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Form **990-PF**  
 Department of the Treasury  
 Internal Revenue Service

**Return of Private Foundation**  
**or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation**  
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OMB No 1545-0052  
**2015**  
**Open to Public Inspection**

**For calendar year 2015, or tax year beginning 01-01-2015 , and ending 12-31-2015**

Name of foundation THE SERIS FOUNDATION		<b>A Employer identification number</b> 13-3969875	
% ERIKA KLAPPER		<b>B Telephone number (see instructions)</b>	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 3333 HENRY HUDSON PARKWAY Suite APT		Room/suite	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code RIVERDALE, NY 10463		<b>C</b> If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>G</b> Check all that apply <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		<b>D 1.</b> Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/>  <b>2.</b> Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>H</b> Check type of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		<b>E</b> If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>I</b> Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) <b>\$</b> 401,577		<b>F</b> If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>J</b> Accounting method <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ <i>(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis )</i>			

<b>Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses</b> <i>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions) )</i>		Revenue and expenses per books <b>(a)</b>	Net investment income <b>(b)</b>	Adjusted net income <b>(c)</b>	Disbursements for charitable purposes <b>(d)</b> (cash basis only)
<b>1</b>	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule) . . . . .	150,568			
<b>2</b>	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is <b>not</b> required to attach Sch B . . . . .				
<b>3</b>	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
<b>4</b>	Dividends and interest from securities . . . . .	2,840	2,840		
<b>5a</b>	Gross rents . . . . .				
<b>b</b>	Net rental income or (loss) _____				
<b>6a</b>	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	32,574			
<b>b</b>	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 127,569				
<b>7</b>	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) . . . . .		32,574		
<b>8</b>	Net short-term capital gain . . . . .				
<b>9</b>	Income modifications . . . . .				
<b>10a</b>	Gross sales less returns and allowances				
<b>b</b>	Less Cost of goods sold . . . . .				
<b>c</b>	Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule) . . . . .				
<b>11</b>	Other income (attach schedule) . . . . .				
<b>12</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 11 . . . . .	185,982	35,414		
<b>13</b>	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0			
<b>14</b>	Other employee salaries and wages . . . . .				
<b>15</b>	Pension plans, employee benefits . . . . .				
<b>16a</b>	Legal fees (attach schedule). . . . .				
<b>b</b>	Accounting fees (attach schedule). . . . .				
<b>c</b>	Other professional fees (attach schedule) . . . . .				
<b>17</b>	Interest . . . . .				
<b>18</b>	Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . . . .	168			
<b>19</b>	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . . . . .				
<b>20</b>	Occupancy . . . . .				
<b>21</b>	Travel, conferences, and meetings . . . . .				
<b>22</b>	Printing and publications . . . . .				
<b>23</b>	Other expenses (attach schedule). . . . .	4,213	4,213		
<b>24</b>	<b>Total operating and administrative expenses.</b> Add lines 13 through 23 . . . . .	4,381	4,213		0
<b>25</b>	Contributions, gifts, grants paid . . . . .	7,452			7,452
<b>26</b>	<b>Total expenses and disbursements.</b> Add lines 24 and 25	11,833	4,213		7,452
<b>27</b>	Subtract line 26 from line 12				
<b>a</b>	<b>Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements</b>	174,149			
<b>b</b>	<b>Net investment income</b> (if negative, enter -0-)		31,201		
<b>c</b>	<b>Adjusted net income</b> (if negative, enter -0-)				

<b>Part II Balance Sheets</b> Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .			
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	103,895	164,778	164,778
	<b>3</b> Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>4</b> Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>5</b> Grants receivable . . . . .			
	<b>6</b> Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions). . . . .			
	<b>7</b> Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .			
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .			
	<b>10a</b> Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	<b>b</b> Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule) . . . . .	92,182	197,735	225,644
	<b>c</b> Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>11</b> Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	<b>12</b> Investments—mortgage loans . . . . .			
	<b>13</b> Investments—other (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>14</b> Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
<b>15</b> Other assets (describe ▶ _____)	3,650	11,155	11,155	
<b>16</b> <b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	199,727	373,668	401,577	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .			
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .			
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .			
	<b>20</b> Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	<b>21</b> Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule). . . . .			
	<b>22</b> Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)	208		
	<b>23</b> <b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .	208	0	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.</b>			
	<b>24</b> Unrestricted . . . . .			
	<b>25</b> Temporarily restricted . . . . .			
	<b>26</b> Permanently restricted . . . . .			
	<b>Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 31.</b>			
	<b>27</b> Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds . . . . .			
	<b>28</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund			
	<b>29</b> Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	199,519	373,668	
<b>30</b> <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	199,519	373,668		
<b>31</b> <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	199,727	373,668		

<b>Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>			
<b>1</b>	Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return) . . . . .	<b>1</b>	199,519
<b>2</b>	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a . . . . .	<b>2</b>	174,149
<b>3</b>	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .	<b>4</b>	373,668
<b>5</b>	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 . . . . .	<b>6</b>	373,668

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

Table with 4 columns: (a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold, (b) How acquired, (c) Date acquired, (d) Date sold. Rows include MORGAN STANLEY #8295 SHORT TERM COVERED, 2SH LIBERTY BROADBAND CORP, etc.

Table with 4 columns: (e) Gross sales price, (f) Depreciation allowed, (g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale, (h) Gain or (loss) plus (f) minus (g). Rows correspond to items a-e from the previous table.

Table with 4 columns: (i) FMV as of 12/31/69, (j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69, (k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), (l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h)).

Summary rows for capital gain net income (2) and net short-term capital gain or (loss) (3).

Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income) If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period? [ ] Yes [X] No If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e) Do not complete this part

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see instructions before making any entries

Table with 4 columns: (a) Base period years, (b) Adjusted qualifying distributions, (c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets, (d) Distribution ratio. Rows for years 2014, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010.

Summary rows for qualification: 2 Total of line 1, column (d); 3 Average distribution ratio; 4 Net value of noncharitable-use assets; 5 Multiply line 4 by line 3; 6 Enter 1% of net investment income; 7 Add lines 5 and 6; 8 Enter qualifying distributions.

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate See the Part VI instructions

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see page 18 of the instructions)

Table with 11 main rows and sub-rows (a-d) for credits. Includes fields for exempt foundations, tax under section 511, tax based on investment income, and total tax due. Total tax due is 2,374.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 main rows (1a-10) and sub-rows (a-c) for questions regarding political activities, unrelated business income, and substantial contributors. Includes Yes/No columns.

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)**

<b>11</b> At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions). . . . .	<b>11</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>12</b> Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions) . . . . .	<b>12</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>13</b> Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► _____	<b>13</b>	<b>Yes</b>	
<b>14</b> The books are in care of ► <u>ERIKA KLAPPER</u> Telephone no ► <u>(212) 874-2726</u> Located at ► <u>4720 DELAFIELD AVENUE RIVERDALE NY</u> ZIP+4 ► <u>10471</u>			
<b>15</b> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here . . . . .	<b>15</b>		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>16</b> At any time during calendar year 2015, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR) If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ► _____	<b>16</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>

**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required**

**File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.**

		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>1a</b> During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly) <b>(1)</b> Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>(2)</b> Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>(3)</b> Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>(4)</b> Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>(5)</b> Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>(6)</b> Agree to pay money or property to a government official? ( <b>Exception.</b> Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days ). . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
<b>b</b> If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did <b>any</b> of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>1b</b>		
<b>c</b> Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015? . . . . .	<b>1c</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>2</b> Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)) <b>a</b> At the end of tax year 2015, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2015? . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years ► 2002 , 20____ , 20____ , 20____			
<b>b</b> Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is <b>not</b> applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to <b>all</b> years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions ). . . . .	<b>2b</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>c</b> If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to <b>any</b> of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► 20____ , 20____ , 20____ , 20____			
<b>3a</b> Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2015 as a result of <b>(1)</b> any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969, <b>(2)</b> the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest, or <b>(3)</b> the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? ( <i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2015</i> ). . . . .	<b>3b</b>		
<b>4a</b> Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	<b>4a</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</b> Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015?	<b>4b</b>		<b>No</b>

**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (Continued)**

**5a** During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to

**(1)** Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?  Yes  No

**(2)** Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?  Yes  No

**(3)** Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?  Yes  No

**(4)** Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? (see instructions).  Yes  No

**(5)** Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?  Yes  No

**b** If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did **any** of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)?  Yes  No  
 Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here.  Yes  No

**c** If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d)

**6a** Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

**b** Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870

**7a** At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?  Yes  No

**b** If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?  Yes  No

**Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors**

**1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).**

(a) Name and address	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
ERIKA KLAPPER 3333 HENRY HUDSON PARKWAY RIVERDALE, NY 10463	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
DANIEL KLAPPER 3333 HENRY HUDSON PARKWAY RIVERDALE, NY 10463	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
DAVID KLAPPER 3333 HENRY HUDSON PARKWAY RIVERDALE, NY 10463	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0

**2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation	Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation (d)	Expense account, (e) other allowances

**Total** number of other employees paid over \$50,000.  Yes  No

**Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)**

**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE".**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

**Total** number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services. . . . . **▶**

**Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc

	Expenses
1 NONE	
2	
3	
4	

**Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)**

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2

	Amount
1	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions	

**Total.** Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . . **▶**

**Part X Minimum Investment Return**

(All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

<b>1</b>	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly fair market value of securities. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	185,360
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	103,127
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions). . . . .	<b>1c</b>	11,155
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c). . . . .	<b>1d</b>	299,642
<b>e</b>	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation). . . . .	<b>1e</b>	
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets. . . . .	<b>2</b>	0
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d. . . . .	<b>3</b>	299,642
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions). . . . .	<b>4</b>	4,495
<b>5</b>	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	<b>5</b>	295,147
<b>6</b>	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5. . . . .	<b>6</b>	14,757

**Part XI Distributable Amount**

(see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here  and do not complete this part.)

<b>1</b>	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6. . . . .	<b>1</b>	14,757
<b>2a</b>	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5. . . . .	<b>2a</b>	624
<b>b</b>	Income tax for 2015 (This does not include the tax from Part VI ). . . . .	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines 2a and 2b. . . . .	<b>2c</b>	624
<b>3</b>	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1. . . . .	<b>3</b>	14,133
<b>4</b>	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions. . . . .	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Add lines 3 and 4. . . . .	<b>5</b>	14,133
<b>6</b>	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions). . . . .	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	<b>Distributable amount</b> as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1. . . . .	<b>7</b>	14,133

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc , purposes		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc —total from Part I, column (d), line 26. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	7,452
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	0
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes. . . . .	<b>2</b>	0
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required). . . . .	<b>3a</b>	0
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule). . . . .	<b>3b</b>	0
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	<b>4</b>	7,452
<b>5</b>	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions). . . . .	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4. . . . .	<b>6</b>	7,452

**Note:** The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years

**Part XIII Undistributed Income** (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2014	(c) 2014	(d) 2015
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI, line 7				14,133
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2014 only. . . . .			0	
<b>b</b> Total for prior years 2013, 2012, 2011		0		
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015				
<b>a</b> From 2010. . . . .				28,471
<b>b</b> From 2011. . . . .				22,373
<b>c</b> From 2012. . . . .				3,241
<b>d</b> From 2013. . . . .				3,234
<b>e</b> From 2014. . . . .				
<b>f</b> Total of lines 3a through e. . . . .	57,319			
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ <u>7,452</u>				
<b>a</b> Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			0	
<b>b</b> Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>c</b> Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>d</b> Applied to 2015 distributable amount. . . . .				7,452
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0			
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	6,681			6,681
<b>6</b> Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
<b>a</b> Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	50,638			
<b>b</b> Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b. . . . .		0		
<b>c</b> Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed. . . . .				
<b>d</b> Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions. . . . .		0		
<b>e</b> Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions. . . . .			0	
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2016 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2015. . . . .				0
<b>7</b> Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions). . . . .				
<b>8</b> Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions). . . . .	21,790			
<b>9</b> Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a. . . . .	28,848			
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2011. . . . .				22,373
<b>b</b> Excess from 2012. . . . .				3,241
<b>c</b> Excess from 2013. . . . .				3,234
<b>d</b> Excess from 2014. . . . .				
<b>e</b> Excess from 2015. . . . .				

**Part XIV Private Operating Foundations** (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

**1a** If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2015, enter the date of the ruling. . . . ▶

**b** Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section  4942(j)(3) or  4942(j)(5)

**2a** Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed . . . . .

Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
(a) 2015	(b) 2014	(c) 2013	(d) 2012	
<b>b</b> 85% of line 2a . . . . .				
<b>c</b> Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed . . . . .				
<b>d</b> Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities . . . . .				
<b>e</b> Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c . . . . .				
<b>3</b> Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon				
<b>a</b> "Assets" alternative test—enter				
<b>(1)</b> Value of all assets . . . . .				
<b>(2)</b> Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)				
<b>b</b> "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed. . . . .				
<b>c</b> "Support" alternative test—enter				
<b>(1)</b> Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties) . . . . .				
<b>(2)</b> Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii). . . . .				
<b>(3)</b> Largest amount of support from an exempt organization				
<b>(4)</b> Gross investment income				

**Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the organization had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see instructions.)**

**1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

**a** List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000) (See section 507(d)(2) )

NA

**b** List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest

NA

**2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d

**a** The name, address, and telephone number or email address of the person to whom applications should be addressed

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**b** The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include

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**c** Any submission deadlines

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**d** Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors

**Part XV Supplementary Information**(continued)

**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
<b>Total</b> . . . . .			▶ <b>3a</b>	7,452
<b>b</b> <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
<b>Total</b> . . . . .			▶ <b>3b</b>	





**Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
RIVERDALE JEWISH CENTER 3700 INDEPENDENCE AVENUE RIVERDALE,NY 10463	NONE	PC	CHARITABLE	1,000
BIKUR CHOLIM OF MANHATTAN 180 RIVERSIDE DRIVE NEWYORK,NY 10024	NONE	PC	CHARITABLE	500
NATIONAL MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY 733 3RD AVENUE NY,NY 10017	NONE		CHARITABLE	36
N'SHEI AHAVAS CHESED 1549 46TH STREET BROOKLYN,NY 11219	NONE		CHARITABLE	100
AMERICAN FRIENDS OF YESHIVAT YESHREI LEV 1324 GRANDVIEW TERRACE FAR ROCKAWAY,NY 11691	NONE		CHARITABLE	5,000
AMERICAN FRIENDS OF HOUSE OF HOPE 176-25 UNION TPKE SUITE 336 FRESH MEADOWS,NY 11366	NONE		CHARITABLE	180
TORAS YITZCHAK YONAH 1325 W 246TH STREET BRONX,NY 10471	NONE		CHARITBALE	36
MESIVTA ATERES YAAKOV 131 WASHINGTON AVE LAWRENCE,NY 11559	NONE	PC	CHARITABLE	600
<b>Total . . . . .</b>				7,452

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## **TY 2015 Depreciation Schedule**

**Name:** THE SERIS FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 13-3969875

**TY 2015 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule****Name:** THE SERIS FOUNDATION**EIN:** 13-3969875

<b>Name of Stock</b>	<b>End of Year Book Value</b>	<b>End of Year Fair Market Value</b>
10 ACTAVIS PLC		
25 AKAMI TECHNOLOGIES INC		
4 ALASKA AIR GROUP INC		
30 ALLIED WORLD ASSUR CO HLDG		
19 ALLISON TRANSMN HLDGS INC		
6 AMAZON INC		
7 AMC NETWORKS INC CL A		
7 AMGEN INC		
16 ANADARKO PETE		
11 ANHEUSER BUSCH		
23 APPLE INC		
75 APPLIED MATERIALS INC		
18 AT&T INC		
19 AUTODESK INC		
17 AXIS CAPITAL HOLDINGS LTD		
5 BAKER HUGHES INC		
7 BED BATH & BEYOND INC		
8 BEST BUY CO		
5 BHP BILLITON LTD		
10 BIOGEN IDEC INC		
8 BLACKROCK INC		
12 BOEING CO		
21 BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO		
24 BROADCOM CORP		
44 CABLEVISION SYSTEMS CORP		
2 CALIFORNIA RES CORP		
18 CAMERON INTNL CORP		
19 CARNIVAL CP NEW PAIRED COM		
8 CATERPILLAR INC		
19 CELEGNE CORP		

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
33 CHARLES SCHWAB NEW		
9 CHECK POINT SOFTWARE TECH		
13 CHEVRON CORP		
10 CHUBB CORP		
34 CISCO SYS INC		
37 CITIGROUP INC		
29 CITRIX SYSTEMS INC		
10 CME GROUP INC		
8 COACH INC		
28 COCA COLA CO		
69 COMCAST CORP CL A		
8 COVIDIEN PLC NEW		
22 CREE RESEARCH INC		
24 CVS CAREMARK CORP		
15 DEVON ENERGY CORP NEW		
8 DIRECTV COM		
11 DOLBY CLA A COM		
9 DU PONT EI DE NEMOURS & CO		
16 EATON CORP PLC		
37 EBAY INC		
36 EMC CORP MASS		
3 EMCOR GROUP INC		
1 SH ENSCO PLC		
49 ERICSSON LM TEL ADR CL B		
10 EXPRESS SCRIPTS HLDG CO		
14 EXXON MOBIL CORP		
15 FACEBOOK INC CL A		
13 FIRST REPUBLIC BANK		
13 FLUOR CORP NEW		
15 FMC TECHNOLOGIES INC		

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
31 FOREST LABORATORIES INC		
12 FRANKLIN RESOURCES INC		
7 FREEPORT MCMORAN CP & GLD		
80 GENERAL ELECTRIC CO		
8 GLAXOSMITHKLINE PLC ADS		
6 GOLDMAN SACHS GRP INC		
2 GOOGLE INC CL A		
9 GREENHILL & CO INC		
19 HALLIBURTON CO		
10 HESS CORPORATION		
30 HOME DEPOT INC		
11 HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL INC		
19 IMMUNOGEN INC		
21 ISIS PHARM INC		
5 JACOBS ENGINEERING GROUP INC		
27 JOHNSON & JOHNSON		
5 JONES LANG LASALLE INC		
9 JOY GLOBAL INC		
24 JPMORGAN CHASE & CO		
51 JUNIPER NETWORKS		
47 KEYCORP NEW		
9 KLA TENCOR CORP		
10 L-3 COMMUNICATIONS HOLDING		
2 LIBERTY BROADBAND CORP C RTS		
1 LIBERTY BROADBAND CORP S-A		
2 LIBERTY BROADBAND CORP S-C		
26 LIBERTY INTERACTIVE CO		
15 LIBERTY MEDIA CO		
15 MATTEL INC		
3 LINKEDIN CORP		

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
16 MARATHON OIL CO		
39 MCDERMOTT INTERNATIONAL INC		
27 MERCK & CO INC		
27 MICROSOFT CORP		
9 MONSANTO CO NEW		
19 NASDAQ OMX GROUP INC		
5 NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO INC		
26 NETAPP INC COM		
7 NEWFIELD EXPL CO		
8 NIKE INC		
15 NOVARTIS AG ADR		
11 NOW INC		
20 NUANCE COMMUNICATIONS INC		
31 NUCOR CORPORATION		
7 OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP		
11 PALL CORPORATION		
13 PEABODY ENERGY CORP		
18 PEBBLEBROOK HOTEL TR COM		
5 PENTAIR LTD		
14 PEPSICO INC		
23 PIER 1 IMPORTS INC		
3 PLANTRONICS INC		
4 PRECISION CASTPARTS CORP		
10 QUALCOMM INC		
10 RAYTHEON CO		
20 RED HAT INC		
1 REGENERON PHARM		
59 REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP NEW		
40 RIVERBED TECH INC		
9 ROYAL DUTCH SHELL PLC		

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
13 SAFEWAY INC COM NEW		
14 SANDISK CORP		
20 SCHLUMBERGER LTD		
47 SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC		
2 SOTHEBY'S CL A		
9 STANLEY BLACK & DECKER INC		
5 STARZ SERIES A		
19 STATE STREET CORP		
19 SYMANTEC CORP		
19 SYNCHRONY FINANCIAL		
32 TARGET CORPORATION		
21 TE CONNECTIVITY LTD NEW		
31 TERADYNE INC		
9 TEVA PHARMACEUTICALS ADR		
33 TEXAS INSTRUMENTS		
10 THE ADT CORPORATION COM		
4 THE MOSAIC CO		
12 THERMO FISHER SCIENTIFIC IN		
9 TOWERS WATSON & CO		
21 TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY FOX		
21 TYCO INTERNATIONAL LTD NEW		
24 US BANCORP COM NEW		
24 UNILEVER PLC		
11 UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC		
36 UNITEDHEALTH GP INC		
11 VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC DEL		
8 VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS		
9 VISA INC CL A		
34 VODAFONE GP PLC		
4 W W GRAINGER INC		

<b>Name of Stock</b>	<b>End of Year Book Value</b>	<b>End of Year Fair Market Value</b>
28 WALT DISNEY CO HLDG CO		
97 WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL		
17 WEYERHAEUSER CO		
18 XILINX INC		
16 YAHOO INC		
13 YUM BRANDS INC		
28 ZOETIS INC CL A		
TOTAL HOLDINGS	197,735	225,644

**TY 2015 Other Assets Schedule****Name:** THE SERIS FOUNDATION**EIN:** 13-3969875

Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Fair Market Value
LOANS & EXCHANGES	3,650	11,150	11,150
DUE FROM BROKER		5	5

**TY 2015 Other Expenses Schedule****Name:** THE SERIS FOUNDATION**EIN:** 13-3969875

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INVESTMENT FEES	4,213	4,213		

**TY 2015 Other Liabilities Schedule****Name:** THE SERIS FOUNDATION**EIN:** 13-3969875

<b>Description</b>	<b>Beginning of Year - Book Value</b>	<b>End of Year - Book Value</b>
DUE TO BROKER	208	

**TY 2015 Taxes Schedule****Name:** THE SERIS FOUNDATION**EIN:** 13-3969875

<b>Category</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Net Investment Income</b>	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b>	<b>Disbursements for Charitable Purposes</b>
FOREIGN TAX	35			
FEDERAL EXCISE TAX	133			

Schedule B

(Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

OMB No 1545-0047

2015

Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990

Name of the organization THE SERIS FOUNDATION

Employer identification number 13-3969875

Organization type (check one)

Filers of:

Section:

- Form 990 or 990-EZ [x] 501(c)( 3 ) (enter number) organization [ ] 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation [ ] 527 political organization Form 990-PF [ ] 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation [ ] 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation [ ] 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the General Rule or a Special Rule. Note. Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule See instructions

General Rule

- [x] For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or other property) from any one contributor Complete Parts I and II See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions

Special Rules

- [ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1 Complete Parts I and II [ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals Complete Parts I, II, and III [ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions exclusively for religious, charitable, etc , purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000 If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc , purpose Do not complete any of the parts unless the General Rule applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc , contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year . . . . . [ ] \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Caution. An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it must answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

**Name of organization**  
THE SERIS FOUNDATION

**Employer identification number**  
13-3969875

<b>Part I Contributors</b> (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	SHIMON LEFKOWITZ 3333 HENRY HUDSON PKWY RIVERDALE, NY 10463	\$ 150,568	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions )
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions )
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**Name of organization**  
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**Part II** **Noncash Property**  
(see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____

**Name of organization**  
THE SERIS FOUNDATION

**Employer identification number**

13-3969875

**Part III** Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
-	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4 _____ _____ ---	Relationship of transferor to transferee _____ _____ _____	
-	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4 _____ _____ ---	Relationship of transferor to transferee _____ _____ _____	
-	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4 _____ _____ ---	Relationship of transferor to transferee _____ _____ _____	
-	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4 _____ _____ ---	Relationship of transferor to transferee _____ _____ _____	