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Form 990

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047

2016

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Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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A For the 2016 calendar year, or tax year beginning 06-01-2016 , and ending 05-31-2017

B Check if applicable

☐ Address change

☐ Name change

☐ Initial return

Final

☐ Return/terminated

☐ Amended return

☐ Application pending

C Name of organization

BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY

Doing business as

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

2001 NEWBURG ROAD

Room/suite

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

LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

F Name and address of principal officer

ROBERT L ZIMLICH

2001 NEWBURG ROAD

LOUISVILLE, KY 40205

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates?

☐ Yes ☒ No

H(b) Are all subordinates included?

☐ Yes ☐ No

H(c) Group exemption number ▶

I Tax-exempt status

☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () ◀(insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

J Website: ▶

WWW.BELLARMINE.EDU

K Form of organization

☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶

L Year of formation

1950

M State of legal domicile

KY

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities

POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION

2 Check this box ▶ ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets

3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)

33

4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)

33

5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2016 (Part V, line 2a)

1,866

6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)

394

7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12

0

7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34

-16,819

Revenue

8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)

12,908,034

9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)

119,721,953

10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)

2,752,779

11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)

1,157,755

12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)

136,540,521

Expenses

13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)

51,186,314

14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)

0

15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)

49,395,268

16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)

0

b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶

2,321,950

17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)

26,924,067

18 Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)

127,505,649

19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12

9,034,872

Net Assets or Fund Balances

20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)

215,614,439

21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)

88,884,132

22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20

126,730,307

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here

Signature of officer

ROBERT L ZIMLICH VP FOR ADMIN & FINANCE

2018-03-19

Date

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name

Firm's name ▶

Firm's address ▶

Preparer's signature

Firm's EIN ▶

Phone no

Date

PTIN

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

☐ Yes ☐ No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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Part III Statement of Program Service AccomplishmentsCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III ☐ ☒**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission

BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY EDUCATES STUDENTS THROUGH UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN THE LIBERAL ARTS AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES THE UNIVERSITY IS AN INDEPENDENT CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY SERVING THE REGION, NATION, AND WORLD THROUGH POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

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

4a	(Code) (Expenses \$	88,947,432	including grants of \$	51,526,062) (Revenue \$	108,855,178)
See Additional Data					

4b	(Code) (Expenses \$	9,248,277	including grants of \$	1,859,690) (Revenue \$	9,205,617)
See Additional Data					

4c	(Code) (Expenses \$	17,904,587	including grants of \$	) (Revenue \$	5,845,251)
See Additional Data					

(Code) (Expenses \$	4,350,785	including grants of \$	) (Revenue \$	1,347,898)
OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES INCLUDE ACADEMIC SUPPORT, LIBRARY AND COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY SERVICES, AND SUPPORT FOR THE ACADEMIC DIVISIONS				

4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)				
	(Expenses \$	4,350,785	including grants of \$	) (Revenue \$	1,347,898)

4e	Total program service expenses ▶	120,451,081
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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

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

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		No
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>		No
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	Yes	
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	Yes	
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>	Yes	
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		No
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		No
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		No
25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		No
b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		No
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		No
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		No
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	Yes	
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		No
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	Yes	
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	Yes	
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		No
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		No
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		No
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		No
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	Yes	
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		No
b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		No
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		No
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	Yes	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax ComplianceCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V ☐

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096 Enter -0- if not applicable	1a	414
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a Enter -0- if not applicable	1b	0
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	Yes
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a	1,866
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)	2b	Yes
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b	
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a	No
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a	No
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b	No
c	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c	
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a	No
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a	Yes
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b	Yes
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c	No
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d	
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e	
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f	
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g	
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h	Yes
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8	
9a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a	
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b	
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a	
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b	
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a	
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)	11b	
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a	
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b	
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O	13a	
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	13b	
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c	
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a	No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b	

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI ☒

Section A. Governing Body and Management

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

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

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

Section C. Disclosure

17 List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed: KY, MA, WA, AK, NH

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.

☐ Own website ☒ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O)

19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.

20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records.
 ▶ ROBERT L ZIMLICH VP FOR ADMIN & FINANCE 2001 NEWBURG ROAD LOUISVILLE, KY 40205 (502) 272-8261

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII ☐

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

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[illegible]

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization ▶ 62

Section B. Independent Contractors

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
SODEXO 2001 NEWBURG RD LOUISVILLE, KY 40205	FOOD SERVICE	4,252,979
MESSER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY 5158 FISHWICK DR CINCINNATI, OH 45216	CONSTRUCTION	3,015,874
DOE-ANDERSON INC 620 W MAIN ST LOUISVILLE, KY 40202	ADVERTISING	1,107,888
FACILITIES MANAGEMENT SERVICES 4400 BISHOP LANE LOUISVILLE, KY 40218	CLEANING SERVICES	1,078,707
ROYALL AND COMPANY 1920 EAST PARHAM ROAD RICHMOND, VA 23228	RECRUITING CONSULTANTS	863,469

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Part VIII Statement of RevenueCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII ☐

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns . . .	1a				
	b Membership dues . . .	1b				
	c Fundraising events . . .	1c	181,093			
	d Related organizations	1d				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e	708,207			
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	4,939,407			
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$		340,893			
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		5,828,707			
Program Service Revenue		Business Code				
	2a TUITION AND FEES	900099	108,855,179	108,855,179		
	b AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES-HOUSING	900099	7,458,680	7,458,680		
	c FOOD REVENUE	900099	1,602,154	1,602,154		
	d CAMPUS STORE	900099	163,136	163,136		
	e MEMBERSHIP DUES	900099	17,872	17,872		
	f All other program service revenue		5,844,952	5,844,952		
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f		123,941,973			
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		1,564,987			1,564,987
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds		15,793			15,793
	5 Royalties					
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real (ii) Personal				
		200,482				
	b Less rental expenses	111,156				
	c Rental income or (loss)	89,326				
	d Net rental income or (loss)		89,326			89,326
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities (ii) Other				
		6,625,073 1,701,020				
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	8,183,580 2,374,611				
	c Gain or (loss)	-1,558,507 -673,591				
	d Net gain or (loss)		-2,232,098			-2,232,098
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 181,093 of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a 310,667				
	b Less direct expenses	b 221,081				
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events		89,586			89,586
	9a Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a 3,099				
	b Less direct expenses	b 1,664				
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities		1,435			1,435
	10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a 23,616				
	b Less cost of goods sold	b 3,293				
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory		20,323	20,323		
Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code					
11a OTHER INCOME	531390	568,725	568,725			
b SPORTS CAMP REVENUE	713990	334,010	334,010			
c ATHLETIC REVENUE	711210	311,644	311,644			
d All other revenue		77,269	77,269			
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d		1,291,648				
12 Total revenue. See Instructions		130,611,680	125,253,944	0	-470,971	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX ☐

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.				
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21.				
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22.	53,385,753	53,385,753		
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, line 15 and 16.				
4 Benefits paid to or for members.				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	1,969,331	719,536	973,261	276,534
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).				
7 Other salaries and wages.	38,612,184	33,110,137	4,392,535	1,109,512
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401 (k) and 403(b) employer contributions).	2,590,197	2,052,574	443,096	94,527
9 Other employee benefits.	6,172,964	4,733,711	1,293,400	145,853
10 Payroll taxes.	2,679,354	2,297,775	305,732	75,847
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management.				
b Legal.	133,904	3,044	130,860	
c Accounting.	67,629		67,629	
d Lobbying.				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.				
f Investment management fees.				
g Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O).	2,678,437	1,908,211	633,935	136,291
12 Advertising and promotion.	1,118,826	1,044,385	53,761	20,680
13 Office expenses.	2,590,992	2,026,063	511,835	53,094
14 Information technology.	1,363,908	657,804	675,284	30,820
15 Royalties.				
16 Occupancy.	1,746,256	1,726,924	19,332	
17 Travel.	1,535,446	1,364,528	123,034	47,884
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	209,525	137,088	58,364	14,073
20 Interest.	3,988,191	3,370,829	617,362	
21 Payments to affiliates.				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.	4,758,331	4,729,154	29,177	
23 Insurance.	452,676	269,681	182,995	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O):				
a OTHER EXPENSES	2,895,574	2,580,811	182,058	132,705
b MEALS	1,355,755	1,010,889	234,374	110,492
c OTHER EXPENSES-PLANT	1,246,086	1,213,898	28,423	3,765
d CLASSROOM EDUCATIONAL S	657,134	651,039	6,095	
e All other expenses	1,452,861	1,457,247	-74,259	69,873
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	133,661,314	120,451,081	10,888,283	2,321,950
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here ☐ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720).				

Part X Balance SheetCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX ☐

				(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing		5,235	1	5,485
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		12,854,086	2	9,725,360
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		8,276,462	3	7,447,255
	4	Accounts receivable, net		2,859,115	4	5,037,135
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L			5	
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L			6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net			7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use		73,431	8	79,051
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		1,226,157	9	1,255,932
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment—cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	192,248,641		
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	64,225,246		
				130,580,368	10c	128,023,395
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		42,300,267	11	51,587,402
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		13,818,886	12	11,239,199
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11			13	
	14	Intangible assets			14	
15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		3,620,432	15	3,807,718	
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)		215,614,439	16	218,207,932	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		5,234,558	17	3,407,575
	18	Grants payable			18	
	19	Deferred revenue		2,736,936	19	4,754,151
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		76,284,450	20	75,051,912
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D			21	
	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L			22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties			23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties			24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D		4,628,188	25	4,958,114
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		88,884,132	26	88,171,752
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.					
	27	Unrestricted net assets		78,637,382	27	81,612,349
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		14,178,307	28	13,850,393
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		33,914,618	29	34,573,438
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.					
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund			31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds			32	
	33	Total net assets or fund balances		126,730,307	33	130,036,180
34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		215,614,439	34	218,207,932	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net AssetsCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI ☐

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	130,611,680
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	133,661,314
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-3,049,634
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	126,730,307
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	6,355,507
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	0
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	130,036,180

Part XII Financial Statements and ReportingCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII ☒

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

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Form 990, Part III, Line 4a:

INSTRUCTION 2650 STUDENTS IN UNDERGRADUATE CLASSES, 1321 STUDENTS IN GRADUATE CLASSES, 899 STUDENTS GRADUATED IN 2016-2017 ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR

Form 990, Part III, Line 4b:

AUXILIARY HOUSING AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES STUDENT HOUSING IS THE MAJOR AUXILIARY ENTERPRISE LIVING QUARTERS WERE PROVIDED TO 1045 STUDENTS IN
THE RESIDENCE HALLS

Form 990, Part III, Line 4c:

STUDENT SERVICES THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS ENCOMPASS THE MAJOR AREAS OF THE UNIVERSITY STUDENT SERVICES DIVISION STUDENT AFFAIRS,
ADMISSIONS AND ENROLLMENT SERVICES, THE OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, HEALTH AND COUNSELING SERVICES, ATHLETICS, RECREATION AND
INTRAMURAL OFFICES

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A)

(B)

(C)

(D)

(E)

(F)

Name and Title	Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
JOSEPH P CLAYTON TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
RUSS COX TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
JAMES R ALLEN TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
JOHN LANSING TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
MICHAEL J MACKIN TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
ERNEST W MARSHALL TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
LIBBYE MONTOMERY TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
WPATRICK MULLOY TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
STEVE TRAGER TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
JOE REAGAN TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
T W SAMUELS TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
LEONARD M SPALDING TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
SR JANET MARIE PETERWORTH OSU TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
DOUG WHYTE TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
ANGELA MASON TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
DONALD BERG TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
MICHAEL MCCALLISTER TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
MARIA GERWING HAMPTON TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
G JESSE FLYNN TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
JOYCE HAGEN TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
WILLIAM E MUDD TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
KATHY DAWLEY TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
CRAIG GRANT TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
BRAD RAY TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
DAVID HEINTZMAN TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
ANGELA SCHMIDT TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
MATT THORNTON TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
GARY ULMER TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
SHARON DES JARLAIS TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0
C EDWARD GLASSCOCK TRUSTEE	2 00	X						0	0	0

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors												
(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)							(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations	
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former					
MICHAEL HOBBS TRUSTEE	2 00	X							0	0	0	
STEPHEN G MULLINS TRUSTEE	2 00	X							0	0	0	
DR MARIAN A SWOPE TRUSTEE	2 00	X							0	0	0	
DORIS TEGART EXECUTIVE VP, INTERIM PRES	40 00			X					314,397	0	35,689	
ROBERT L ZIMLICH VP ADMINISTRATION & FINANC	40 00			X					241,399	0	70,785	
GLENN KOSSE VP DEVELOPMENT & ALUMNI RE	40 00			X					221,893	0	38,668	
HUNT HELM VP COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLIC	40 00			X					184,597	0	19,113	
SEAN RYAN VP ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT	40 00			X					206,993	0	36,340	
CAROLE PFEFFER VP ACADEMIC AFFAIRS	40 00			X					214,796	0	27,429	
HELEN GRACE RYAN VP STUDENT AFFAIRS	40 00			X					152,543	0	15,920	

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors										
(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
DANIEL BAUER FORMER, DEAN OF SCH OF BUS	40 00					X		169,420	0	32,517
ROBERT COOTER DEAN OF SCH OF EDUCATION	40 00					X		172,649	0	23,585
SCOTT DAVENPORT HEAD COACH - MEN'S BASKETB	40 00					X		239,168	0	27,724
ZAIN KHANDWALA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - ADVAN	40 00					X		203,750	0	22,141
ROBERT BROWN DEAN OF SCH OF BUS	40 00					X		200,597	0	6,523
JOSEPH J MCGOWAN FORMER PRESIDENT	40 00						X	835,913	0	9,713
FRED RHODES FORMER VP STUDENT AFFAIRS	40 00						X	202,237	0	28,110

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY

Public Charity Status and Public Support
Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
▶ Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Employer identification number
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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.
The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box)

- 1

☐

A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2

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A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ))
- 3

☐

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

☐

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

☐

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

☐

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

☐

An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II)
- 8

☐

A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II)
- 9

☐

An agricultural research organization described in **170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land grant college of agriculture See instructions Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university _____
- 10

☐

An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III)
- 11

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An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 12

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An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**. See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g
- a

☐

Type I. A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
- b

☐

Type II. A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
- c

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Type III functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
- d

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Type III non-functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
- e

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Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization
- f

Enter the number of supported organizations _____
- g

Provide the following information about the supported organization(s) _____

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
Total						

Part II

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, 8, or 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a)2012	(b)2013	(c)2014	(d)2015	(e)2016	(f)Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grant.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a)2012	(b)2013	(c)2014	(d)2015	(e)2016	(f)Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶ ☐						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage						
14 Public support percentage for 2016 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))					14	
15 Public support percentage for 2015 Schedule A, Part II, line 14					15	
16a 33 1/3% support test—2016. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐						
b 33 1/3% support test—2015. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐						
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2016. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here . Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐						
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2015. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here . Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐						
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶ ☐						

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a)2012	(b)2013	(c)2014	(d)2015	(e)2016	(f)Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a)2012	(b)2013	(c)2014	(d)2015	(e)2016	(f)Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

14 **First five years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** ☐

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2016 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	
16 Public support percentage from 2015 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2016 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	
18 Investment income percentage from 2015 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	

19a **33 1/3% support tests—2016.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

b **33 1/3% support tests—2015.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

20 **Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ☐

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 12 of Part I. If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 12b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 12d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i>	1	
2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i>	2	
3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.</i>	3a	
b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>	3b	
c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>	3c	
4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes" and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.</i>	4a	
b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i>	4b	
c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i>	4c	
5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed, (ii) the reasons for each such action, (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action, and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i>	5a	
b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?	5b	
c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5c	
6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>	6	
7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</i>	7	
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</i>	8	
9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>	9a	
b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>	9b	
c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>	9c	
10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer line 10b below.</i>	10a	
b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>	10b	

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

	Yes	No
11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
b A family member of a person described in (a) above?		
c A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? <i>If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI</i>		
11a		
11b		
11c		

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.</i>		
1		
2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised or controlled the supporting organization.</i>		
2		

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).</i>		
1		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
1		
2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization (s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? <i>If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).</i>		
2		
3 By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.</i>		
3		

Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations

1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions)		
a ☐ The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.		
b ☐ The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.		
c ☐ The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).		
2 Activities Test Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? <i>If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.</i>		
2a		
b Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.</i>		
2b		
3 Parent of Supported Organizations Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>Provide details in Part VI.</i>		
3a		
b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i>		
3b		

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

- 1** ☐ Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970. **See instructions.** All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income

	(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Net short-term capital gain	1	
2 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3 Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4 Add lines 1 through 3	4	
5 Depreciation and depletion	5	
6 Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7 Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8 Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8	

Section B - Minimum Asset Amount

	(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year)	1	
a Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI)		
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt use assets	2	
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	
4 Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	
5 Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6 Multiply line 5 by .035	6	
7 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8 Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	

Section C - Distributable Amount

		Current Year
1 Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1	
2 Enter 85% of line 1	2	
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3	
4 Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4	
5 Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6 Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6	
7 ☐ Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions)		

Part V

Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

Section D - Distributions	Current Year
1 Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI) See instructions	
7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6	
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI) See instructions	
9 Distributable amount for 2016 from Section C, line 6	
10 Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2016	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2016
1 Distributable amount for 2016 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2016 (reasonable cause required--see instructions)			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2016			
a			
b			
c From 2013.			
d From 2014.			
e From 2015.			
f Total of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2016 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2011 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f			
4 Distributions for 2016 from Section D, line 7 \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2016 distributable amount			
c Remainder Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2016, if any Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions)			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2016 Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions)			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2017. Add lines 3j and 4c			
8 Breakdown of line 7			
a			
b Excess from 2013.			
c Excess from 2014.			
d Excess from 2015.			
e Excess from 2016.			

Part VI **Supplemental Information.**

Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

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(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.
► Attach to Form 990.

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BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY

Employer identification number
61-0482955

Part I

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

(a) Donor advised funds

(b) Funds and other accounts

1

Total number at end of year

2

Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)

3

Aggregate value of grants from (during year)

4

Aggregate value at end of year

5

Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?

☐ Yes

☐ No

6

Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Part II

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

1

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

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education)

☐ Preservation of an historically important land area

☐ Protection of natural habitat

☐ Preservation of a certified historic structure

☐ Preservation of open space

2

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

2a

Total number of conservation easements

2b

Total acreage restricted by conservation easements

2c

Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)

2d

Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register

3

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

4

Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ►

5

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

☐ Yes

☐ No

6

Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ►

7

Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ► \$

8

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

☐ Yes

☐ No

9

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

Part III

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

1a

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

b

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

(i)

Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

► \$

(ii)

Assets included in Form 990, Part X

► \$

2

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

a

Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

► \$

b

Assets included in Form 990, Part X

► \$

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Part III

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

3

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

a

☒ Public exhibition

b

☒ Scholarly research

c

☒ Preservation for future generations

d

☐ Loan or exchange programs

e

☐ Other

4

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

5

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

☐ Yes☒ No

Part IV

Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

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

1a

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

☐ Yes☐ No

b

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

c

Beginning balance

d

Additions during the year

e

Distributions during the year

f

Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a

Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability?

☐ Yes☐ No

b

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

☐

Part V

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

	(a)Current year	(b)Prior year	(c)Two years back	(d)Three years back	(e)Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	48,648,794	52,259,548	50,931,015	43,752,880	38,574,903
b Contributions	3,368,677	1,322,729	2,117,336	4,266,540	1,140,935
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	5,846,276	-2,484,343	1,432,278	4,970,915	5,913,542
d Grants or scholarships	1,253,704	1,301,537	1,151,734	1,144,067	1,028,552
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	863,546	741,284	683,373	538,057	509,501
f Administrative expenses	413,550	406,319	385,974	377,196	338,447
g End of year balance	55,332,947	48,648,794	52,259,548	50,931,015	43,752,880

2

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

a

Board designated or quasi-endowment

27 850 %

b

Permanent endowment

72 150 %

c

Temporarily restricted endowment

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

3a

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

(i) unrelated organizations

3a(i)

No

(ii) related organizations

3a(ii)

No

b

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

3b

4

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

Part VI

Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		5,828,197		5,828,197
b Buildings		133,645,882	39,869,816	93,776,066
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		28,833,121	14,001,158	14,831,963
e Other		23,941,441	10,354,272	13,587,169
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c))				128,023,395

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Part VII

Investments—Other Securities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b.
See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b)Book value	(c)Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)Financial derivatives		
(2)Closely-held equity interests	316,609	F
(3)Other _____		
(A) OTHER ENDOWMENT SECURITIES	407,892	F
(B) GLOBAL HEDGED EQUITY	4,800,201	F
(C) ABSOLUTE RETURN HEDGE FUND	1,980,160	F
(D) DISTRESSED DEBT	409,547	F
(E) PRIVATE EQUITY	3,324,790	F
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12) ▶	11,239,199	

Part VIII

Investments—Program Related. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c.
See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13) ▶		

Part IX

Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15) ▶	

Part X

Other Liabilities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f.
See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
ANNUITY OBLIGATIONS	1,685,138
U S ADVANCES FOR STUDENT LOANS	605,562
LONG TERM CAPITAL LEASE OBLIGATIONS	2,667,414
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25) ▶	4,958,114

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740) Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

☒

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	83,918,628
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	6,355,507
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	337,194
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	6,692,701
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	77,225,927
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1 :		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	53,385,753
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	53,385,753
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	130,611,680

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	80,612,755
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	337,194
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	337,194
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	80,275,561
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 :		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	53,385,753
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	53,385,753
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	133,661,314

Part XIII Supplemental Information

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

Return Reference	Explanation
See Additional Data Table	

Part XIII Supplemental Information *(continued)*

Return Reference	Explanation

Additional Data

Software ID:
Software Version:
EIN: 61-0482955
Name: BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
PART III, LINE 4	THE HISTORICAL TREASURES OF THE UNIVERSITY CONSIST OF OVER 50,000 ITEMS OF THOMAS MERTON INCLUDING WRITINGS, DRAWINGS, PHOTOGRAPHS, PERSONAL POSSESSIONS, AND OTHER MERTON ARTIFACTS THEY ARE KEPT IN THE THOMAS MERTON CENTER LOCATED IN THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY BUILDING THE MERTON CENTER IS USED FOR SCHOLARLY RESEARCH ON THOMAS MERTON, A WORLD CONTEMPLATIVE AND WRITER IN ADDITION TO THE MERTON TREASURES, THE UNIVERSITY HAS NUMEROUS DOROTHY DAY TREASURES DOROTHY DAY WAS A NOTED TWENTIETH CENTURY CATHOLIC SOCIAL ACTIVIST AND THINKER AMONG THE TREASURES OF THE UNIVERSITY ARE 136 ORIGINAL LETTERS FROM DOROTHY DAY, FOUR SIGNED BOOKS BY DOROTHY DAY, HUNDREDS OF EARLY CATHOLIC WORKER PHOTOS AND 523 CATHOLIC WORKER NEWS PAPERS, MOSTLY COMPLETE FROM THE FIRST ISSUE, 1933 THROUGH 1990 THESE MATERIALS ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR CONSULTATION BY RESEARCHERS VISITING THE THOMAS MERTON CENTER AT BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY WHO ARE INTERESTED IN THE LIFE AND WORK OF DOROTHY DAY

Supplemental Information	
Return Reference	Explanation
PART V, LINE 4	THE UNIVERSITY HAS ADOPTED INVESTMENT AND SPENDING POLICIES, APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, FOR ENDOWMENT ASSETS THAT ATTEMPT TO PROVIDE A PREDICTABLE STREAM OF FUNDING TO SUPPORT CURRENT AND FUTURE UNIVERSITY NEEDS, WHILE SEEKING TO MAINTAIN THE PURCHASING POWER OF THESE ENDOWMENT ASSETS OVER THE LONG-TERM, AND TO BUILD CAPITAL FOR FUTURE USE THE UNIVERSITY'S SPENDING AND INVESTMENT POLICIES WORK TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE THIS OBJECTIVE

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
PART X, LINE 2	PURSUANT TO A DETERMINATION BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE, THE UNIVERSITY IS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAXES UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE GAAP REQUIRES THE UNIVERSITY TO EVALUATE TAX POSITIONS TAKEN BY THE UNIVERSITY AND RECOGNIZE A TAX LIABILITY (OR ASSET) IF THE UNIVERSITY HAS TAKEN ANY UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS THE UNIVERSITY HAS ANALYZED THE TAX POSITIONS TAKEN THAT WOULD REQUIRE RECOGNITION OF A LIABILITY (OR ASSET) ON ALL INCOME TAX RETURNS THAT REMAIN OPEN TO EXAMINATION BY THE RESPECTIVE TAXING AUTHORITIES THE UNIVERSITY DOES NOT BELIEVE THAT THERE ARE ANY UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS ON THOSE RETURNS THAT WOULD REQUIRE RECOGNITION OF A LIABILITY (OR ASSET) THAT SHOULD BE REFLECTED IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS THE UNIVERSITY IS SUBJECT TO ROUTINE AUDITS BY TAXING JURISDICTIONS, HOWEVER, THERE ARE CURRENTLY NO AUDITS FOR ANY TAX PERIODS IN PROGRESS THE UNIVERSITY BELIEVES IT IS NO LONGER SUBJECT TO INCOME TAX EXAMINATIONS FOR TAX YEARS PRIOR TO MAY 31, 2014

Supplemental Information	
Return Reference	Explanation
PART XI, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS	RENTAL EXPENSES, SPECIAL EVENTS, AND COST OF GOODS SOLD 116,113 FUND RAISING 221,081

Supplemental Information	
Return Reference	Explanation
PART XI, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS	SCHOLARSHIPS AND DISCOUNTS 53,385,753

Supplemental Information	
Return Reference	Explanation
PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS	RENTAL EXPENSES, SPECIAL EVENTS, AND COST OF GOODS SOLD 116,113 FUND RAISING NETTED AGAINST EXPENSE 221,081

Supplemental Information	
Return Reference	Explanation
PART XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS	SCHOLARSHIPS AND DISCOUNTS 53,385,753

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE D, PART XI & XII	SCHEDULE D, PAGE 4, PART XI, LINE 2D-RENTAL EXPENSES, SPECIAL EVENTS EXPENSE AND COST OF GOODS SOLD WHICH WERE NETTED AGAINST THE REVENUE ACCOUNTS FOR PRESENTATION ON THE 990, BUT INCLUDED AS EXPENSE ON THE AUDITED STATEMENTS (SEE EXPLANATION SCHEDULE D, PAGE 4, PART XI I, LINE 2D BELOW) SCHEDULE D, PAGE 4, PART XII, LINE 2D-RENTAL EXPENSES, SPECIAL EVENTS EXPENSE AND COST OF GOODS SOLD WHICH WERE NETTED AGAINST THE REVENUE ACCOUNTS FOR PRESENTATION ON THE 990, BUT INCLUDED AS EXPENSE ON THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SCHEDULE D, PAGE 4, PART XII, LINE 4B, REPRESENTS SCHOLARSHIPS AND DISCOUNTS THAT ARE NETTED AGAINST THE REVENUE IN THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS BUT SHOWN AS EXPENSES ON THE 990

SCHEDULE E (Form 990 or 990-EZ)	Schools ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 13, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 48. ▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ Information about Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.	OMB No 1545-0047
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	Department of the Treasury Name of the organization BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY	Employer identification number 61-0482955

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

Part II **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, lines 3, 4d, 5h, 6b, and 7, as applicable. Also provide any other additional information (see instructions).

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE E, PART I, LINE 3	THE POLICY IS WRITTEN IN ALL OF THE PUBLICATIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY. ALSO THE POLICY IS BROADCAST THROUGHOUT THE YEAR IN NUMEROUS PUBLIC PUBLICATIONS INCLUDING LOCAL NEWSPAPERS, PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS AND OTHER STUDENT BROCHURES.
SCHEDULE E, PART I, LINE 6	BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY PARTICIPATES IN THE FOLLOWING FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS: FEDERAL PELL GRANT PROGRAM, FEDERAL WORK-STUDY PROGRAM, FEDERAL SUPPLEMENTAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY GRANT PROGRAM, FEDERAL PERKINS LOAN PROGRAM, FEDERAL DIRECT LOAN PROGRAM, FEDERAL DIRECT PLUS LOAN PROGRAM AND TEACHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE FOR COLLEGE AND HIGHER EDUCATION GRANTS PROGRAM. THE UNIVERSITY COMPLIES WITH THE ANNUAL SINGLE AUDIT REQUIREMENTS, FILINGS WITH THE FEDERAL AUDITING CLEARINGHOUSE AND THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FILINGS.

**SCHEDULE F
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
BELLARMINI UNIVERSITY

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

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

► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

► Information about Schedule F (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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

1 For grantmakers. Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of its grants and other assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ☐ Yes ☐ No

2 For grantmakers. Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of its grants and other assistance outside the United States

3 Activities per Region (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
See Add'l Data					
3a Sub-total	0	0			0
b Total from continuation sheets to Part I	0	0			0
c Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)	0	0			0

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

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

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

Part III	Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 16.
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Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

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Part IV Foreign Forms

- 1 Was the organization a U S transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U S Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)* ☒ Yes ☐ No
- 2 Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 3520, Annual Return to Report Transactions with Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U S Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A)* ☐ Yes ☒ No
- 3 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U S Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Corporations (see Instructions for Form 5471)* ☐ Yes ☒ No
- 4 Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund (see Instructions for Form 8621)* ☒ Yes ☐ No
- 5 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U S Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)* ☐ Yes ☒ No
- 6 Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713)* ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Part V Supplemental Information

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

Form 990 Schedule F Part I - Activities Outside The United States

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN			PROGRAM SERVICES	87 STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS	
EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC			PROGRAM SERVICES	21 STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS	
EUROPE			PROGRAM SERVICES	115 STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS	

Form 990 Schedule F Part I - Activities Outside The United States

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
SOUTH ASIA			PROGRAM SERVICES	1 STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS	
AFRICA			PROGRAM SERVICES	11 STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS	
NORTH AMERICA			PROGRAM SERVICES	1 STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS	

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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

- 2a** Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b** If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
Total						

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

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

Revenue		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d)
		KNIGHT OF KNIGHTS (event type)	DESIGNER SHOW HOUSE (event type)	5 (total number)	Total events (add col (a) through col (c))
1	Gross receipts	197,374	96,857	197,529	491,760
2	Less Contributions	70,624	51,385	59,084	181,093
3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	126,750	45,472	138,445	310,667
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs	54,718		27,073	81,791
	7 Food and beverages	58,246	9,021	13,148	80,415
	8 Entertainment	1,500		400	1,900
	9 Other direct expenses	12,286	36,451	8,238	56,975
	10 Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶				221,081
11 Net income summary Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) ▶				89,586	

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

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

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

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

b If "No," explain _____

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

b If "Yes," explain _____

- 11** Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 12** Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 13** Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in
- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|---|
| a The organization's facility | 13a | % |
| b An outside facility | 13b | % |
- 14** Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records

Name ►

Address ►

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

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

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

Name ►

Address ►

16 Gaming manager information

Name ►

Gaming manager compensation ► \$

Description of services provided ►

☐ Director/officer ☐ Employee ☐ Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions

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

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

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

Return Reference

Explanation

Schedule I
(Form 990)

Department of the
Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY

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

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

▶ Information about Schedule I (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I

General Information on Grants and Assistance

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

☐ Yes ☒ No
- 2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II

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

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1)							
(2)							
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
(7)							
(8)							
(9)							
(10)							
(11)							
(12)							

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

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

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

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
(1) SCHOLARSHIPS AND DISCOUNTS	3076	53,385,752			
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE I, PART IV	SCHOLARSHIPS AND DISCOUNT AMOUNTS AWARDED TO STUDENTS ARE POSTED DIRECTLY TO EACH STUDENTS' ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE SUBSIDIARY ACCOUNT

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

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

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

▶ Information about Schedule J (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I

Questions Regarding Compensation

	Yes	No
1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items. ☐ First-class or charter travel ☐ Travel for companions ☐ Tax idemnification and gross-up payments ☐ Discretionary spending account ☐ Housing allowance or residence for personal use ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence ☐ Health or social club dues or initiation fees ☐ Personal services (e g , maid, chauffeur, chef)		
b If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	Yes	
2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	Yes	
3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III. ☐ Compensation committee ☐ Independent compensation consultant ☐ Form 990 of other organizations ☐ Written employment contract ☐ Compensation survey or study ☐ Approval by the board or compensation committee		
4 During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization: a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?		No
b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?		No
c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?		No
If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III. Only 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.		
5 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of: a The organization?	Yes	
b Any related organization? If "Yes," on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III		No
6 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of: a The organization?		No
b Any related organization? If "Yes," on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III		No
7 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	Yes	
8 Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III		No
9 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?		

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

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

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

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

Part III **Supplemental Information**

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

Return Reference	Explanation
PART I, LINE 5	THE BONUS CALCULATION USES THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA: BALANCED BUDGET; CLEAN AUDIT OPINION (REGULAR AUDIT AND FEDERAL A133 AUDIT); FUNDRAISING ENROLLMENT; AND OTHER GOALS.
PART I, LINE 7	THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REVIEWS THE PRESIDENT'S PERFORMANCE ON AN ANNUAL BASIS. THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD ESTABLISHES CRITERIA TO BE USED DURING THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR TO ESTABLISH THE GOALS THE PRESIDENT MUST MEET OR EXCEED IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR ANY BONUS. THE GOALS ARE ESTABLISHED BASED UPON THE VISION AND THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY.

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Form 990, Schedule J, Part II - Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
1DORIS TEGART EXECUTIVE VP, INTERIM PRES	(i)	314,397	0	0	26,500	9,189	350,086	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
1ROBERT L ZIMLICH VP ADMINISTRATION & FINANC	(i)	211,774	0	29,625	22,125	48,660	312,184	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
2GLENN KOSSE VP DEVELOPMENT & ALUMNI RE	(i)	213,343	0	8,550	22,125	16,543	260,561	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
3HUNT HELM VP COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLIC	(i)	184,597	0	0	18,450	663	203,710	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
VP ENROLLMENT 4SEAN RYANMANAGEMENT	(i)	206,993	0	0	21,500	14,840	243,333	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
5CAROLE PFEFFER VP ACADEMIC AFFAIRS	(i)	214,796	0	0	21,500	5,929	242,225	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
6HELEN GRACE RYAN VP STUDENT AFFAIRS	(i)	152,543	0	0	15,575	345	168,463	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
7DANIEL BAUER FORMER, DEAN OF SCH OF BUS	(i)	168,420	0	1,000	17,755	14,762	201,937	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
8ROBERT COOTER DEAN OF SCH OF EDUCATION	(i)	172,649	0	0	17,170	6,415	196,234	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
9SCOTT DAVENPORT HEAD COACH - MEN'S BASKETB	(i)	178,241	60,927	0	18,767	8,957	266,892	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
10ZAIN KHANDWALA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - ADVAN	(i)	203,750	0	0	16,229	5,912	225,891	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
11ROBERT BROWN DEAN OF SCH OF BUS	(i)	200,597	0	0	0	6,523	207,120	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
12JOSEPH J MCGOWAN FORMER PRESIDENT	(i)	74,662	0	761,251	7,478	2,235	845,626	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0
13FRED RHODES FORMER VP STUDENT AFFAIRS	(i)	202,237	0	0	20,235	7,875	230,347	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	- 0	- 0	0

Schedule K
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Name of the organization
BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY

Supplemental Information on Tax Exempt Bonds

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 24a. Provide descriptions, explanations, and any additional information in Part VI.
► Attach to Form 990.
► Information about Schedule K (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I	Bond Issues											
	(a) Issuer name	(b) Issuer EIN	(c) CUSIP #	(d) Date issued	(e) Issue price	(f) Description of purpose	(g) Defeased		(h) On behalf of issuer		(i) Pool financing	
							Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
A	LOUJEFFCOMETRO GOVERNMENT	61-6001862	NONEAVAIL	07-10-2008	27,230,000	REFUNDING & CAP IMPROVE		X		X		X
B	LOUJEFFCOMETRO GOVERNMENT	61-6001862	NONEAVAIL	12-16-2009	18,500,000	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS		X		X		X
C	LOUJEFFCOMETRO GOVERNMENT COLLEGE IMPROVEMENT & REFUNDING	61-6001862	NONEAVAIL	09-01-2015	35,405,000	REFUNDING & CAP IMPROVE		X		X		X

Part II		Proceeds							
		A		B		C		D	
1	Amount of bonds retired	2,225,000		2,325,000		1,190,000			
2	Amount of bonds legally defeased								
3	Total proceeds of issue	28,141,015		18,273,547		36,433,040			
4	Gross proceeds in reserve funds	2,661,835		1,338,220		2,277,660			
5	Capitalized interest from proceeds								
6	Proceeds in refunding escrows								
7	Issuance costs from proceeds	363,752		251,401		455,649			
8	Credit enhancement from proceeds								
9	Working capital expenditures from proceeds	82,130		33,662		11,789			
10	Capital expenditures from proceeds	13,726,216		16,648,927		10,000,145			
11	Other spent proceeds	11,305,415				23,682,400			
12	Other unspent proceeds	1,667		1,337		5,397			
13	Year of substantial completion	2010		2011		2016			
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
14	Were the bonds issued as part of a current refunding issue?		X		X		X		
15	Were the bonds issued as part of an advance refunding issue?	X			X	X			
16	Has the final allocation of proceeds been made?	X		X		X			
17	Does the organization maintain adequate books and records to support the final allocation of proceeds?	X		X		X			

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

Part III Private Business Use (Continued)

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

Part IV Arbitrage

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

Part IV Arbitrage (Continued)

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

Part V Procedures To Undertake Corrective Action

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

Part VI Supplemental Information. Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule K (see instructions).

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE K BONDS ALL BONDS	BONDS ISSUED JULY 10, 2008 DECEMBER 16, 2009 AND SEPTEMBER 2015 - UNDER THE 2015, 2009, AND 2008 INDENTURES, A DEBT SERVICE RESERVE FUND HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR THE BONDS AND IS REQUIRED TO BE MAINTAINED IN AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE LEAST OF (I) 10% OF THE NET PROCEEDS OF THE BONDS, (II) THE MAXIMUM ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, OR (III) 125% OF THE AVERAGE ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS AMOUNTS IN THE DEBT SERVICE RESERVE FUND MAY BE INVESTED BY THE UNIVERSITY ONLY IN INVESTMENT SECURITIES THE MARKET VALUE OF THOSE SECURITIES AT MAY 31, 2017, WAS \$2,277,660, \$1,338,220 AND \$2,661,835 FOR THE SERIES 2015, 2009, AND 2008 BONDS RESPECTIVELY, AND ARE REFLECTED AS PLANT FUNDS ON THE STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION BOND ISSUED JULY 10, 2008 - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN JULY 2008, THE UNIVERSITY ISSUED \$41,290,000 OF LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT, COLLEGE REFUNDING AND IMPROVEMENT REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2008 A & B (BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY PROJECTS) OF WHICH \$23,884,969 WAS USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFEASING THE COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, KENTUCKY, COLLEGE REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2006, AND THE REMAINDER WAS USED TO PROVIDE FUNDS TO BUILD A 146 BED RESIDENCE HALL, TO BUILD AN ADDITION TO A CLASSROOM BUILDING, AND TO RENOVATE AN OFFICE BUILDING BOND ISSUED DECEMBER 16, 2009 LOUISVILLE JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT IN DECEMBER 2009, THE UNIVERSITY ISSUED \$18,500,000 OF LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT, COLLEGE IMPROVEMENT REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2009 (BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY INCORPORATED PROJECT) OF WHICH THE MAJORITY WAS USED TO PROVIDE FUNDS TO BUILD A 119 BED RESIDENCE HALL, TO BUILD A SUBSTANTIAL ADDITION TO THE MAIN DINING HALL, RENOVATE AND EXPAND THE CAFE', AND ADD 276 SURFACE PARKING SPACES ON CAMPUS THE TERM OF THE BOND ISSUE IS THIRTY YEARS BOND ISSUED IN 2015 IN SEPTEMBER 2015, THE UNIVERSITY ISSUED \$35,405,000 OF LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT, COLLEGE IMPROVEMENT REVENUE AND REVENUE REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2015 (BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY PROJECTS) OF WHICH \$12,474,245 WAS USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFEASING THE CITY OF SHIVELY, KENTUCKY, COLLEGE REVENUE REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2012 (SHIVELY 2012 BONDS) AND THE CITY OF AUDUBON PARK, KENTUCKY, COLLEGE REVENUE REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2012 (AUDUBON PARK 2012 BONDS) TOGETHER REFERRED TO AS THE BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY INCORPORATED PROJECT AND \$13,138,788 WAS USED TO DEFEASE THE CITY OF SHIVELY, KENTUCKY, COLLEGE IMPROVEMENT REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2011 (SHIVELY 2011 BONDS) AND THE CITY OF AUDUBON PARK, KENTUCKY, COLLEGE IMPROVEMENT REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2011 (AUDUBON PARK 2011 BONDS) TOGETHER REFERRED TO AS THE BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY INCORPORATED PROJECT \$10,816,138 WAS USED TO PROVIDE NEW MONEY TO RENOVATE THE FIRST FLOOR OF THE LIBRARY INTO A STATE OF THE ART STUDENT LEARNING SPACE "LANSING LEARNING COMMONS", FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW "CENTRO" BUILDING A 46,000 SQUARE FOOT CLASSROOM AND OFFICE BUILDING, AND RENOVATION OF EXISTING HARRIGAN HALL

Return Reference	Explanation
990, SCHEDULE K, PART II, PROCEEDS	LINE 3A ISSUE PRICE (27,230,000) LESS NET OID (538,862) PLUS INVESTMENT EARNINGS (1,449,877) EQUALS TOTAL PROCEEDS OF ISSUE (28,141,015) LINE 3B ISSUE PRICE (18,500,000) LESS NET OID (258,902) PLUS INVESTMENT EARNINGS (32,449) EQUALS TOTAL PROCEEDS OF ISSUE (18,273,547) LINE 3C ENTITY 2 ISSUE PRICE (35,405,000) PLUS NET OIP (1,024,171) PLUS INVESTMENT EARNINGS (3,869) EQUALS TOTAL PROCEEDS OF ISSUE (36,433,040) LINE 3A LINE 3B LINE 3C (ENTITY 2) 27,230,000 18,500,000 35,405,000 - 538,862 - 258,902 + 1,024,171 + 1,449,877 + 32,449 + 3,869 =28,141,015 =18,273,547 =36,433,040 SCHEDULE K, PART III, PRIVATE BUSINESS USE #9 WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE K, PART IV, ARBITRAGE	LINE 2C, BOND COLUMN A THE REBATE COMPUTATION WAS PERFORMED ON 8/8/2013 BY FROST BROWN TODD, PLLC ATTORNEYS AT LAW LINE 7 WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES SCHEDULE K, PART V, PROCEDURES WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Schedule L

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

Transactions with Interested Persons

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

▶ Information about Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3), section 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations only)

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

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

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

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

Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.

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

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

Part III Grants or Assistance Benefiting Interested Persons.

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

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

Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.

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

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No
(1) C EDWARD GLASSCOCK	CURRENT UNIVERSITY TRUSTEE	77,803	LEGAL SERVICES C EDWARD GLASSCOCK IS CHAIRMAN EMERITUS AND A MEMBER OF FROST BROWN TODD ATTORNEYS FROST BROWN TODD IS PAID FOR PERFORMING LEGAL SERVICES FOR BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY FROST BROWN TODD IS NOT THE ONLY LAW FIRM UTILIZED BY THE UNIVERSITY MR GLASSCOCK WAS NOT THE ATTORNEY WHO PERFORMED THE SERVICES FOR WHICH FROST BROWN TODD WAS PAID DURING THE FISCAL YEAR THE LAW FIRM WAS PAID \$77,803 FOR THE PERIOD COVERED BY THIS RETURN		No
(2) G JESSE FLYNN	CURRENT UNIVERSITY TRUSTEE	223,038	THE UNIVERSITY HAS FIVE YEAR LEASE WITH TAYLOR AVENUE LLC FOR A PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1961 BISHOPS LANE, LOUISVILLE, KY MR FLYNN IS A MEMBER OF TAYLOR AVENUE LLC THE UNIVERSITY MADE LEASE PAYMENTS ON THIS PROPERTY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR IN THE AMOUNT OF \$223,038		No
(3) SODEXO	CONTRIBUTOR TO THE UNIVERSITY	350,000	SODEXO PROVIDES FOOD SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY DURING THE FISCAL YEAR THE UNIVERSITY MADE PAYMENTS TO SODEXO IN THE AMOUNT OF \$4,252,979		No
(4) STEVE TRAGER	CURRENT UNIVERSITY TRUSTEE	63,377	THE UNIVERSITY HAS A 10 YEAR CAPITAL LEASE WITH REPUBLIC BANK & TRUST COMPANY MR TRAGER IS CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF REPUBLIC BANK & TRUST THE LEASE WAS AWARDED VIA A COMPETITIVE BID PROCESS THE UNIVERSITY MADE PAYMENT OF \$63,377 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR		No

Part V Supplemental Information

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions)

Return Reference	Explanation
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SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Noncash Contributions

►Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.
► Attach to Form 990.
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Part I

Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art—Works of art				
2 Art—Historical treasures				
3 Art—Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities—Publicly traded				
10 Securities—Closely held stock				
11 Securities—Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities—Miscellaneous	X	23	308,252	MARKET VALUE
13 Qualified conservation contribution—Historic structures				
14 Qualified conservation contribution—Other				
15 Real estate—Residential				
16 Real estate—Commercial				
17 Real estate—Other				
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory	X	4	1,235	MARKET VALUE
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ► (OTHER)	X	8	31,406	MARKET VALUE
26 Other ► ()				
27 Other ► ()				
28 Other ► ()				
29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement			29	2

30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 through 28, that
it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used
for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?

30a

No

b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II

31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions?

31

Yes

32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash
contributions?

32a

No

b If "Yes," describe in Part II

33 If the organization did not report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked,
describe in Part II

Part II **Supplemental Information.**

Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
PART I, LINE 32B	THE UNIVERSITY HAS A WRITTEN GIFT ACCEPTANCE POLICY FOR THE REVIEW OF ANY NON-STANDARD CONTRIBUTIONS THE POLICY REQUIRES THAT PRIOR TO ACCEPTING NON-STANDARD GIFTS THAT THE DEVELOPMENT OFFICERS REVIEW THE NEED OF THE UNIVERSITY FOR SUCH GIFT AND DISCUSS THE GIFT WITH THE AREA VICE-PRESIDENT OR DEAN OF THE DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE THAT THE GIFT FALLS WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY'S MISSION AND VISION FINAL APPROVAL OF THE GIFT IS MADE BY THE VICE-PRESIDENT FOR ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE OR VICE-PRESIDENT FOR DEVELOPMENT AND ALUMNI RELATIONS

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2	MR STEVE TRAGER, CURRENT TRUSTEE, IS THE CEO OF REPUBLIC BANK & TRUST CO , AND MR W PAT RICK MULLOY, II, CURRENT TRUSTEE, IS A DIRECTOR AT REPUBLIC BANK & TRUST CO MR RUSS COX, CURRENT TRUSTEE, IS THE EXECUTIVE VICE-PRESIDENT AND COO OF NORTON HEALTHCARE MR CRAIG GRANT, CURRENT TRUSTEE, IS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF NORTON HEALTHCARE AND MS MARIA HAMPTON, CURRENT TRUSTEE, IS THE CURRENT VICE-CHAIR OF THE NORTON HEALTHCARE BOARD MR GARY ULMER, CURRENT TRUSTEE IS THE BROTHER-IN-LAW OF MR RUSS COX, CURRENT TRUSTEE MR STEVE TRAGER,CURRENT TRUSTEE AND MR GARY ULMER, CURRENT TRUSTEE ARE CO-OWNERS OF THE LOUISVILLE BATS, A MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL CLUB MR EDWARD GLASSCOCK, CURRENT TRUSTEE, AND MR GARY ULMER , CURRENT TRUSTEE ARE SHAREHOLDERS AND DIRECTORS OF LONG JOHN SILVER'S, LLC

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B	THE 990 IS PREPARED BY INTERNAL STAFF AND REVIEWED IN DETAIL BY THE ASSISTANT VICE-PRESIDENT FOR BUSINESS AFFAIRS. THE AVP IS AN ATTORNEY AND CPA WITH 20+ YEARS OF TAX EXPERIENCE. THE REVIEW IS COMPLETED IN SEVERAL STAGES IN ORDER TO PROCESS ALL THE INFORMATION THOROUGHLY. CONTINUING EDUCATION ON TAX REQUIREMENTS IS PROVIDED TO THOSE INVOLVED WITH THE PREPARATION AND REVIEW OF THE 990. THE RETURN IS GIVEN TO THE AUDIT COMMITTEE. THE AUDIT COMMITTEE REVIEWS AND DISCUSSES THE RETURN. THE AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORTS INFORMATION REGARDING THE 990 TO THE FULL BOARD PRIOR TO FILING.

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C	THE ORGANIZATION SENDS ITS CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY TO ALL BOARD MEMBERS ANNUALLY THE VP FOR ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE MONITORS THAT ALL MEMBERS RETURN A SIGNED COPY INDICATING THEY HAVE REVIEWED THE POLICY AND LISTED ANY POTENTIAL CONFLICTS ADDITIONALLY, ALL EMPLOYEES RECEIVE A UNIVERSITY HANDBOOK AND SIGN ACKNOWLEDGMENT INDICATING SUCH RECEIPT THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY IS LOCATED WITHIN THE STAFF HANDBOOK LASTLY, THE ORGANIZATION MAINTAINS A TELEPHONE LINE IN WHICH EMPLOYEES CAN CONFIDENTIALLY REPORT ANYTHING THAT THEY DEEM AS INAPPROPRIATE WITHIN THE ORGANIZATION, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO FRAUD, HARASSMENT, DISCRIMINATION, CONFLICT OF INTEREST OR MISAPPROPRIATION OF UNIVERSITY FUNDS OR ASSETS THE CONFIDENTIAL LINE IS (502)272-7535

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Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15	THE PRESIDENTIAL CONTRACT AND COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES REVIEWS THE PRESIDENT'S SALARY ON A YEARLY BASIS, INCLUDING BASE COMPENSATION, BONUS AND FRINGE BENEFITS. THE PRESIDENTIAL CONTRACT AND COMPENSATION COMMITTEE EVALUATES THE COMPENSATION OF THE PRESIDENT BASED ON ESTABLISHED GOALS AND DISCUSSES AND APPROVES THE NEW SALARY ON AN ANNUAL BASIS. THE UNIVERSITY AND THE PRESIDENT ARE BOUND BY A CONTRACT. THE CONTRACT IS NEGOTIATED AND REVIEWED BY THE PRESIDENTIAL CONTRACT AND COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD. AS PART OF THE EVALUATION PROCESS USED BY THE PRESIDENTIAL CONTRACT AND COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD, MARKET DATA, SALARY SURVEYS OF SIMILAR INSTITUTIONS AND OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION ARE REVIEWED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT ON ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND PROPOSED GOALS. ALL EMPLOYEES, OTHER THAN THE PRESIDENT, ARE EVALUATED BY THEIR IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR ON AN ANNUAL BASIS. THE VICE-PRESIDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY ARE EVALUATED BY THE PRESIDENT. THE UNIVERSITY USES CUPA DATA TO COMPARE SALARIES FOR OTHER LIKE INSTITUTIONS TO OUR COMPENSATION.

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 18	THE UNIVERSITY MAKES AVAILABLE ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC UPON REQUEST DURING THE REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS OF THE UNIVERSITY THE FORM 990 IS AVAILABLE ON GUIDESTAR FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION

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Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19	THE ORGANIZATION MAKES AVAILABLE ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC UPON REQUEST DURING THE REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS OF THE UNIVERSITY THE FORM 990 IS AVAILABLE ON GUIDESTAR FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION

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Return Reference	Explanation
PART XII, LINE 2C	THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE OVERSIGHT OF THE AUDIT AND THE SELECTION OF THE INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT HAS NOT CHANGED SINCE THE LAST FISCAL YEAR

SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.

▶ Attach to Form 990.▶ Information about Schedule R (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Name of the organization
BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY

Employer identification number
61-0482955

Part I

Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity

Part II

Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
(1)CHARITABLE REMAINDER UNITRUST		KY					No

Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income(related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512- 514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of- year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b) (13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii)annuities, (iii) royalties, or(iv) rent from a controlled entity

b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)

c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)

d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)

e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)

f Dividends from related organization(s)

g Sale of assets to related organization(s)

h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)

i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)

j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)

k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)

l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)

m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)

n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)

o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)

p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses

q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses

r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)

s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)

Yes

No

1a

No

1b

No

1c

No

1d

No

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No

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No

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No

1h

No

1i

No

1j

No

1k

No

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No

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No

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No

1o

No

1p

No

1q

No

1r

No

1s

No

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved

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Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

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Part VII **Supplemental Information**

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)