

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Return of Private Foundation**
or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.
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OMB No. 1545-0052

2016

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2016 or tax year beginning

, 2016, and ending

, 20

Name of foundation

The Credence Foundation

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)

Room/suite

P. O. Box 423

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code

Edmond, OK 73083-0423

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, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ **1,225,975**
J Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
☐ Other (specify) _____
(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

A Employer identification number**27-2931971****B** Telephone number (see instructions)**(405) 823-7249****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 N/A	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue				
1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	21,418			
2 Check ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	13	13		STMT 1
4 Dividends and interest from securities	21,295	21,295		STMT 2
5a Gross rents				
b Net rental income or (loss)				
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	(18,074)			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 435,315				
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0		
8 Net short-term capital gain				
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	24,652	21,308		
Operating and Administrative Expenses				
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	0	0		0
14 Other employee salaries and wages				
15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
b Accounting fees (attach schedule)				
c Other professional fees (attach schedule) STMT 3	2,896	0		0
17 Interest				
18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) STMT 4	1,200	0		0
19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
20 Occupancy				
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22 Printing and publications				
23 Other expenses (attach schedule) STMT 5	189	0		0
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	4,285	0		0
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	91,224			91,224
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	95,509	0		91,224
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	(70,857)			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		21,308		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A	

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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 (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value (c) Fair Market Value	
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing			
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	162,715	100,099	100,099
	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 schedule) ▶			
	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) . . . STMT 6	267,967	553,534	689,178
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule) . . . STMT 7	129,988	228,716	226,482
	11 Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶				
12 Investments—mortgage loans				
13 Investments—other (attach schedule) STMT 8	542,359	142,359	210,216	
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)	1,103,029	1,024,708	1,225,975	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and 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	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0	0	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0	0	
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	1,103,029	1,024,708	
	30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	1,103,029	1,024,708	
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	1,103,029	1,024,708		

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	1,103,029
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	(70,857)
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ STMT 9	3	5,633
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,037,805
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ STMT 10	5	13,097
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	1,024,708

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 shs MLC Co)		(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo, day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo, day, yr.)
1a Publicly traded securities				
b Capital gain distributions				
c				
d				
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 435,289		453,389	(18,100)	
b 26			26	
c				
d				
e				
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69				
(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	(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))	
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }			2	(18,074)
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8			3	(3,148)

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.

(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	73,530	1,265,073	.058123
2014	72,009	1,349,872	.053345
2013	51,628	1,233,016	.041871
2012	34,118	1,068,226	.031939
2011	15,555	1,006,511	.015454
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2 .200732
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 .040146
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2016 from Part X, line 5			4 1,175,181
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5 47,179
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6 213
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7 47,392
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 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.			8 91,224

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

1a	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		213
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		213
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		213
6	Credits/Payments:			
a	2016 estimated tax payments and 2015 overpayment credited to 2016	6a		1,200
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7		1,200
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8		
9	Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9		
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10		987
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2017 estimated tax 987 Refunded	11		0

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a 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?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for the definition)? <i>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.</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. \$ _____ (2) On foundation managers. \$ _____		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. \$ _____		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) Oklahoma		
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? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

	Yes	No
11 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)	11	✓
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	✓
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ N/A	13	✓
14 The books are in care of ▶ Terrence L. Ruder Telephone no. ▶ (405) 823-7249		
Located at ▶ P. O. Box 423, Edmond, OK ZIP+4 ▶ 73083-0423		
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041—Check here. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year ▶ 15 N/A		
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	✓
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶		

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.**

	Yes	No
1a 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)? N/A	1b	
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?	1c	✓
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 type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20 , 20 , 20 , 20		
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.) N/A	2b	
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 , 20 , 20 , 20		
3a 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.) N/A	3b	
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	✓
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?	4b	✓

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 **5b**

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ☐ **5b**

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 **5b**

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 **6b**

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? ☐ Yes ☒ No **6b** ✓

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 **7b**

b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? ☐ Yes ☒ No **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
Cynthia L. Ruder P. O. Box 423, Edmond, OK 73083	President 11.7	0	0	0
Terrence L. Ruder P. O. Box 423, Edmond, OK 73083	Secretary/ Treasurer 15.1	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

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	1a	1,059,699
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	133,378
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	1,193,077
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	1,193,077
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1½% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	17,896
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1,175,181
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	58,759

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	58,759
2a	Tax on investment income for 2016 from Part VI, line 5	2a	213
b	Income tax for 2016. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	0
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	213
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	58,546
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	58,546
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	58,546

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	1a	91,224
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B	1b	0
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)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	91,224
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	213
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	91,011

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				58,546
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2016:				
a Enter amount for 2015 only			41,646	
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: ► \$ 91,224				
a Applied to 2015, but not more than line 2a			41,646	
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				49,578
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			0	
f Undistributed income for 2016. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2017				8,968
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				

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

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2016, enter the date of the ruling ▶

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

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2016	(b) 2015	(c) 2014	(d) 2013	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
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 $\frac{2}{3}$ 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(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation 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).)

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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 ATTACHMENT I (Continuation Sheets)				
Total			3a	91,224
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total			3b	0

Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

- | | | Yes | No |
|----------|--|--------------|----|
| 1 | Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations? | | |
| a | Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of: | | |
| | (1) Cash | 1a(1) | ✓ |
| | (2) Other assets | 1a(2) | ✓ |
| b | Other transactions: | | |
| | (1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization | 1b(1) | ✓ |
| | (2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization | 1b(2) | ✓ |
| | (3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets | 1b(3) | ✓ |
| | (4) Reimbursement arrangements | 1b(4) | ✓ |
| | (5) Loans or loan guarantees | 1b(5) | ✓ |
| | (6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations | 1b(6) | ✓ |
| c | Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees | 1c | ✓ |
| d | If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received. | | |


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- 2a** Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

**Sign
Here**

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 taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.


Signature of officer or trustee

5/8/17
Date

Secretary/Treasurer
Title

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

**Paid
Preparer
Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name

Preparer's signature

Date _____

Check ☐ if self-employed

PTIN

Firm's name ▶

Firm's EIN ►

Firm's address ►

Phone no

Part XV Supplemental Information**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)**

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)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
Gina Alexander 731 City Avenue, Apt 38 Moore, OK 73160	None	N/A	Payments for housing and auto	939.00
Brenda Andrade 1015 Chowning Ave, Apt B-201 Edmond, OK 73034	None	N/A	Payment for housing	315.00
Ron Baker 3213 West Main Street, Ste 323 Rapid City, SD 57702	None	N/A	Payments for housing	840.00
Miesha Benson 1701 NW 46th Street, Apt 330 Oklahoma City, OK 73118	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	899.30
Emily Borchardt 18001 Highland Park Rd, Apt 713 Edmond, OK 73012	None	N/A	Payments for housing and auto	2,574.66
Antionette Bruner 817 SW 64th Street, Apt 28 Oklahoma City, OK 73139	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	136.45
Carla Burton 2810 Dorchester Drive, Apt 40 Oklahoma City, OK 73120	None	N/A	Payment for housing	1,050.00
Stacy Campbell 108 S 6th Street Yukon, OK 73099	None	N/A	Payment for housing	905.00
Brenda Childers 7556 NW 10th Street, Apt 3 Oklahoma City, OK 73127	None	N/A	Payments for housing, utilities and auto	577.93
Steven Childers 1454 24th Avenue SE Norman, OK 73071	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	612.94
William Colcord 3205 S Madole Blvd Oklahoma City, OK 73159	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	202.14

Part XV Supplemental Information**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)**

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)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
Angela Cunningham 2301 NW 17th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73107	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	745.59
Stephanie Douglas 4424 NW 19th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73107	None	N/A	Payments for housing, utilities and auto	1,717.47
Sarah Dunaway 2757 Pembroke Terrace Oklahoma City, OK 73116	None	N/A	Payment for housing	175.00
Mary Mychelle Eades 2724 NW 13th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73107	None	N/A	Payments for utilities and auto	1,239.46
Charles Ellison 5548 S Walker Ave, Apt 233 Oklahoma City, OK 73109	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	526.14
Danita Freeman 1346 SW 74th Street, Apt 103 Oklahoma City, OK 73159	None	N/A	Payments for utilities	751.79
Laura Garcia 5405 S Youngs Blvd Oklahoma City, OK 73119	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	1,678.44
Leonard Gomes 3236 NW 50th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73112	None	N/A	Payment for housing	2,400.00
Felicia Hardrick 704 Camelot Drive Moore, OK 73160	None	N/A	Payment for auto	316.51
Brittnie Harrison 1404 NE 46th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73111	None	N/A	Payments for utilities	505.65
Katherine Heady 3033 N Grand Blvd, Apt 47 Oklahoma City, OK 73107	None	N/A	Payment for housing	613.33

Part XV Supplemental Information**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)**

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)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
David Hernandez 2029 Summer Way Lane Edmond, OK 73013	None	N/A	Payment for dental care	116.00
Shaunda Hill 1012 Johnson Ave NW Piedmont, OK 73078	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	823.18
Delisha Holloway 9228 N MacArthur Blvd, Apt D Oklahoma City, OK 73132	None	N/A	Payment for housing	400.00
Araceli Hurtado 2729 SW 61st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73159	None	N/A	Payment for housing	700.00
Tahkesha Jones 1328 McDonald Drive Midwest City, OK 73130	None	N/A	Payments for utilities, household items, auto and clothing	747.27
Aaron Joy 3521 N Service Road, Apt 163 Moore, OK 73160	None	N/A	Payment for housing	2,045.00
Kerensa Keita 12821 Stratford Drive, Apt 107 Oklahoma City, OK 73120	None	N/A	Payment for housing	545.00
Charles Kidson 3401 N Service Road, Apt 201 Moore, OK 73160	None	N/A	Payment for housing	1,935.00
Dami Kim 112 E 10th Street Edmond, OK 73034	None	N/A	Payments for housing and household goods	912.39
Chris, Klasek 7501 S Sherwood Ave, Apt 36 Oklahoma City, OK 73159	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	362.33
Lisa Long 501 W 15th Street, Apt 87 Edmond, OK 73013	None	N/A	Payments for housing and insurance	607.00

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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)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
Nancy Martin 1105 SW 102nd Street Oklahoma City, OK 73139	None	N/A	Payments for utilities	844.38
Micah McGeisey 1538 Briar Meadow Road Norman, OK 73071	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	1,200.64
Jessica McGlughtrich 715 City Avenue, Apt 6 Moore, OK 73160	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	840.00
Alyssa Mendez 3401 N Service Road, Apt 102 Moore, OK 73160	None	N/A	Payment for housing	274.79
Stacy Morgan 316 NW 118th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73114	None	N/A	Payments for utilities	653.38
Charles Nestell 4018 N Meridian Ave, Apt B6 Oklahoma City, OK 73112	None	N/A	Payment for housing	495.00
Demita Newman 2441 NE 10th Street, Apt 2 Oklahoma City, OK 73117	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	288.84
Betty Nicholson 2505 NW 117th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73120	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	4,446.99
Marleah Nuss 1300 E Ayers, Apt 357 Edmond, OK 73034	None	N/A	Payment for housing	335.00
Roger Oliver 12301 N MacArthur, Apt 313 Oklahoma City, OK 73142	None	N/A	Payment for housing	1,574.00
Francelia Proctor 913 SW 16th Street Moore, OK 73160	None	N/A	Payment for housing	2,973.68

Part XV Supplemental Information**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)**

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	
Name and address (home or business)				Amount
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
Laurel Reynolds 820 NW 46th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73118	None	N/A	Payment for housing	703.96
Rhianna Rhodes-Barrios 1213 Northridge Road Moore, OK 73160	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	4,483.08
Gabrielle Riggall 4016 N Meridian Ave, Apt B3 Oklahoma City, OK 73112	None	N/A	Payment for housing	572.94
Tessa Seales 1102 Dustin Drive Edmond, OK 73003	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	2,822.75
Amanda Smith 421 NW 89th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73114	None	N/A	Payments for utilities	1,522.30
Issachar Smith 6100 MacArthur Park Lane, Apt 2005 Oklahoma City, OK 73127	None	N/A	Payment for housing	297.50
Mark Smith 1504 N Pennsylvania Ave Oklahoma City, OK 73107	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	2,404.80
Misshay Smith 4109 Cove Drive Yukon, OK 73099	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	1,316.78
Tisa Smith 501 Holly Hill Road Edmond, OK 73003	None	N/A	Payments for utilities	555.92
Terry Sparks 7145 Melrose Lane, Apt 22 Oklahoma City, OK 73127	None	N/A	Payment for housing	235.00
Eddie Tatum 19360 Imhoff Road Norman, OK 73026	None	N/A	Payments for housing and auto	1,449.53

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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)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
Karol Tepe 4731 NW 24th Street, Apt 128-N Oklahoma City, OK 73127	None	N/A	Payment for housing	569.00
Jessica Thompson 4204 Athens Ave, Apt 16E Oklahoma City, OK 73107	None	N/A	Payment for housing	580.35
Alisha Valles 4401 NW 39th Street, Apt 112 Oklahoma City, OK 73112	None	N/A	Payment for housing	578.91
Linda Valles 3145 NW 24th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73107	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	171.40
Sheena Viewins 12315-A Indian Creek Blvd Oklahoma City, OK 73120	None	N/A	Payment for housing	2,062.00
Rikeshia Vinson 1516 NE 43rd Street Oklahoma City, OK 73111	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	221.06
Richard Wagoner 1921 Creek Ridge Drive Oklahoma City, OK 73141	None	N/A	Payments for housing and utilities	2,117.77
Lacrecia Wilkins 6618 NW 10th Street, Apt B Oklahoma City, OK 73127	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	541.15
Brittney Williams 9613 NE 3rd Street Midwest City, OK 73130	None	N/A	Payments for housing and auto	685.00
Sarah Wood 319 Russell Drive Midwest City, OK 73110	None	N/A	Payment for utilities	413.81
Betty Wooden 209 NW 92nd Street Oklahoma City, OK 73114	None	N/A	Payments for utilities	932.91

Part XV Supplemental Information**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)**

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)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
Breona Wright 4016 N Meridian Ave, Apt B-22 Oklahoma City, OK 73112	None	N/A	Payments for housing	575.00
Lakeisha Young 9701 N McKinley Ave Oklahoma City, OK 73114	None	N/A	Payment for housing	1,100.00
Catherine's House Inc. P.O. Box 1633 Belmont, NC 28012	N/A	PC	Provide funds for transitional housing for homeless women and children	1,000.00
Catholic Charities 1232 N. Classen Blvd. Oklahoma City, OK 73106	N/A	PC	Provide funds to support services provided to the poor and needy	2,500.00
Catholic Relief Services 228 W. Lexington Street Baltimore, MD 21201	N/A	PC	Provide funds to support services provided to impoverished and disadvantaged people	2,000.00
Center of Family Love P. O. Box 245 Okarche, OK 73762	N/A	PC	Provide funds to house and care for developmentally challenged adults	1,000.00
Cross Catholic Outreach P. O. Box 273908 Boca Raton, FL 33427	N/A	PC	Provide funds to feed, clothe and house impoverished families	9,969.00
Ministries of Jesus 1100 E I-35 Frontage Road Edmond, OK 73034	N/A	PC	Provide medical and dental services for indigent families	2,500.00
Oklahoma Brain Tumor Foundation 4024 N Lincoln Blvd, Suite 220 Oklahoma City, OK 73105	N/A	PC	Provide funds to assist brain tumor victims	2,000.00
Suited for Success 4149 Highline Blvd. Suite 370 Oklahoma City, OK 73108	N/A	PC	Provide funds for clothing for low- income women seeking employment	500.00
Total from continuation sheets				91,224

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, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

OMB No 1545-0047

2016**Name of the organization**

The Credence Foundation

Employer identification number

27-2931971

Organization type (check one):**Filers of:****Section:**

Form 990 or 990-EZ

☐ 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 foundationCheck 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 $\frac{1}{3}$ % 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).

Name of organization The Credence Foundation	Employer identification number 27-2931971
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Part I Contributors (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	Terrence L. Ruder Revocable Trust 3700 Redmont Trace Edmond, OK 73034-4088	\$ 18,068	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" 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.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

Name of organization

Employer identification number

The Credence Foundation

27-2931971

Part II **Noncash Property** (See instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

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Name of organization The Credence Foundation	Employer identification number 27-2931971
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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
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(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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Form 990-PF (2016) Interest on savings and temporary cash investments
Statement 1

<u>Source</u>	(a) Revenue Per Books	(b) Net Investment Income
Merrill Lynch	13	13
To Part I, Line 3	13	13

Form 990-PF (2016) Dividends and interest from securities
Statement 2

<u>Source</u>	Gross Amount	Capital Gain Dividends	(a) Revenue Per Books	(b) Net Investment Income
Merrill Lynch (dividends and interest)	22,251	26	22,225	22,225
Merrill Lynch (accrued paid interest)	-930		-930	-930
To Part I, Line 4	21,321	26	21,295	21,295

Form 990-PF (2016) Other professional fees (Investment advisory fees)
Statement 3

<u>Source</u>	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Investment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) For Charitable Purposes
Merrill Lynch	2,896	0		0
To Part I, Line 16c	2,896	0	N/A	0

Form 990-PF (2016) Taxes (Excise taxes)
Statement 4

<u>Source</u>	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Investment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) For Charitable Purposes
2016 Form 990-W estimated tax payments	518	0		0
2015 990-PF overpayment credited to 2016	682	0		0
To Part I, Line 18	1,200	0	N/A	0

Form 990-PF (2016) Other expenses
Statement 5

<u>Description</u>	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Investment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) For Charitable Purposes
Postage	70	0		0
Post office box rental	86	0		0
Office supplies	19	0		0
Photocopying	14	0		0
To Part I, Line 23	189	0	N/A	0

Form 990-PF (2016) Investments - corporate stock
Statement 6

<u>Source</u>	<u>Stocks</u>	<u>Valuation</u> <u>Method</u>	<u>End of Year</u> <u>(b) Book Value</u>	<u>End of Year</u> <u>(c) FMV</u>
Merrill Lynch	BHP Billiton	Cost	9,837	62,257
Merrill Lynch	Devon Energy	Cost	17,425	45,670
Merrill Lynch	Duke Energy	Cost	18,996	32,600
Merrill Lynch	Pfizer	Cost	9,711	20,232
Merrill Lynch	Bank of America	Cost	8,210	17,680
Merrill Lynch	London Equity Fund	Cost	217,732	237,333
Merrill Lynch	Bahl & Gaynor Equity Fund	Cost	271,623	273,406
To Part II, Line 10b			553,534	689,178

Form 990-PF (2016) Investments - corporate bonds
Statement 7

<u>Source</u>	<u>Bonds</u>	<u>Valuation</u> <u>Method</u>	<u>End of Year</u> <u>(b) Book Value</u>	<u>End of Year</u> <u>(c) FMV</u>
Merrill Lynch	Bunge Ltd Finance	Cost	25,308	25,446
Merrill Lynch	Computer Sciences	Cost	25,643	25,885
Merrill Lynch	Kohl's	Cost	26,109	25,943
Merrill Lynch	Macys	Cost	25,345	25,606
Merrill Lynch	Viacom	Cost	25,005	25,020
Merrill Lynch	HCP	Cost	25,361	25,444
Merrill Lynch	Borgwarner	Cost	24,293	24,573
Merrill Lynch	Deutsche Bank	Cost	26,167	24,620
Merrill Lynch	American Fin. Group	Cost	25,485	23,945
To Part II, Line 10c			228,716	226,482

Form 990-PF (2016) Investments - other
Statement 8

<u>Source</u>	<u>Mutual Funds</u>	<u>Valuation</u> <u>Method</u>	<u>End of Year</u> <u>(b) Book Value</u>	<u>End of Year</u> <u>(c) FMV</u>
Merrill Lynch	Guggenheim S&P 500	Cost	41,234	79,392
Merrill Lynch	Wisdom Tree Sm Cap	Cost	41,228	74,448
Merrill Lynch	Goldman Sachs MLP	Cost	59,898	56,376
To Part II, Line 13			142,359	210,216

Form 990-PF (2016) Other increases in net assets or fund balances
Statement 9

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Contributions received and accounted for in Dec but not settled by the bank until Jan	150
Difference between all dividends, distributions & interest received and taxable dividends & interest received	5,363
Difference between calculated annual bond premium amortization and actual bond premium amortized	116
Impact of all rounding	4
To Part III, Line 3	5,633

Form 990-PF (2016) Other decreases in net assets or fund balances		Statement 10
<u>Description</u>		<u>Amount</u>
Difference between FMV of noncash contribution received and actual book value of contribution		9,858
Overpayment of 2015 excise tax credited to 2016 estimated tax		682
Grants paid with credit card and accounted for in Dec but not settled by the bank until Jan		2,457
Correction to London Equity Fund cost basis		100
To Part III, Line 5		13,097