

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

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

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For calendar year 2018, or tax year beginning 07-01-2018, and ending 06-30-2019

Name of foundation THE BRIGHT FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 42-6073848	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 2961 100TH ST STE 2		B Telephone number (see instructions) (515) 297-8550	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code URBANDALE, IA 503225505		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>	
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 40,068,674		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)			

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses <small>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))</small>		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	0			
	2 Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	1,704,320	1,704,320		
	5a Gross rents	29,361	29,361		
	b Net rental income or (loss) 25,865				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	4,282,116			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
		23,685,310			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		4,282,116		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
10a Gross sales less returns and allowances					
b Less Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)					
11 Other income (attach schedule)					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	6,015,797	6,015,797			
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	53,500	13,375		40,125
	14 Other employee salaries and wages	109,000	0		109,000
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits	6,000	0		6,000
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)	9,081	5,767		3,314
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	10,580	2,645		7,935
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	43,557	3,496		8,645
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy	5,400	0		5,400
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	2,161	0		2,161
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	24,858	3,456		21,402
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	264,137	28,739		203,982
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	2,022,168			2,022,168
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	2,286,305	28,739		2,226,150	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	3,729,492				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		5,987,058			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)					

Part II Balance Sheets Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing			
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	1,268,443	696,239	696,239
	3 Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	4 Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	5 Grants receivable			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)			
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11 Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ 8,968,000 Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____	8,968,000	8,968,000	7,600,000
	12 Investments—mortgage loans			
	13 Investments—other (attach schedule)	25,779,212	30,080,868	31,772,435
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
15 Other assets (describe ▶ _____)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	36,015,655	39,745,107	40,068,674	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule).			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)	1,816	1,776	
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	1,816	1,776	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	36,013,839	39,743,331	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund	0	0	
29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	0	0		
30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	36,013,839	39,743,331		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions) .	36,015,655	39,745,107		

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1 Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	36,013,839
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	3,729,492
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	0
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	39,743,331
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	5	0
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 .	6	39,743,331

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co.)	(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo, day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo, day, yr)
1 a SALES OF PUBLICLY TRADED INVESTMENTS	P		
b			
c			
d			
e			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a 23,685,310		19,403,194	4,282,116
b			
c			
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
a			4,282,116
b			
c			
d			
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	2	4,282,116
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	3	

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

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

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

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see instructions before making any entries			
(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2017	201,068	40,483,196	0.004967
2016	1,986,417	39,986,997	0.049677
2015	1,783,759	38,145,349	0.046762
2014	1,970,516	31,940,377	0.061694
2013	1,115,826	26,886,541	0.041501
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			0.204601
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5.0, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years			0.040920
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2018 from Part X, line 5			38,522,181
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			1,576,328
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			59,871
7 Add lines 5 and 6			1,636,199
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4			2,226,150

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

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

Table with 11 rows for excise tax calculations. Includes fields for exempt foundations, tax under section 511, subtitle A tax, and total tax due. Total tax due is 28,871.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 rows for activity statements. Includes questions about political campaigns, political expenditures, and state reporting. Includes Yes/No columns.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11 At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule See instructions.
12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement See instructions
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address WWW BRIGHTIOWA ORG
14 The books are in care of MEREDITH DOHMEN Telephone no (515) 297-8550

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15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 -check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15

16 At any time during calendar year 2018, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114 If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country

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

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

1a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days).
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2018?
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))
a At the end of tax year 2018, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2018? If "Yes," list the years
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement-see instructions)
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2018 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969, (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest, or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period?(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2018).
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2018?

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

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to				Yes	No
(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		5b
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here.	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		No
c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	
6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? <i>If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		6b
7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
b If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		7b
8 Is the foundation subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	

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

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation. See instructions

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
See Additional Data Table				

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

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
MEREDITH DOHMEN 2961 100TH ST SUITE 2 URBANDALE, IA 50322	DIRECTOR OF SCHOLARS 40 00	109,000	6,000	0

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000. ▶ 0

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

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE".		
(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services. ▶		0

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1	
2	
3	
4	

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

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶	0

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

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities.	1a	30,862,469
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	646,344
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	7,600,000
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	39,108,813
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation).	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets.	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	39,108,813
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	586,632
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4.	5	38,522,181
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	1,926,109

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

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6.	1	1,926,109
2a	Tax on investment income for 2018 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	59,871
b	Income tax for 2018 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	59,871
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	1,866,238
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	1,866,238
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	0
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	1,866,238

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26.	1a	2,226,150
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B.	1b	0
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes.	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4.	4	2,226,150
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b. See instructions.	5	59,871
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	2,166,279

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

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2017	(c) 2017	(d) 2018
1 Distributable amount for 2018 from Part XI, line 7				1,866,238
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2018				
a Enter amount for 2017 only.			376,668	
b Total for prior years 20___, 20___, 20___		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2018				
a From 2013.				
b From 2014.				
c From 2015.				
d From 2016.				
e From 2017.				
f Total of lines 3a through e.	0			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2018 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ <u>2,226,150</u>				
a Applied to 2017, but not more than line 2a			376,668	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions).		0		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions).	0			
d Applied to 2018 distributable amount.				1,849,482
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2018 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	0			0
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	0			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed.		0		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions		0		
e Undistributed income for 2017 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2018 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2019				16,756
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions).	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2013 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions).	0			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2019. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2014.				
b Excess from 2015.				
c Excess from 2016.				
d Excess from 2017.				
e Excess from 2018.				

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

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2018, enter the date of the ruling. ▶

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

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

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2018	(b) 2017	(c) 2016	(d) 2015	
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a "Assets" alternative test—enter					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed.					
c "Support" alternative test—enter					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii).					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

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

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

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

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

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

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

c Any submission deadlines

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

Part XV **Supplementary Information** (continued)**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

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

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

Table with 5 columns: (a) Business code, (b) Amount, (c) Exclusion code, (d) Amount, (e) Related or exempt function income. Rows include: 1 Program service revenue (a-f), g Fees and contracts from government agencies, 2 Membership dues and assessments, 3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments, 4 Dividends and interest from securities, 5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate (a Debt-financed property, b Not debt-financed property), 6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property, 7 Other investment income, 8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory, 9 Net income or (loss) from special events, 10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory, 11 Other revenue (a-e), 12 Subtotal, 13 Total.

Part XVI-B Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes

Table with 2 columns: Line No., Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes) (See instructions).

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

Part XVII

1 Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?

a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of

- (1)** Cash.
- (2)** Other assets.

b Other transactions

- (1)** Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization.
- (2)** Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization.
- (3)** Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets.
- (4)** Reimbursement arrangements.
- (5)** Loans or loan guarantees.
- (6)** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations.

c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees.

d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column **(b)** should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column **(d)** the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.

	Yes	No
1a(1)		No
1a(2)		No
1b(1)		No
1b(2)		No
1b(3)		No
1b(4)		No
1b(5)		No
1b(6)		No
1c		No

(a) Line No	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements

2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? Yes No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

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

Sign Here

***** 2019-10-01 *****

Signature of officer or trustee Date Title

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

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's Signature	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	PTIN
	JAY ANDERSON		2019-10-01		P00223704
	Firm's name ▶ EIDE BAILLY LLP				Firm's EIN ▶ 45-0250958
Firm's address ▶ 666 WALNUT ST STE 1450 DES MOINES, IA 503093918				Phone no (515) 244-0266	

Form 990PF Part VIII Line 1 - List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation

(a) Name and address	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
THOMAS E PRESS 913 26TH STREET WEST DES MOINES, IA 50265	PRESIDENT & MANAGING DIRECTOR 10 00	39,200	0	0
JERRY DEEGAN 12882 HAZELWOOD DR CLIVE, IA 50325	VICE PRESIDENT & DIRECTOR 1 50	3,200	0	0
CHARLES A HAAS 4141 GREENWOOD DR DES MOINES, IA 50312	TREASURER & DIRECTOR 1 50	3,200	0	0
FRED H LOCK 309 E 5TH ST UNIT 505 DES MOINES, IA 50309	SECRETARY & DIRECTOR 1 50	3,200	0	0
WESTON R RITCHIE 181 38TH PLACE DES MOINES, IA 50312	DIRECTOR 1 50	500	0	0
BEVERLY L APEL 3220 VALLEY RIDGE CT WEST DES MOINES, IA 50265	DIRECTOR 1 50	1,000	0	0
DALE ANDGRIGA 10682 NE 46TH AVE MITCHELLVILLE, IA 50169	DIRECTOR 1 50	0	0	0
STACY WANDERSCHIED 6605 SCENIC RIDGE CT JOHNSTON, IA 50131	DIRECTOR 1 50	3,200	0	0

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

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
DES MOINES AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE 1100 7TH ST DES MOINES, IA 50314	NONE	PC	SCHOLARSHIPS	16,858
DES MOINES PUBLIC LIBRARY 1000 GRAND AVE DES MOINES, IA 50309	NONE	PC	GENERAL FUND	10,000
INDIAN HILLS FOUNDATION 525 GRANDVIEW AVE OTTUMWA, IA 52501	NONE	PC	SCHOLARSHIPS	67,774
Total ▶ 3a				2,022,168

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Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY 2229 LINCOLN WAY AMES, IA 50011	NONE	PC	GENERAL FUND/SCHOLARSHIPS	702,793
SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE 1501 W TOWNLINE ST CRESTON, IA 50801	NONE	PC	SCHOLARSHIPS	59,727
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA CALVIN HALL IOWA CITY, IA 52242	NONE	PC	GENERAL FUND/SCHOLARSHIPS	787,056
Total				2,022,168

▶ **3a**

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Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA 1227 W 27TH ST CEDAR FALLS, IA 50614	NONE	PC	SCHOLARSHIPS	377,960
Total			▶ 3a	2,022,168

TY 2018 Accounting Fees Schedule**Name:** THE BRIGHT FOUNDATION**EIN:** 42-6073848

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING FEES	10,580	2,645		7,935

TY 2018 Investments - Other Schedule**Name:** THE BRIGHT FOUNDATION**EIN:** 42-6073848**Investments Other Schedule 2**

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
VANGUARD FIXED INCOME SECS FD INC SHORT-TERM	AT COST	3,015,000	3,022,534
VANGUARD FIXED INCOME SEC FD ULTRA SHORT-TERM	AT COST	3,050,937	3,049,127
VANGUARD FIXED INCOME SEC FDS INTER-TERM	AT COST	3,018,513	3,095,333
VANGUARD INDEX	AT COST	20,996,418	22,605,441

TY 2018 Legal Fees Schedule**Name:** THE BRIGHT FOUNDATION**EIN:** 42-6073848

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
LEGAL FEES	9,081	5,767		3,314

TY 2018 Other Expenses Schedule**Name:** THE BRIGHT FOUNDATION**EIN:** 42-6073848**Other Expenses Schedule**

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
OFFICE EXPENSE	1,110	0		1,110
RECIPIENT MEDALS	6,442	0		6,442
OTHER	3,566	0		3,566
WEBSITE/PUBLIC RELATIONS	1,691	0		1,691
LIABILITY INSURANCE	4,617	598		4,019
MEMBERSHIP DUES	730	0		730
OFFICE TECHNOLOGY	3,844	0		3,844
ADVISORY FEES	2,858	2,858		0

TY 2018 Other Liabilities Schedule**Name:** THE BRIGHT FOUNDATION**EIN:** 42-6073848

Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value
PAYROLL LIABILITIES	1,816	1,776

TY 2018 Taxes Schedule**Name:** THE BRIGHT FOUNDATION**EIN:** 42-6073848

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
PAYROLL TAXES	8,645	0		8,645
FEDERAL INCOME TAX	31,416	0		0
FARM RENTAL EXPENSES	3,496	3,496		0