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Return of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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2016

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For calendar year 2016 or tax year beginning , 2016, and ending

LAU & BEA CHRISTENSEN CHARITABLE FOUNDAT
723 WILDER DRIVE
MADISON, WI 53704

G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity
☐ Final return ☐ Amended return
☐ Address change ☐ Name change

H Check type of organization. ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, column (c), line 16)
▶ \$ 11,405,268.

J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
☐ Other (specify) _____
(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

A Employer identification number
20-8837127

B Telephone number (see instructions)
608 827-6400

C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐

D 1 Foreign organizations, check here ☐
2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐

F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐

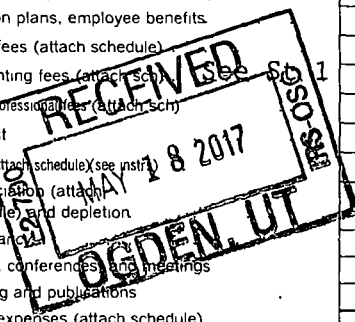
Part I Analysis of Revenue and

Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))

	(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	55,000.			
2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	11,250.	11,250.	11,250.	
4 Dividends and interest from securities	183,696.	183,696.	183,696.	
5a Gross rents				
b Net rental income or (loss)				
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	314,325.			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 918,187.				
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		314,325.		
8 Net short-term capital gain			53,994.	
9 Income modifications				
10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less Cost of goods sold				
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
11 Other income (attach schedule)				
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	564,271.	509,271.	248,940.	
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.			
14 Other employee salaries and wages				
15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	650.		650.	
c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
17 Interest	5,415.	5,415.	5,415.	
18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
20 Occupancy				
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22 Printing and publications				
23 Other expenses (attach schedule)				
See Statement 2	110.	100.	110.	
24 Total operating and administrative expenses Add lines 13 through 23	6,175.	5,515.	6,175.	
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid Part XV	510,424.			510,424.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	516,599.	5,515.	6,175.	510,424.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	47,672.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		503,756.		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			242,765.	

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Part II Balance Sheets		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
A S S E T S	1	Cash — non-interest-bearing	17,810.	63,692.	63,692.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments			
	3	Accounts receivable ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	4	Pledges receivable ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach sch) ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	8	Inventories for sale or use			
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a	Investments — U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b	Investments — corporate stock (attach schedule) Statement 3	7,820,731.	7,718,493.	11,341,576.
	c	Investments — corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11	Investments — land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
L I A B I L I T I E S		Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
	12	Investments — mortgage loans			
	13	Investments — other (attach schedule)			
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
		Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
	15	Other assets (describe ▶)			
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers — see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	7,838,541.	7,782,185.	11,405,268.
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18	Grants payable			
	19	Deferred revenue			
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, & other disqualified persons			
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.	
N E T A S S E T S F U N D B A L A N C E S		Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	24	Unrestricted	7,838,541.	7,782,185.	
	25	Temporarily restricted			
	26	Permanently restricted			
		Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. <input type="checkbox"/>			
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund			
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	7,838,541.	7,782,185.	
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	7,838,541.	7,782,185.	

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1	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)	1	7,838,541.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	47,672.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	7,886,213.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ See Statement 4	5	104,028.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) — Part II, column (b), line 30	6	7,782,185.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shares MLC Company)		(b) How acquired P — Purchase D — Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1 a	10500.655 VANGUARD S	P	Various	3/21/16
b	2932.428 VANGUARD G	P	Various	3/21/16
c	690.012 VANGUARD T	P	Various	3/21/16
d	Capital gain dividends			
e				

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a 554,515.		501,554.	52,961.
b 170,085.		76,899.	93,186.
c 79,975.		25,409.	54,566.
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(i) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
a			52,961.
b			93,186.
c			54,566.
d			113,612.
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss).	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 </div>		2	314,325.
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6)	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 </div>		3	53,994.

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☒ 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 the instructions before making any entries

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2015	454,097.	10,515,558.	0.043183
2014	416,141.	9,827,235.	0.042346
2013	317,834.	7,959,022.	0.039934
2012	254,122.	6,502,162.	0.039083
2011	240,938.	5,567,036.	0.043279

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.207825
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period — divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	0.041565
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2016 from Part X, line 5	4	10,905,970.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	453,307.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	5,038.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	458,345.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	510,424.

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 instructions)

1 a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 'N/A' on line 1 Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary – see instructions)			
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	5,038.
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b)			
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		2	0.
3 Add lines 1 and 2		3	5,038.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		4	0.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-		5	5,038.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2016 estimated tax pmts and 2015 overpayment credited to 2016	6 a	5,440.	
b Exempt foreign organizations – tax withheld at source	6 b		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6 c		
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6 d		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	5,440.	
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	17.	
9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	0.	
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	385.	
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2017 estimated tax	11	0.	

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1 a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for the definition)?		X
If the answer is 'Yes' to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities		
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of the activities		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4 a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If 'Yes,' has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		N/A
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If 'Yes,' attach the statement required by General Instruction T		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?		X
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If 'Yes,' complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV	X	
8 a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) N/A		
b If the answer is 'Yes' to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If 'No,' attach explanation	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2016 or the taxable year beginning in 2016 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If 'Yes,' complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If 'Yes,' attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

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Part VII-A	Statements Regarding Activities <i>(continued)</i>
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11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity at the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' attach schedule (see instructions)	11	Yes	No
12	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)	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ N/A	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ▶ <u>CHRISTOPHER BUGG</u> Telephone no ▶ <u>608 827-6400</u> Located at ▶ <u>701 DEMING WAY SUITE 100 MADISON WI</u> ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>53717-2916</u>			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 – Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>	
16	At any time during calendar year 2016, 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?	16	Yes	No
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country ▶				X

Part VII-B	Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required
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File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the 'Yes' column, unless an exception applies.

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the 'Yes' column, unless an exception applies.		Yes	No
1 a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)			
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2) 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		
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(5) 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		
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. 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 If any answer is 'Yes' to 1a(1)–(6), did any 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"/>	1 b	N/A
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here	<input type="checkbox"/>		
c 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 2016?		1 c	X
2 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)).			
a At the end of tax year 2016, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2016?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
If 'Yes,' list the years ▶ 20 <u>15</u> , 20 <u> </u> , 20 <u> </u> , 20 <u> </u>			
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not 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 all years listed, answer 'No' and attach statement – see instructions)		2 b	X
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here			
▶ 20 <u> </u> , 20 <u> </u> , 20 <u> </u> , 20 <u> </u>			
3 a 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 If 'Yes,' did it have excess business holdings in 2016 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969, (2) 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 (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2016.)		3 b	N/A
4 a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?		4 a	X
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 2016?		4 b	X

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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)?

5b N/A

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

☐**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?N/A ☐ 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?

6b X

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?

N/A

7b

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	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
LAURITS R. CHRISTENSEN 723 WILDER DRIVE MADISON, WI 53704	Director 0	0.	0.	0.
SCOTT CHRISTENSEN 5118 REYNOLDS AVENUE WAUNAKEE, WI 53597	Director 0	0.	0.	0.
CHRISTOPHER BUGG 701 DEMING WAY, SUITE 100 MADISON, WI, WI 53717	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	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
None				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000

0

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
None		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services		0

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 N/A	
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 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	0.

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Part X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1 Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a Average monthly fair market value of securities	1 a	11,166,487.
b Average of monthly cash balances	1 b	-94,436.
c Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1 c	
d Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1 d	11,072,051.
e Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1 e	0.
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	11,072,051.
4 Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	166,081.
5 Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	10,905,970.
6 Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	545,299.

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.)

1 Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	545,299.
2 a Tax on investment income for 2016 from Part VI, line 5	2 a	5,038.
b Income tax for 2016 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2 b	
c Add lines 2a and 2b	2 c	5,038.
3 Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	540,261.
4 Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5 Add lines 3 and 4	5	540,261.
6 Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7 Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	540,261.

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1 Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. — total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1 a	510,424.
b Program-related investments — total from Part IX-B	1 b	
2 Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3 Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3 a	
b Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3 b	
4 Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	510,424.
5 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)	5	5,038.
6 Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	505,386.

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 2015	(c) 2015	(d) 2016
1 Distributable amount for 2016 from Part XI, line 7				540,261.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2016:				
a Enter amount for 2015 only			518,553.	
b Total for prior years 20 __, 20 __, 20 __		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2016:				
a From 2011				
b From 2012				
c From 2013				
d From 2014				
e From 2015				
f Total of lines 3a through e	0.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2016 from Part XII, line 4. ▶ \$ 510,424.				
a Applied to 2015, but not more than line 2a			510,424.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required — see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required — see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2016 distributable amount				0.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2016 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	0.			0.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	0.			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
c 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		0.		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount — see instructions.		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2015 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount — see instructions.			8,129.	
f Undistributed income for 2016 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2017				540,261.
7 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)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2011 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2017. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2012				
b Excess from 2013				
c Excess from 2014				
d Excess from 2015				
e Excess from 2016				

N/A

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

b 85% of line 2a

c Qualifying distributions from Part XII,
line 4 for each year listed

d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities

e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities
Subtract line 2d from line 2c

3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon.

a 'Assets' alternative test – enter

(1) Value of all assets

(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)

b 'Endowment' alternative test — enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed

c 'Support' alternative test – enter:

(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)

(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(i)(3)(B)(iii)

(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization

(4) Gross investment income

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).)

None

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

None

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 e-mail address of the person to whom applications should be addressed

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

c Any submission deadlines

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 Name and address (home or business)	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
a Paid during the year See Statement 5				
Total			3 a	510,424.
b Approved for future payment				
Total			3 b	

Part XVI-A	Analysis of Income-Producing Activities
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Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See instructions.)
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclu- sion code	(d) Amount	
1 Program service revenue:					
a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
f _____					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments					11,250.
4 Dividends and interest from securities					183,696.
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a Debt-financed property					
b Not debt-financed property					
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
7 Other investment income					
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					314,325.
9 Net income or (loss) from special events					
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
11 Other revenue					
a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
12 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)					509,271.
13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)				13	509,271.

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations)

Part XVI-B	Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes
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Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

► **Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.**

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

OMB No 1545-0047

2016

Name of the organization

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Employer identification number

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Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

Section:

- ☐ 501(c)() (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

- ☒ 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 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. Don't 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 isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't 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 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

BAA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

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Part I Contributors (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	LAURITS CHRISTENSEN 125 N. HAMILTON STREET MADISON, WI 53703	\$ 55,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
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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
	N/A		
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	

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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.) ▶ \$ _____ N/A

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
	N/A		
	<div style="text-align: center;">(e) Transfer of gift</div> <div> <div>Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4</div> <div>Relationship of transferor to transferee</div> </div>		
	<div style="text-align: center;">(e) Transfer of gift</div> <div> <div>Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4</div> <div>Relationship of transferor to transferee</div> </div>		
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Statement 1
Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16b
Accounting Fees

	(a) Expenses per Books	(b) Net Investment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charitable Purposes
TAX PREPARATION	\$ 650.		\$ 650.	
Total	<u>\$ 650.</u>	<u>\$ 0.</u>	<u>\$ 650.</u>	<u>\$ 0.</u>

Statement 2
Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 23
Other Expenses

	(a) Expenses per Books	(b) Net Investment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charitable Purposes
BROKERAGE FEES	\$ 100.	\$ 100.	\$ 100.	
WISCONSIN LICENSE	10.		10.	
Total	<u>\$ 110.</u>	<u>\$ 100.</u>	<u>\$ 110.</u>	<u>\$ 0.</u>

Statement 3
Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10b
Investments - Corporate Stocks

Corporate Stocks	Valuation Method	Book Value	Fair Market Value
AMERICAN EUROPACIFIC GROWTH CLASS C	Cost	\$ 157,841.	\$ 149,525.
FIRST EAGLE OVERSEAS CLASS C	Cost	360,295.	371,954.
VANGUARD 500 INDEX SIGNAL SHS	Cost	424,138.	1,547,925.
VANGUARD DEVELOPED MRKTS INDEX	Cost	348,728.	322,116.
VANGUARD GROWTH INDEX	Cost	0.	0.
VANGUARD TAX MANAGED CAP APPREC	Cost	929,646.	1,892,965.
VANGUARD VALUE INDEX	Cost	232,260.	459,027.
VANGUARD EXTENDED MARKET INDEX TRUST	Cost	237,951.	698,349.
VANGUARD INDEX FDS VANGUARD GROWTH	Cost	178,319.	537,891.
VANGUARD INTL EQUITY INDEX FUNDS	Cost	348,960.	375,690.
AMERICAN NEW WORLD FUND	Cost	656,751.	589,701.
AMERICAN WASHINGTON MUTUAL INVESTORS	Cost	493,508.	662,340.
FIRST EAGLE GLOBAL	Cost	473,128.	525,096.
FRANKLIN BALANCE SHEET	Cost	609,867.	489,283.
TEMPLETON FRONTIER MARKETS FUND	Cost	673,026.	441,470.
AMERICAN CAPITAL WORLD GRTH & INCOME	Cost	644,531.	817,080.
AMERICAN EUROPACIFIC GROWTH CLASS F1	Cost	73,254.	128,222.
FRONTIER TIMPANI SM CAP	Cost	204,172.	199,241.
VANGUARD MID CAP INDEX INVESTOR	Cost	169,609.	566,874.
VANGUARD TOTAL STOCKMARKET INDEX	Cost	502,509.	566,827.
Total		<u>\$ 7,718,493.</u>	<u>\$ 11,341,576.</u>

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Statement 4
Form 990-PF, Part III, Line 5
Other Decreases

REINVESTED SALES PROCEEDS	\$	98,588.
TAX PAYMENTS		5,440.
Total	\$	<u>104,028.</u>

Statement 5
Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a
Recipient Paid During the Year

Name and Address	Donee Relationship	Found- ation Status	Purpose of Grant	Amount
NATURAL RESOURCES FOUNDATION PO BOX 2317 MADISON WI 53701	NONE		DONATION	\$ 1,500.
FRIENDS OF WHA TV 821 UNIVERSITY AVENUE MADISON WI 53726	NONE		DONATION	3,000.
CHILDREN'S THEATER OF MADISON 228 STATE STREET MADISON WI 53703	NONE		DONATION	10,000.
OPERA FOR THE YOUNG 6441 ENTERPRISE LANE MADISON WI 53719	NONE		DONATION	2,700.
CORNELL ANNUAL FUND 130 EAST SENECA STREET ITHACA NY 14850	NONE		DONATION	147,724.
PORCHLIGHT 306 N. BROOKS STREET MADISON WI 53715	NONE		DONATION	10,000.
YWCA OF MADISON 101 E. MIFFLIN MADISON WI 53703	NONE		DONATION	10,000.
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN FOUNDATION 1848 UNIVERSITY AVENUE MADISON WI 53726	NONE		DONATION	92,000.
PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF WISCONSIN 302 N. JACKSON STREET MILWAUKEE WI 53202	NONE		DONATION	100,000.

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Statement 5 (continued)
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Recipient Paid During the Year

<u>Name and Address</u>	<u>Donee Relationship</u>	<u>Found- ation Status</u>	<u>Purpose of Grant</u>	<u>Amount</u>
DRIFTLESS AREA LAND CONSERVATION 338 NORTH IOWA STREET DODGEVILLE WI 53533	NONE		DONATION	\$ 10,000.
MADISON COLLEGE FOUNDATION 3513 ANDERSON STREET MADISON WI 53704	NONE		DONATION	5,000.
NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION 777 6TH STREET NW, 700 WASHINGTON DC 20001	NONE		DONATION	1,000.
NATURAL HERITAGE LAND TRUST 303 S PATERSON STREET MADISON WI 53703	NONE		DONATION	500.
UNITED WAY OF DANE COUNTY 2059 ATWOOD AVENUE MADISON WI 53707	NONE		DONATION	20,000.
WAVE EDUCATION FUND PO BOX 170393 MILWAUKEE WI 53217	NONE		DONATION	5,000.
CLOUD FOREST SCHOOL FOUNDATION PO BOX 3223 SEWANEE TN 37375	NONE		DONATION	5,000.
DAIS PO BOX 1761 MADISON WI 53701	NONE		DONATION	10,000.
ALDO LEOPOLD FOUNDATION E13701 LEVEE ROAD BARABOO WI 53913	NONE		DONATION	1,000.
INTERNATIONAL PLANNED PARENTHOOD 4 NEWHAMS ROW LONDON SE1 3UZ United Kingdom	NONE		DONATION	15,000.
WAISMAN CENTER 1500 HIGHLAND AVENUE MADISON WI 53705	NONE		DONATION	2,000.
TRIANGLE COMMUNITY MINISTRY 755 BRAXTON PLACE, B101 MADISON WI 53715	NONE		DONATION	3,000.

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Statement 5 (continued)
Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a
Recipient Paid During the Year

<u>Name and Address</u>	<u>Donee Relationship</u>	<u>Found- ation Status</u>	<u>Purpose of Grant</u>	<u>Amount</u>
MADISON OPERA 333 GLENWAY STREET MADISON WI 53705	NONE		DONATION	\$ 10,000.
OVERTURE CENTER 201 STATE STREET MADISON WI 53703	NONE		DONATION	10,000.
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY 1014 FIEDLER LANE #29 MADISON WI 53713	NONE		DONATION	10,000.
MADISON PARKS FOUNDATION 1402 WINGRA CREEK PARKWAY MADISON WI 53715	NONE		DONATION	1,000.
LITERACY NETWORK 1118 S PARK STREET MADISON WI 53715	NONE		DONATION	10,000.
LAKEWIEW LUTHERAN CHURCH 4001 Mandrake Rd MADISON WI 53704	NONE		DONATION	5,000.
HOUSONG INITIATIVES 1110 Ruskin St MADISON WI 53704	NONE		SHELTER	10,000.
Total				\$ 510,424.