 Gross proceeds in reserve funds	0	0				
5 Capitalized interest from proceeds	0	0				
6 Proceeds in refunding escrows	0	0				
7 Issuance costs from proceeds	24,404	49,901				
8 Credit enhancement from proceeds	0	0				
9 Working capital expenditures from proceeds	0	0				
10 Capital expenditures from proceeds	2,292,130	1,300,000				
11 Other spent proceeds	0	0				
12 Other unspent proceeds	0	0				
13 Year of substantial completion	2003		2003			
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
14 Were the bonds issued as part of a current refunding issue?	X			X		
15 Were the bonds issued as part of an advance refunding issue?		X		X		
16 Has the final allocation of proceeds been made?	X		X			
17 Does the organization maintain adequate books and records to support the final allocation of proceeds?	X		X			

Part III

Private Business Use

	A		B		C		D	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1 Was the organization a partner in a partnership, or a member of an LLC, which owned property financed by tax-exempt bonds?		X		X				
2 Are there any lease arrangements that may result in private business use of bond-financed property?		X		X				

Part III

Private Business Use (Continued)

		A		B		C		D	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
3a	Are there any management or service contracts that may result in private business use of bond-financed property?		X		X				
b	If "Yes" to line 3a, does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any management or service contracts relating to the financed property?								
c	Are there any research agreements that may result in private business use of bond-financed property?		X		X				
d	If "Yes" to line 3c, does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any research agreements relating to the financed property?								
4	Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use by entities other than a section 501(c)(3) organization or a state or local government	0%		0%		%		%	
5	Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use as a result of unrelated trade or business activity carried on by your organization, another section 501(c)(3) organization, or a state or local government	0%		0%		%		%	
6	Total of lines 4 and 5	0%		0%		%		%	
7	Does the bond issue meet the private security or payment test?	X		X					
8a	Has there been a sale or disposition of any of the bond financed property to a nongovernmental person other than a 501(c)(3) organization since the bonds were issued?		X		X				
b	If "Yes" to line 8a, enter the percentage of bond-financed property sold or disposed of	%		%		%		%	
c	If "Yes" to line 8a, was any remedial action taken pursuant to Regulations sections 1.141-12 and 1.145-2?								
9	Has the organization established written procedures to ensure that all nonqualified bonds of the issue are remediated in accordance with the requirements under Regulations sections 1.141-12 and 1.145-2?		X		X				

Part IV

Arbitrage

		A		B		C		D	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1	Has the issuer filed Form 8038-T?		X		X				
2	If "No" to line 1, did the following apply?								
a	Rebate not due yet?		X		X				
b	Exception to rebate?		X		X				
c	No rebate due?		X		X				
	If you checked "No rebate due" in line 2c, provide in Part VI the date the rebate computation was performed								
3	Is the bond issue a variable rate issue?		X		X				
4a	Has the organization or the governmental issuer entered into a qualified hedge with respect to the bond issue?		X		X				
b	Name of provider								
c	Term of hedge								
d	Was the hedge superintegrated?								
e	Was a hedge terminated?								

Part IV

Arbitrage (Continued)

		A		B		C		D	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
5a	Were gross proceeds invested in a guaranteed investment contract (GIC)?		X		X				
b	Name of provider								
c	Term of GIC								
d	Was the regulatory safe harbor for establishing the fair market value of the GIC satisfied?								
6	Were any gross proceeds invested beyond an available temporary period?		X		X				
7	Has the organization established written procedures to monitor the requirements of section 148?		X		X				

Part V

Procedures To Undertake Corrective Action

		A		B		C		D	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1	Has the organization established written procedures to ensure that violations of federal tax requirements are timely identified and corrected through the voluntary closing agreement program if self-remediation is not available under applicable regulations?		X		X				

Part VI

Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule K (see instructions).

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
SchK_P03_S00_L09	Schedule K, Part III, Line 9	Practices are in place to ensure timely payment, representation of security, etc. Additionally, bond proceeds were spent immediately on tax-exempt qualifying building purchases. Management consistently reviews any new business ventures for consistency with the college's tax-exempt status and use of assets obtained from proceeds of tax-exempt issuances.
SchK_P05_S00_L00	Schedule K, Part V	Practices are in place to ensure timely payment, representation of security, etc. Additionally, bond proceeds were spent immediately on tax-exempt qualifying building purchases. Management consistently reviews any new business ventures for consistency with the college's tax-exempt status and use of assets obtained from proceeds of tax-exempt issuances.

Schedule L
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Transactions with Interested Persons

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization EXCELSIOR COLLEGE	Employer identification number 16-1532850
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Part I Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3) and section 501(c)(4) organizations only).

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Relationship between disqualified person and organization	(c) Description of transaction	(d) Corrected?	
				Yes	No

2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958 ▶ \$

3 Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization ▶ \$

Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a, or Form 990, Part IV, line 26, or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship with organization	(c) Purpose of loan	(d) Loan to or from the organization?		(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In default?		(h) Approved by board or committee?	(i) Written agreement?	
			To	From			Yes	No		Yes	No
Total ▶ \$											

Part III Grants or Assistance Benefitting Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of assistance	(d) Type of assistance	(e) Purpose of assistance

Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No
(1) Donna L Jones	Wife of Key Employee Patrick Jones	16,394	Payments for Military Outreach Counseling Services		No
(2) Tina M Dalrymple	Wife of Key Employee Scott Dalrymple	13,047	Payments for conducting instruction as an adjunct faculty		No

Part V Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions)

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
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SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ****Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.**

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Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
F990_P06_S0A_L04	Form 990, Part VI, Section A, Line 4	Since the prior Form 990 was filed, several changes have been made to the Excelsior College Bylaws, votes can no longer be cast via email but must be in hard copy writing, and in the case of claims against Trustees and Officers, they will be reimbursed for legal expenses prior to a final ruling, if the ruling shows that the Trustee or Officer is not entitled to indemnification they must pay back the College. Trustee responsibilities were more fully spelled out, the following responsibilities are now explicitly stated - the Board has oversight over the College's accreditation status, student support needs, monitoring of the annual budget, hiring and maintenance of the workforce, acquiring and maintaining facilities, and evaluation of trustee performance. Additionally, the Treasurer must now serve as the Chair of the Budget and Finance Committee, the Investment Subcommittee is now a standalone Committee, no Audit Committee member can serve on the Budget and Finance Committee, and the Board Chair appoints members of Subcommittees and Task Forces. Changes were also made to term limits and the process for removing Trustees, Trustee Officer and Trustee Committee Chair maximum terms have been reduced from two three year terms to two two year terms, Trustees must serve on a Committee for one year before becoming a Chair of the Committee, Trustee Officers and general Trustees can now only be removed by a majority vote of all Trustees with voting rights, and a Trustee automatically resigns if they miss three consecutive meetings.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
F990_P06_S0B_L11b	Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 11b	The form 990 was prepared by the accounting services department at the College. The information within the return was obtained through input from several Officers of the College. Following internal preparation of the return, it was forwarded to the College's independent auditors to seek their input before forwarding to the Audit Committee of the Board of Trustees. The Audit committee was delegated the authority to review and approve the final version of the information return by the Board of Trustees. The Audit Committee reviewed the final return in depth via teleconference with the Officers of the College and the accounting staff. Management at the College guided the Audit Committee through the various schedules included in the filing noting the purpose of the schedule and identifying the origin and sources of the content contained within. All questions posed by the Committee were answered by the Management of the College as documented in the minutes to the meeting. The final return was made available for inspection and review to all Board Members before final filing with the IRS.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
F990_P06_S0B_L12c	Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c	The College has had a written conflict of interest policy since June, 1998. This policy, as amended in 2008, is distributed annually to all Officers, Trustees, and other key employees each October. In addition to the policy, all officers, trustees and key employees are required to complete an annual disclosure statement indicating conflicts of interest and any direct or indirect professional and/or business arrangements with vendors with whom the College has a professional or business arrangement. Annually, the Audit Committee of the Board meets with General Counsel and the Secretary to the Board to review all disclosures and to determine the existence and severity of any conflicts. If conflicts exist, the Chairman of the Board is made aware of the conflicts and disclosures and the Secretary of the Board takes action as directed by the Audit Committee. Should the conflict exist at the Board level, full disclosure is made to all Board members and the affected member is recused from any vote related to the conflict of interest. Conflicts at levels below the Board are disclosed to the CEO, the VP of ODHR, and Legal Counsel to determine the impact of the conflict on the employees' ability to function in the affected role and take steps to resolve the conflict.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
F990_P06_S0B_L14	Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 14	Financial records are retained in accordance with the College's standard record retention policy. In addition, grant awards, certain mortgage and contractual arrangement require additional retention timeframes. Other departments in the College such as the Registrar and Financial Aid offices retain student records as required under federal regulations and agencies guidelines.

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F990_P06_S0B_L15	Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 15	In 2010, a comprehensive independent study of the President's compensation was conducted by an external consultant. This study, commissioned under the direction of the Board of Trustees, looked at comparative data from a competitive pool determined by the external consultant. This study was the basis for the employment contract with the College President, which was approved by the Board of Trustees. This contract is subject to renewal, extension, or termination every four years by the Board of Trustees. Additionally, the compensation of the President is reviewed annually by the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees. Each year the President and the Board agree to annual goals and the President provides monthly reports on the progress toward these goals. His achievements are the basis for an annual performance review conducted by the Executive Committee of the Board. All Board discussions are documented in the Board of Trustee meeting minutes. The Office of Human Resources establishes compensation within various grade levels at the College based on several factors such as the current local job market and hiring rate in our area, the demographics of the region including the degree of difficulty and competition in acquiring the particular talent. In addition, a compensation study was performed in 2011 by an external consultant that compared duties, responsibilities, and compensation for all job titles of the college, including the Executive Staff. The study gathered data at the national level as well as industry-specific data and job market information for our region of the country. Salaries within the organization compared against this data. In 2013, at the direction of the Board of Trustees, the Office of Human Resources completed an executive compensation survey through a consultant. The study assessed nine positions and made comparisons to comparable staff positions at 17 similarly situated institutions. The study had two objectives, 1 Determine if current pay levels are commensurate with peer roles at target institutions, and 2 Ensure that compensation is in line with Section 4958 of the IRS code. The results of the survey suggested that the College is safely positioned at all levels with respect to Section 4958 of the IRS code.

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F990_P06_S0B_L16b	Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 16b	The College's business arrangement with Pearson, PLC is for the development, marketing and administration of for credit exams, which is in keeping with the College's educational tax-exempt purpose. The arrangement ended effective June 30, 2013.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
F990_P06_S0C_L19	Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19	Hard copies of financial statements are available upon request. All other applicable documents are available upon request in hard copy and electronic (pdf) form.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
F990_P09_S00_L11g	Form 990, Part IX, Line 11g	Consultant Honoraria \$371,414 Total, \$339,150 Program service expenses, \$29,984 Management and general expenses, \$2,280 Fundraising expenses, Exam Proctoring Fees \$1,769,140 Total Program service expenses, Library Costs \$1,034,272 Total Program service expenses, Recruiting Costs \$63,657 Total Management and general expenses, and Other Contractual Services \$8,413,087 Total, \$4,784,434 Program service expenses, \$3,562,810 Management and general expenses, \$65,843 Fundraising expenses

