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Form **990**

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

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and ending A For the 2017 calendar year, or tax year beginning Check if applicable: C Name of organization D Employer identification number Address change INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION Name change 06-1660068 Doing business as Initial return Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite E Telephone number Final return/ 101 WHITNEY AVENUE (203)772-2216 termin-ated City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code G Gross receipts \$ 42,519,451. Amended return NEW HAVEN, CT 06510 H(a) Is this a group return Applica-F Name and address of principal officer: DEAN KARLAN for subordinates? pending SAME AS C ABOVE **H(b)** Are all subordinates included? Tax-exempt status: \boxed{x} 501(c)(3) $\boxed{ }$ 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or If "No," attach a list. (see instructions) J Website: ► WWW.POVERTY-ACTION.ORG **H(c)** Group exemption number ▶ **K** Form of organization: X Corporation Association Other > L Year of formation: 2002 M State of legal domicile: NJ Part I Summary Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION Governance DISCOVERS AND PROMOTES EFFECTIVE SOLUTIONS TO GLOBAL POVERTY. Check this box | if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets. Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) 10 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) 9 Activities & 187 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2017 (Part V, line 2a) 5 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) 78 6 0. 7 a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 7a b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 7b 0. **Prior Year Current Year** Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) 49,609,926 42,513,910. Revenue 0 0 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) 14,470 5,541. 10 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) 0 49,624,396 42 519 451. Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 3,797,446 3,178,552. Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) 0. Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) 21,327,086 19,819,681. Expenses 16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) 0 **b** Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 19,829,163 15,336,035. 17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 44,953,695 38,334,268. 4,670,701. 4,185,183. Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 Beginning of Current Year **End of Year** 19,458,352. Total assets (Part X, line 16) 22,629,327 26,746,191 19,390,033. 21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) Net/ -4,116,864, 68,319. Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 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. Signature of officer Date Sign ANNIE DUFLO, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Here Type or print name and title Date PTIN Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature LORI M. BUDNICK Paid LORI M. BUDNICK 11/14/18 P00046310 Firm's name BLUM, SHAPIRO & COMPANY, P.C., CPA'S Firm's EIN Preparer 06-1009205 Firm's address > 29 S. MAIN STREET, P.O. BOX 272000 Use Only WEST HARTFORD, CT 06127-2000 Phone no.860 561-4000

X Yes

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

Ра	rt III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments	_
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III	
1	Briefly describe the organization's mission:	
	INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION DISCOVERS AND PROMOTES EFFECTIVE	_
	SOLUTIONS TO GLOBAL POVERTY.	_
		_
		_
2	Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the	
	prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?	2
_	If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O. Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes X No.	
3	3, 3, 3, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1,	3
	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	
4-	revenue, if any, for each program service reported.	_
4a	(Code:) (Expenses \$1,310,463. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$) EDUCATION: IN 2017, IPA HAD MORE THAN 50 ACTIVE EDUCATION STUDIES	-)
	,	_
	UNDERWAY ACROSS OUR 21 COUNTRY OFFICES. THESE PROJECTS INCLUDED TESTING	_
	THE IMPACT OF SATELLITE TRANSMITTED INSTRUCTION IN GHANA, EVALUATING	_
	THE IMPACT OF PERFORMANCE-BASED GRANTS FOR TEACHERS IN RWANDA, TESTING	_
	THE IMPACT OF PROVIDING PARENTS WITH INFORMATION ABOUT THE RETURNS TO	_
	EDUCATION IN PERU, AND MANY MORE. THE PERU PROJECT IS NOW BEING SCALED	_
	UP IN PERU.	_
		_
	IN ADDITION TO MANAGING A LARGE PORTFOLIO OF EDUCATION PROJECTS, IN	_
	2017 WE USED POLICY FUNDING TO DEEPEN OUR RELATIONSHIPS WITH	_
	DECISION-MAKERS, GREW OUR EXPERTISE IN THE GLOBAL LANDSCAPE OF	_
	EDUCATION EVIDENCE, CO-CREATED NEW POLICY-RELEVANT EVALUATIONS IN	_
4b	(Code:) (Expenses \$1,356,530. including grants of \$55,757.) (Revenue \$	_)
	SOCIAL PROTECTION: IN 2017, IPA'S MAJOR WORK AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN	
	THE SOCIAL PROTECTION SECTOR FOCUSED ON BUILDING EVIDENCE AROUND THE	_
	GRADUATION MODEL (DESCRIBED BELOW), INFLUENCING POLICY DECISIONS AROUND	
	THIS MODEL, AND PARTNERING WITH GOVERNMENTS TO EXPAND THE MODEL AT	
	SCALE.	_
		_
	IPA EVIDENCE FROM A SIX-COUNTRY STUDY FOUND IN 2015 THAT A "BIG PUSH"	_
	INTERVENTION THAT AIMED TO ADDRESS THE MANY CHALLENGES OF POVERTY	_
	SIMULTANEOUSLY, BOOSTED LIVELIHOODS, INCOME, AND HEALTH AMONG THE	_
	ULTRA-POOR. GIVEN THE PROVEN SUCCESS OF THE APPROACH, GOVERNMENTS AND	_
	DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES HAVE LAUNCHED EFFORTS TO EXPAND THE GRADUATION	_
	APPROACH TO MILLIONS OF PEOPLE. THE PROGRAM IS ALREADY BEING SCALED UP	_
4c	(Code:) (Expenses \$1,276,576. including grants of \$411,917.) (Revenue \$	_)
	FINANCIAL INCLUSION PROGRAM: IN 2017, IPA'S MAJOR WORK OF ITS	
	FINANCIAL INCLUSION PROGRAM WAS MANAGING \$5 MILLION IN ON-GOING GRANTS	_
	TO BUILD THE EVIDENCE BASE ON FINANCIAL TOOLS AND PRODUCTS FOR THE	_
	POOR. THE WORK OF THE FIP PROGRAM HAS PRODUCED 17 WORKING OR PUBLISHED	
	PAPERS TO DATE. ON-GOING WORK IN 2017 INCLUDED A STUDY ON THE IMPACT	_
	OF ALLOWING WORKERS ON A TEA FARM IN MALAWI TO DEFER PAYMENT OF A PART	_
	OF THEIR WAGES FOR THREE MONTHS UNTIL THE END OF THE HIGH SEASON AND	
	FUNDING THE CASH ARM TO COMPARE THE IMPACTS OF CASH TO AN IN-KIND	
	GRADUATION PROGRAM IN GHANA. IN 2017, FIP RELEASE RESULTS FROM KEY	_
	STUDIES. THESE INCLUDED FINDINGS FROM THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC THAT,	
	CONTRARY TO PREVIOUS RESEARCH, TEXT MESSAGE REMINDERS DID NOT INCREASE	
	THE NUMBER OF SAVING ACCOUNTS AND LED PARTICIPANTS TO TRANSACT LESS	_
4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)	_
	(Expenses \$ 27,335,387. including grants of \$ 2,710,877.) (Revenue \$)	
4e	(Expenses \$ 27,335,387. including grants of \$ 2,710,877.) (Revenue \$) Total program service expenses ▶ 31,278,956.	

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	Х	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	2	Х	
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		Х
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		Х
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		Х
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		Х
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		Х
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	8		х
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		х
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		х
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.			
а	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D,			
	Part VI	11a	Х	
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		х
С	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		х
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		Х
е	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11e	Х	
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		Х
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a	Х	
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		Х
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		Х
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	Х	
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	Х	
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	Х	
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	Х	
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	17		Х
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		Х
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		Х

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

			Yes	No
20 a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a		Х
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b		
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21	Х	
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		Х
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? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule J	23	Х	
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? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete			
	Schedule K. If "No", go to line 25a	24a		х
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease			
·	any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit			
Lou	transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		x
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? If "Yes," complete			
	Cohodula I Doubl	25b		x
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or	230		
20	former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? If "Yes,"			
	complete Schedule L, Part II	26		x
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial	20		
21	contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member			
	of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		x
20		21		
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):	200		х
	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		X
	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		_ A
С	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer,	00-		x
00	director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c 29	Х	
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29	Λ	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation			
0.4	contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30		Х
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31		Х
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete			,
	Schedule N, Part II	32		Х
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33		Х
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and			۱.,
	Part V, line 1	34		X
	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		Х
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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b		<u> </u>
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		X
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		Х
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	38	Х	

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Form 990 (2017) INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

<u>. u.</u>	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V				Х			
				Yes	No			
12	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a 29		163	140			
	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b 0						
	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and r							
·	(gambling) winnings to prize winners?		1c	Х				
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 187						
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax retu	L	2b	Х				
	Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions							
За	B. H	,	За		х			
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule		3b					
	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other							
	financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial	account)?	4a	Х				
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ► SEE SCHEDULE O							
	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial A	accounts (FBAR).						
5а	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		5a		Х			
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction	action?	5b		Х			
С	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		5с					
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did to	ne organization solicit						
			6a		Х			
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contribution	tions or gifts						
	were not tax deductible?		6b					
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).				х			
а								
	b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?							
С	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it w		_					
	to file Form 8282?	I I	7c		Х			
	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d			v			
_	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit of		7e		X			
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit cont		7f		_			
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file F If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization		7g 7h					
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained		/ 11					
Ū	sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	r by tho	8					
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.							
	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		9a					
	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		9b					
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:							
а	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:							
а	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						
	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form	I I	12a					
	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.		40					
а	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?		13a					
L	Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.							
а	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the	13b						
_	organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c						
		190	14a		Х			
	If "Yes " has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No " provide an explanation in Schedul		14b					

INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 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			Х
Sec	tion 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 10			
	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.			
b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent 1b 9			
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?	2		х
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?	3		Х
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4		Х
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5		Х
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6		Х
7a				
	more members of the governing body?	7a		Х
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or			
	persons other than the governing body?	7b		х
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:			
а	The governing body?	8a	х	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	Х	
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	9		Х
Sec	tion 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?	10a		Х
b	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?	10b		
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11a	Х	
b	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	12a	Х	
b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	Х	
С	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe			
	in Schedule O how this was done	12c	Х	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	Х	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	Х	
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?			
	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	Х	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	Х	
	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?	16a		Х
b	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?	16b		
Sec	tion C. Disclosure			
17	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed CT, NJ, NY, CA, AL, FL, IL, MA, MD, OR, PA, VA			
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) a	vailab	le	
	for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.			
	X Own website Another's website X 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	finan	cial	
_	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:			
	LUCY BERKOWITZ - (203)672-9502			
	101 WHITNEY AVENUE, NEW HAVEN, CT 06510			

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

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

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

- 1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.
- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
 - List all of the organization's current key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five current highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

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

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

(A)	(B)			((C)			(D)	(E)	(F)
Name and Title	Average	(do	Position (do not check more than one		Reportable	Reportable	Estimated			
	hours per	box	, unle	ss pe	rson	is bot	th an	compensation	compensation	amount of
	week	_		10 0	111000) i i de	1	from	from related	other
	(list any hours for	Individual trustee or director				Ļ		the organization	organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	compensation from the
	related	ee or	stee			Highest compensated employee		(W-2/1099-MISC)	(** 2) 1000 (***)	organization
	organizations	Itrust	nal tru		oyee	ompe				and related
	below	vidua	Institutional trustee	Ser	Key employee	hest c	Former			organizations
	line)	lndi	Inst	Officer	Key	High	- Pa			
(1) DEAN KARLAN	5.00									
FOUNDER, PRESIDENT		Х		Х				0.	0.	0.
(2) TREY BECK	5.00									
CHAIRMAN		Х		Х				0.	0.	0.
(3) STEPHEN TOBEN	5.00	1								
VICE CHAIRMAN		Х		Х				0.	0.	0.
(4) WENDY ABT	5.00	1								
DIRECTOR / TRUSTEE		Х						0.	0.	0.
(5) BENJAMIN S. APPEN	5.00									
DIRECTOR / TRUSTEE		Х						0.	0.	0.
(6) HEATHER WOODRUFF GRIZZLE	5.00									
DIRECTOR / TRUSTEE		Х						0.	0.	0.
(7) LAURA HATTENDORF	5.00									
DIRECTOR / TRUSTEE		Х						0.	0.	0.
(8) JAMES J. PRESCOTT	5.00									
DIRECTOR / TRUSTEE		Х						0.	0.	0.
(9) KENTARO TOYAMA	5.00									
DIRECTOR / TRUSTEE		Х						0.	0.	0.
(10) ANKUR VORA	5.00									
DIRECTOR / TRUSTEE		Х						0.	0.	0.
(11) LUCY BERKOWITZ	40.00									
CHIEF FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFIC				Х				181,672.	0.	14,504.
(12) ANNIE DUFLO	40.00									
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER				Х				171,456.	0.	8,197.
(13) STACEY DAVES-OHLIN	40.00									
GENERAL COUNSEL/CHRO					Х			166,250.	0.	23,026.
(14) PORANEE KINGPETCHARAT	40.00									
CHIEF INFORMATIONS OFFICER						Х	L	144,628.	0.	2,479.
(15) JULIE PETERS	40.00	1								
GRANTS DIRECTOR						Х	L	115,804.	0.	13,484.
(16) PACE P PHILLIPS	40.00	1								
DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS & PROGRAMS DEVE			<u> </u>			Х	<u></u>	103,274.	0.	14,408.
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Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Tru	stees, Key Em	ploy	ees	, an	d Hi	ighe	st C	Compensated Employe	es (continued)				
(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week	box offi	not c	Pos check ess pe nd a d	more rson	than	th an	(D) Reportable compensation from	(E) Reportable compensatio from related	on I		(F) stimate nount other	
	(list any hours for related organizations below line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	organization (W-2/1099-MIS		fr org an	pensa om the anizat d relat anizati	e ion ed
1b Sub-total								883,084.		0.		76	,098.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part \ d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)	/II, Section A						>	0. 883,084.		0.			0.
Total number of individuals (including but compensation from the organization							ho r	eceived more than \$100	0,000 of reportab	le			
3 Did the organization list any former office				-	-	-		-	•			Yes	No
 line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sand related organizations greater than \$15 	sum of reportab	le co	omp	ensa	ation	n and	d ot	her compensation from	the organization		4	х	Х
 5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or rendered to the organization? If "Yes," cor 	accrue compe	nsat	ion 1	from	any	/ uni	relat	ted organization or indiv			5	21	х
Section B. Independent Contractors	•			ĺ									
Complete this table for your five highest c the organization. Report compensation for										npens	ation 1	from	
(A) Name and busines	s address	NO	NE					(B) Description of s	services	C	ompe		n
Total number of independent contractors \$100,000 of compensation from the organ		not li	mite	d to		se li: 0	stec	d above) who received m	nore than				
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Part VIII | Statement of Revenue

		Check if Schedule O.c.	ontains a respons	se or note to any line	e in this Part VIII			
		Check if Schedule O c	oritaine a respond	or or more to any mix	(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514
ıts Its	1 :	a Federated campaigns	1a					
ar our		b Membership dues						
S, G		c Fundraising events						
ar,		d Related organizations						
ini'		e Government grants (contri		4,861,715.				
tion	1	f All other contributions, gifts, g	rants, and					
the		similar amounts not included	above 1f	37,652,195.				
	9	g Noncash contributions included in	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	701,559.				
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts		h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		>	42,513,910.			
				Business Code				
9	2 8	a						
ē Ž	ı	b		_				
S c	(c		_				
ev ev	(d		_				
Program Service Revenue	(e						
ه ا		f All other program service r						
_		g Total. Add lines 2a-2f						
	3	j						
		other similar amounts)			5,541.			5,541
	4		•	· -				
	5	Royalties						
			(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
		a Gross rents						
		b Less: rental expenses						
		c Rental income or (loss)						
		d Net rental income or (loss)						
	7 8	a Gross amount from sales of	· · ·	s (ii) Other				
		assets other than inventor	у					
	ı	b Less: cost or other basis		1 1				
		and sales expenses		+				
		c Gain or (loss)						
		d Net gain or (loss)						
ne	8 8	a Gross income from fundral	`	1 1				
Other Revenu		including \$	of	1 1				
Be		contributions reported on	•					
her		Part IV, line 18						
₹		b Less: direct expenses		р				
		c Net income or (loss) from f		······				
	9 7	a Gross income from gaming	•					
		Part IV, line 19						
		b Less: direct expensesc Net income or (loss) from or						
		a Gross sales of inventory, le	, ,					
	10 6	and allowances						
		b Less: cost of goods sold						
		c Net income or (loss) from s						
ŀ		Miscellaneous Reve		Business Code				
ł	11 :	_		Dusiness Code				
				-				
		С		-				
		d All other revenue		-				
		e Total. Add lines 11a-11d						
	12				42,519,451.	0.	0.	5,541

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 respons				
	not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations				
	and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	1,953,176.	1,953,176.		
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic				
	individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign				
	organizations, foreign governments, and foreign				
	individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	1,225,376.	1,225,376.		
4	Benefits paid to or for members				
5	Compensation of current officers, directors,				
	trustees, and key employees	375,829.	300,664.	71,407.	3,758.
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified				
	persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and				
	persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	12 112 222			
7	Other salaries and wages	19,443,852.	14,866,161.	4,288,513.	289,178.
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include				
_	section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)				
9	Other employee benefits				
10	Payroll taxes				
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
а					
b					
С					
d	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				
е	,				
f	Investment management fees				
g	,	2 450 506		506 405	
	column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.)	3,158,526.	2,632,039.	526,487.	
12	Advertising and promotion	000 100	C01 40F	122 022	0.762
13	Office expenses	823,199.	681,405.	133,032.	8,762.
14	Information technology	1,187,582.	865,568.	299,806.	22,208.
15	Royalties	1 000 411	060 540	104 007	22.044
16	Occupancy	1,068,411.	860,540.	184,927.	22,944.
17	Travel	3,531,872.	3,313,227.	197,016.	21,629.
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses				
	for any federal, state, or local public officials	614 462	F.C.F. 0.7.7	42.701	6 505
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	614,463.	565,077.	42,791.	6,595.
20	Interest	49,947.	17.	49,930.	
21	Payments to affiliates	64 545	17 022	AA 016	2 606
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	64,545.	17,033.	44,816.	2,696. 6,322.
23	Other expanses Itemize expanses not covered	209,653.	98,264.	105,067.	0,322.
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.)				
а	PROGRAM SUPPLIES	1,410,521.	1,410,503.	18.	
b	OTHER EXPENSES	1,372,256.	1,046,659.	255,723.	69,874.
С	OUTSIDE SERVICES	863,213.	862,538.	637.	38.
d	MOTOR VEHICLE EXPENSE	581,178.	580,040.	1,138.	
е	All other expenses	400,669.	669.	400,000.	
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	38,334,268.	31,278,956.	6,601,308.	454,004.
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization	·	-		•
	reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined				
	educational campaign and fundraising solicitation.				

Form 990 (2017) Part X Balance Sheet

Par	ιΛ	Balance Sneet					
		Check if Schedule O contains a response or not	e to ar	y line in this Part X			
					(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing			5,894,612.	1	5,596,837.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments			22,210.	2	724,144.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net			2,567,055.	3	1,552,648.
	4	Accounts receivable, net		13,617,634.	4	10,121,478.	
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and for					
		trustees, key employees, and highest compensation	ated er	nployees. Complete			
		Part II of Schedule L			5		
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disquali	fied pe	rsons (as defined under			
		section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section	4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing			
		employers and sponsoring organizations of sect	ion 50	1(c)(9) voluntary			
ts		employees' beneficiary organizations (see instr).	Comp	lete Part II of Sch L		6	
Assets	7	Notes and loans receivable, net				7	
₹	8	Inventories for sale or use				8	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			394,957.	9	1,101,565.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other					
		basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	1,155,495.			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation		888,740.	90,190.	10c	266,755.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11			
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line			12		
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line			13		
	14	Intangible assets	[14		
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		42,669.	15	94,925.	
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equ	II	22,629,327.	16	19,458,352.	
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			5,127,319.	17	4,297,951.
	18	Grants payable		18			
	19	Deferred revenue		20,418,872.	19	13,892,082.	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities				20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete		II		21	
န္	22	Loans and other payables to current and former	office	s, directors, trustees,			
≝		key employees, highest compensated employee	s, and	disqualified persons.			
Liabilities		Complete Part II of Schedule L				22	
5	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrela				23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelate	d third	parties		24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, pa	yables	to related third			
		parties, and other liabilities not included on lines	17-24	. Complete Part X of			
		Schedule D			1,200,000.	25	1,200,000.
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			26,746,191.	26	19,390,033.
		Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), ched	k here 🕨 🗓 and			
es		complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and	d 34.				
ا يو	27	Unrestricted net assets			-6,138,668.	27	-1,321,900.
3a(28	Temporarily restricted net assets			2,021,804.	28	1,390,219.
<u> </u>	29	Permanently restricted net assets				29	
ᆵ		Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (A					
ō		and complete lines 30 through 34.					
ets	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds				30	
4ss	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or ed	uipme	nt fund		31	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated in	come,	or other funds		32	
Z	33	Total net assets or fund balances			-4,116,864.	33	68,319.
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		II	22,629,327.	34	19,458,352.

Pa	rt XI Reconciliation of Net Assets							
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI		<u></u>					
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1			<u>,451</u> .			
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2			,268.			
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	4	,185	,183.			
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	-4	,116	,864.			
5	5 Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments 5							
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		68	,319.			
Pa	rt XII Financial Statements and Reporting							
	Check 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 X Accrual Other							
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.							
2a	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	d on a						
	separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:							
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis							
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		2b	Х				
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate	e basis,						
	consolidated basis, or both:							
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis							
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the	e audit,						
	review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?		2c	Х				
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Sch	edule O.						
За	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?		За	Х				
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required							
	or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		3b	Х				
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SCHEDULE A

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Name of the organization

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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.

► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

Open to Public Inspection

Employer identification number

INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION 06-1660068 Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions. Part I 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 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). 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: 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.) A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v). 7 X 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.) An agricultural research organization described in section 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 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4). 12 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. 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. 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. ☐ 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. 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. Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type III, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization. f Enter the number of supported organizations

Provide the following information about the supported organization(s). (iv) Is the organization listed (i) Name of supported (ii) EIN (iii) Type of organization (v) Amount of monetary (vi) Amount of other in your governing document? (described on lines 1-10 organization support (see instructions) support (see instructions) Yes No above (see instructions)) 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, or 8 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.)

Sec	ction A. Public Support						
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and						
	membership fees received. (Do not						
	include any "unusual grants.")	40,518,319.	42,565,771.	39,163,597.	49,609,926.	42,513,910.	214,371,523.
2	Tax revenues levied for the organ-						
	ization'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	40,518,319.	42,565,771.	39,163,597.	49,609,926.	42,513,910.	214,371,523.
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)						27,482,488.
	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						186,889,035.
Sec	ction B. Total Support						
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
7	Amounts from line 4	40,518,319.	42,565,771.	39,163,597.	49,609,926.	42,513,910.	214,371,523.
8	Gross income from interest,						
	dividends, payments received on						
	securities loans, rents, royalties,						
	and income from similar sources	7,226.	3,036.	2,565.	14,470.	5,541.	32,838.
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						214,404,361.
12	Gross receipts from related activities,	etc. (see instruction	ons)			12	
13	First five years. If the Form 990 is for	r the organization's	s first, second, third	d, fourth, or fifth ta	ax year as a sectio	n 501(c)(3)	
	organization, check this box and stor						<u></u>
Sec	ction C. Computation of Publ	ic Support Pe	rcentage				
	Public support percentage for 2017 (14	87.17 %
15	Public support percentage from 2016	Schedule A, Part	II, line 14			15	87.97 %
16a	33 1/3% support test - 2017. If the	organization did no	ot check the box or	n line 13, and line	14 is 33 1/3% or n	nore, check this bo	
	stop here. The organization qualifies	as a publicly supp	orted organization				X
b	33 1/3% support test - 2016. If the	organization did no	ot check a box on li	ine 13 or 16a, and	line 15 is 33 1/3%	or more, check th	nis box
	and stop here. The organization qual	lifies as a publicly s	supported organiza	ation			▶□
17a	10% -facts-and-circumstances tes						
	and if the organization meets the "fac	cts-and-circumstan	ces" test, check th	nis box and stop h	ere. Explain in Par	t VI how the orgar	nization
	meets the "facts-and-circumstances"	test. The organiza	tion qualifies as a	publicly supported	d organization		
b	10% -facts-and-circumstances tes						
	more, and if the organization meets the	he "facts-and-circu	mstances" test, ch	neck this box and	stop here. Explain	in Part VI how the)
	organization meets the "facts-and-circ	cumstances" test.	The organization of	qualifies as a public	cly supported orga	anization	
18	Private foundation. If the organization	on did not check a	box on line 13, 16a	a, 16b, 17a, or 17b	o, check this box a	nd see instruction	s ▶

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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	elow, please com	piete Part II.)				
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2012	(b) 2014	(6) 2015	(4) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
membership fees received. (Do not						
include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services per-						
formed, 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 bus-						
iness under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organ-						
ization'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			1			
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(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.)						
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for	the organization	s first second thi	rd fourth or fifth t	ax vear as a sectio	n 501(c)(3) organiz	ration
check this box and stop here	•	•		•	. , . ,	 ,
Section C. Computation of Publ						
15 Public support percentage for 2017 (I			column (f))		15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2016					16	%
Section D. Computation of Inves					1 1	,,
17 Investment income percentage for 20					17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2					18	%
19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2017. If the						
more than 33 1/3%, check this box a						
b 33 1/3% support tests - 2016. If the						
line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, che						
20 Private foundation. If the organization						

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Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on 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

- 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? 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.
- 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- 3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.
- 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)? If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.
- c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- 4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.
- b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? 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.
- 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)? 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.
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? 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).
- 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?
- c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?
- 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? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 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? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).
- 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).
- 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))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 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? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 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? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 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)? If "Yes," answer 10b below.
 - b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

	Yes	No
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Pa	T IV Supporting Organizations (continued)			
			Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			
а	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?	11a		
b	A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		
	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.	11c		
	tion B. Type I Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to		163	140
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	regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the			
	tax year? 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.	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? 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.	2		
Sec	tion 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)? 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).	1		
Sec	tion D. All Type III Supporting Organizations	<u> </u>		
	aon Divin Type in cupperang organizatione		Yes	No
1	Did the examination provide to each of its supported examinations, by the last day of the fifth month of the		163	NO
'	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? If "No," explain in Part VI how			
	the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).	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? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's			
	supported organizations played in this regard.	3		
Sec	tion 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 yea(see instructions))_		
а	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.			
С	The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see ins	tructions	3)	
2	Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	No
a	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of		103	110
а	the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? 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	0-		
	that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.	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? 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.	2b		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.			
а	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? Provide details in Part VI.	За		
b	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each			
	of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.	3b		

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Pa	rt V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supportin	g Orga	anizations		
1	Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying	g trust o	n Nov. 20, 1970 (explair	n in Part VI.) See ins	tructions. Al
	other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must co	mplete S	Sections A through E.		
Sect	ion A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Currer (option	
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			
Sect	ion B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Currer (option	
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see				
	instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):				
а	Average monthly value of securities	1a			
b	Average monthly cash balances	1 b			
С	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c			
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d			
е	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			
Sect	ion 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-functional	ly integra	ated Type III supporting	organization (see	

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instructions).

Par	I v Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509	(a)(3) Supporting Orga	anizations _(continued)	
Secti	on D - Distributions		,	Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exe	empt purposes		
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt	ot purposes of supported		
	organizations, in excess of income from activity			
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purpos	es of supported organizatior	IS	
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 t	he organization is responsive	e	
	(provide details in Part VI). See instructions.			
9	Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6			
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	1		
Secti	on E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2017	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2017
1	Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2017 (reason-			
	able cause required- explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017			
а				
b	From 2013			
с	From 2014			
d	From 2015			
е	From 2016			
f	Total of lines 3a through e			
	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
	Applied to 2017 distributable amount			
i_	Carryover from 2012 not applied (see instructions)			
<u>j</u>	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2017 from Section D,			
	line 7: \$			
	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
	Applied to 2017 distributable amount			
	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2017, if			
	any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater			
	than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2017. Subtract lines 3h			
	and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in			
	Part VI. See instructions.			
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Add lines 3j			
	and 4c.			
8_	Breakdown of line 7: Excess from 2013			
	Excess from 2013 Excess from 2014			
	Excess from 2015			
	Excess from 2016			
	Excess from 2017			
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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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SCHEDULE D (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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Pai	t I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advise	ed Funds or Other Similar Funds	s or Accounts. Complete if the
	organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lin	ne 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 advis	sed funds
	are the organization's property, subject to the organization's	•	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor a		
	for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor of		
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1	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organizati	ion (check all that apply).	
	Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or e		orically important land area
	Protection of natural habitat	Preservation of a cert	tified historic structure
	Preservation of open space		
2	Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualit	fied conservation contribution in the form	of a conservation easement on the last
	day of the tax year.		Held at the End of the Tax Year
а	Total number of conservation easements		2a
b			
С	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic str	ructure included in (a)	2c
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired	after 7/25/06, and not on a historic struct	ure
	listed in the National Register		2d
3	Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, re-		
	year ▶		
4	Number of states where property subject to conservation ea	sement is located	
5	Does the organization have a written policy regarding the per	riodic monitoring, inspection, handling of	
	violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements i	t holds?	Yes No
6	Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting,		
	>		
7	Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, hand	dling of violations, and enforcing conserva	ation easements during the year
	▶ \$		
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above		
	and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?		Yes
9	In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation		
	include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization	tion's financial statements that describes	the organization's accounting for
_	conservation easements.		
Pai	t III Organizations Maintaining Collections o		other Similar Assets.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form		
1a	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (AS	•	
	historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exh	nibition, education, or research in furthera	ance of public service, provide, in Part XIII,
	the text of the footnote to its financial statements that descri	ibes these items.	
b	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (AS	SC 958), to report in its revenue statemen	t and balance sheet works of art, historical
	treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, ed	ducation, or research in furtherance of pu	ıblic 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 tre		al gain, provide
	the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 1		
а	Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		
h	Assets included in Form 990, Part X		▶ \$

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Pai	t III Organizations Maintaining C	ollections of A	rt, Hist	torical Tr	easures, o	r Other	Similar Ass	sets(contir	nued)
3	Using the organization's acquisition, accession	on, and other record	ds, check	k any of the	following that	are a sign	ificant use of i	ts collectio	n items
	(check all that apply):								
а	Public exhibition	c	ı 🖳 ı	Loan or exc	hange progra	ms			
b	Scholarly research	e	, 🔲	Other					
С	Preservation for future generations								
4	Provide a description of the organization's co	llections and explai	in how th	ney further t	he organizatio	n's exemp	t purpose in F	art XIII.	
5	During the year, did the organization solicit or	receive donations	of art, hi	storical trea	sures, or othe	er similar as	ssets		
	to be sold to raise funds rather than to be ma	intained as part of	the orga	nization's c	ollection?		[Yes	☐ No
Pai	t IV Escrow and Custodial Arrang	gements. Compl	ete if the	organizatio	n answered "	Yes" on Fo	orm 990, Part I	V, line 9, or	
	reported an amount on Form 990, Par	t X, line 21.							
1a	Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodia	an or other intermed	diary for	contribution	ns or other ass	sets not inc	cluded		
	on Form 990, Part X?						[Yes	☐ No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII a	and complete the fo	ollowing t	able:					
								Amoun	t
С	Beginning balance						1c		
d	Additions during the year						1d		
е	Distributions during the year						1e		
f	Ending balance						1f		
2a	Did the organization include an amount on Fo	orm 990, Part X, line	21, for e	escrow or c	ustodial accou	unt liability	?[Yes	No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII.	Check here if the e	xplanatic	n has been	provided on I	Part XIII			
Pai	t V Endowment Funds. Complete if	the organization ar	swered	"Yes" on Fo	orm 990, Part	IV, line 10.			
		(a) Current year	(b) P	rior year	(c) Two years	s back (d)	Three years bad	ck (e) Four	years back
1a	Beginning of year balance								
b	Contributions								
С	Net investment earnings, gains, and losses								
d	Grants or scholarships								
е	Other expenditures for facilities								
	and programs								
f	Administrative expenses								
g	End of year balance								
2	Provide the estimated percentage of the curr	ent year end baland	ce (line 1	g, column (a	a)) held as:				
а	Board designated or quasi-endowment		_%						
b	Permanent endowment	%							
С	Temporarily restricted endowment	<u></u> %							
	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c show	uld equal 100%.							
За	Are there endowment funds not in the posses	ssion of the organiz	ation tha	at are held a	and administer	red for the	organization	_	
	by:								Yes No
	(i) unrelated organizations							3a(i)	
	(ii) related organizations							3a(ii)	
b	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organiza	tions listed as requi	red on S	chedule R?				3b	
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the	organization's endo	owment t	funds.					
Pai	t VI Land, Buildings, and Equipm	ent.							
	Complete if the organization answered	d "Yes" on Form 99	0, Part IV	/, line 11a. 9	See Form 990,	, Part X, lin	e 10.		
	Description of property	(a) Cost or o	other		or other	٠,	umulated	(d) Boo	k value
		basis (investr	ment)	basis	(other)	depre	ciation		
1a	Land								
b	Buildings								
	Leasehold improvements				337,335.		334,928.		2,407.
	Equipment				235,297.		190,944.		44,353.
	Other				582,863.		362,868.		219,995.

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266,755.

e Other

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)

Part VII	Investments - Other Securities.			
(-) Decerin	Complete if the organization answered "Yes"			
	otion of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Co	st or end-of-year market value
	al derivatives			
	-held equity interests			
(3) Other				
(A)				
(B)				
(C)				
(D)				
(E)				
(F)				
(G)				
(H)				
	b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.)			
Part VIII	Investments - Program Related.			
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes"			
	(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Co	st or end-of-year market value
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
(5)				
(6)				
(7)				
(8)				
(9)				
Total. (Col. (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. (Colu	ımn (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) lin	e 15.)		
Part X	Other Liabilities.			
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes"	on Form 990, Part IV,		X, line 25.
<u>1.</u>	(a) Description of liability		(b) Book value	
	deral income taxes			
(2) LIN	NE OF CREDIT		1,200,000.	
(3)				
(4)				
(5)				
(6)				
(7)				
(8)				
(9)				
Total. (Colu	ımn (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) lin	e 25.)	1,200,000.	
	for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide		te to the organization's financial stat	ements that reports the
-	ation's liability for uncertain tax positions under		_	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

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	1	42,519,451.
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	3	42,519,451.
	4c	0. 42,519,451.
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	1	38,334,268.
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	2e 3	0. 38,334,268.
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	4c	0.
	5	38,334,268.
4	1; Part	X, line 2; Part XI,

Pai	t XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Sta	tements With Reve	nue per Return.	
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line	e 12a.		
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		1	42,519,451.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:			
а	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a		
b	Donated services and use of facilities			
С	Recoveries of prior year grants			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)			
е	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	0.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			42,519,451.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:			
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)			
С	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	0.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)		5	42,519,451.
Pa	t XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Sta		enses per Return.	1
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line	e 12a.		
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		1	38,334,268.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:			
а	Donated services and use of facilities	2a		
b	Prior year adjustments			
С	Other losses			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)			
е	Add lines 2a through 2d	' 	2e	0.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			38,334,268.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:			
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)			
С	Add lines 4a and 4b	•	4c	0.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18			38,334,268.
Pa	t XIII Supplemental Information.			
Prov	de 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, I	ine 2; Part XI,
lines	2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide an	y additional information.		
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SCHEDULE F (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

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

Attach to Form 990.

► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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Employer identification number

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General Information on Activities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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 X 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. (T			an be duplicated if additional space is		_
(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in the region	(d) Activities conducted in the region (by type) (such as, fundraising, pro- gram services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	is a program service,	expenditures for and investments in the region
CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	0	26	PROGRAM SERVICES	IMPACT EVALUATION	1,806,017
FACE ACTA AND MUR					
EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC	1	13	PROGRAM SERVICES	IMPACT EVALUATION	2,449,152
MIDDLE EAST AND					
NORTH AFRICA	0	5	PROGRAM SERVICES	IMPACT EVALUATION	304,369
NORTH AMERICA	3	153	PROGRAM SERVICES	IMPACT EVALUATION	6,528,787
SOUTH AMERICA	3	6	PROGRAM SERVICES	IMPACT EVALUATION	898,888
SOUTH ASIA	2	34	PROGRAM SERVICES	IMPACT EVALUATION	2,133,104
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	14	507	PROGRAM SERVICES	IMPACT EVALUATION	24,213,950
2.c. Sub-total	23	744			38,334,267
a Sub-totalb Total from continuation sheets to Part I	0				0
c Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)	23				38,334,267

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Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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 noncash assistance	(h) Description of noncash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV appraisal, other)
		SUB-SAHARAN	IMPACT EVALUATION					
		AFRICA	MCME GHANA	232,244.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
			E WAREHOUSING FOR					
		SUB-SAHARAN	SMALLHOLDER FARMERS -		L			
		AFRICA	UGANDA	77,682.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
			E WAREHOUSING FOR					
		SUB-SAHARAN	SMALLHOLDER FARMERS -					
		AFRICA	UGANDA	55,213.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
				<i>'</i>				
		SUB-SAHARAN						
		AFRICA	UCB6967	18,101.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		SUB-SAHARAN	DEAGU /ODUEDD					
		AFRICA	REACH/CBHEPP	17 200	WIDE MDANCEED	0.		
		AFRICA	EVALUATION DETECTION OF	17,200.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
			SOIL-TRANSMITTED					
		SUB-SAHARAN	HELMINTH INFECTIONS					
		AFRICA	IN CHILDREN	8 901	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
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			HIR0001 - SAROJINI					
		SUB-SAHARAN	CONTRIBUTION TO SME					
		AFRICA	PRODUCTIVITY UGANDA	7,161.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
			E WAREHOUSING FOR					
		SUB-SAHARAN	SMALLHOLDER FARMERS -					
		AFRICA	UGANDA	6,946.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		

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 II Continuation o	f Grants and Other	Assistance to Organiza	ations or Entities Outside the	United States.	(Schedule F (Form 9	90), Part II, line	1)	r ago <u>z</u>
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)
		SUB-SAHARAN	UCS9708 UCSD SUBAWARD					
		AFRICA	75579708	3,821.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		SUB-SAHARAN	PROJCON RESEARCHER CONTRIBUTIONS TO					
		AFRICA	PROJECTS	2,946.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
				•				
			ASSET					
		SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	COLLATERALOZATION AND ENDOWMENT EFFECTS	2 068	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		THE REPORT OF THE PERSON OF TH	ENSOWIENT ETTECTS	2,000.	WIRE HUMBIEN	•		
				60.055				
		SOUTH ASIA	GATES OPP1114464	62,855.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		_
			EMPOWERING GIRLS IN					
		SOUTH ASIA	RURAL BANGALADESH	53,478.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
			EMPOWERING GIRLS IN					
		SOUTH ASIA	RURAL BANGALADESH	50,000.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
			EMPOWERING GIRLS IN					
		SOUTH ASIA	RURAL BANGALADESH	42,490.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
			EFFECTS OF STRESS ON					
		SOUTH ASIA	WORKER WELL-BEING AND PROD	8 000	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
				0,000.	THE THEOLER			<u> </u>
		SOUTH ASIA	MOBILE MONEY PAKISTAN	6 033	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
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Part II Continua		er Assistance to Organiz	ations or Entities Outside the	United States	(Schedule F (Form 9	990). Part II. line	1)	1 age Z
1	1 (b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable) (c) Region		(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount	(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)
		MIDDLE ENGE (NODELL						
		MIDDLE EAST/NORTH AFRICA	GATES OPP1114464	54 370	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		AFRICA	GAILD OITILITED	34,370.	WIKE IKANSPEK	Ŭ.		
			IDB0916: EARLY					
		CENTRAL AMERICA	CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT					
		AND CARRIBBEAN	STRATEGY	16,670.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		CENTRAL AMERICA	UCB0007: IMPACT					
		AND CARRIBBEAN	EVALUATION OF PROSOLI	5,042.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		CENTRAL AMERICA						
		AND CARRIBBEAN	GATES OPP1114464	3 247	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
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			MOVING BEYOND					
		CENTRAL AMERICA	CONDITIONAL CASH					
		AND CARRIBBEAN	TRANSFERS	2,798.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		SOUTH AMERICA -						
		ARGENTINA,						
		BOLIVIA, BRAZIL,						
		CHILE, COLUMBIA,	ESCAPING POVERTY	316,958.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		SOUTH AMERICA -						
		ARGENTINA,						
		BOLIVIA, BRAZIL, CHILE, COLUMBIA,	GATES OPP1114464	31 427	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		SOUTH AMERICA -	GATES OFFITTIA OF	31,427	WIKE IKANSPEK	Ŭ.		
		ARGENTINA,	UNCOVERING BARRIERS					
		BOLIVIA, BRAZIL,	TO HIGH GROWTH					
		CHILE, COLUMBIA,	ENTREPRENEURSHIP	4,975.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
		EUROPE (INCLUDING	EQUITY BASED					
		ICELAND &	MICROFINANCE					
		GREENLAND) -	CONTRACTS FOR					
		ALBANIA, ANDORRA,	MICROENTERPRISES	70,000.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		

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Part II Continuation of	f Grants and Other	Assistance to Organiza	ations or Entities Outside the	United States.	(Schedule F (Form 9	90), Part II, line	1)	, ago 2
1 (a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(a) Davies	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount	(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)
		EUROPE (INCLUDING						
		ICELAND &						
			LOCAL BUDGET					
		ALBANIA, ANDORRA,	TRANSPARENCY (BTI)	64,670.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 16. Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed. (h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other) (c) Number of (d) Amount of (e) Manner of (f) Amount of (g) Description of (a) Type of grant or assistance (b) Region recipients cash grant cash disbursement noncash noncash assistance assistance NONE 0. 0 0.

Schedule F (Form 990) 2017 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	X 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; don't file with Form 990)	Yes	X 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	X 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	X 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	X 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; don't file with Form 990)	Yes	X 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) (acco investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method	ethod); and Part III, column	(c)
PART I, LINE 2:		
PRIOR TO ISSUING A SUBAWARD, IPA CONDUCTS A DUE DILIGENCE PROCESS TO		
EVALUATE SUBAWARDEES, INCLUDING GENERAL INFORMATION ON THE ORGANIZATION,		
ITS HISTORY, FINANCIAL SYSTEMS AND INTERNAL CONTROLS AND COPIES OF		
FEDERAL SINGLE AUDITS (IF APPLICABLE) OR TWO YEARS OF AUDITED FINANCIAL		
STATEMENTS. IPA ALSO REVIEWS THE ORGANIZATION AND ITS OFFICERS AGAINST		
THE RELEVANT ANTI-TERRORISM AND DEBARRED AGENCIES LISTS. ONCE AN		
ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN VETTED AND APPROVED TO RECEIVE A SUBAWARD, IPA		
SIGNS A SUBAWARD AGREEMENT WITH THE ORGANIZATION THAT SPECIFIES THE SCOPE		
OF WORK, BUDGET, PAYMENT TERMS AND DELIVERABLES. IPA'S PROGRAM STAFF		
MONITOR PERFORMANCE BY SUBAWARDEES AND RECEIVE AND APPROVE DELIVERABLES		
PRIOR TO APPROVING RELEASE OF PAYMENT. FINANCIAL REPORTS ARE REVIEWED		
AGAINST APPROVED BUDGETS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION IS REQUESTED FOR		
ANY QUESTIONED EXPENSES. FINAL PAYMENT IS NOT RELEASED UNTIL ALL		
DELIVERABLES HAVE BEEN MET, INCLUDING FINANCIAL REPORTING.		

SCHEDULE I (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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.

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Name of the organization							Employer identification number
	FOR POVERTY AC	TION					06-1660068
Part I General Information on Grants	and Assistance						
1 Does the organization maintain records							
criteria used to award the grants or ass	sistance?						X Yes No
2 Describe in Part IV the organization's p							
Part II Grants and Other Assistance to					anization answered "Y	es" on Form 990, Part	: IV, line 21, for any
recipient that received more than		<u> </u>	i :		(f) Method of	1	I
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	valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
BALTIMORE CASH CAMPAIGN, C/O JOB							
OPPORTUNITIES TASK FORCE - 217							
EAST REDWOOD STREET, SUITE 1500 -							
BALTIMORE, MD 21202	52-2278450	C CORPORATION	4,459.	0.			BALTIMORE CASH
COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY 116TH & BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10027	13-5598093	501C3	12,607.	0.			IGC9213 1-VRC-VLIB-VXXXX-89213
COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, INC 635 MAIN STREET MIDDLETOWN, CT 06457	06-0897105	501C3	39,822.	0.			ROMAN, EMMANUEL
EMORY UNIVERSITY 201 DOWMAN DRIVE			,				CBEHPP EVALUATION
ATLANTA, GA 30322	58-0566256	501C3	16,084.	0.			SUPPLEMENT
FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY RESEARCH FOUNDATION - 2000 LEVY AVENUE, BUILDING A SUITE 351 -							IMPACTS OF BIHAR RURAL
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32310	59-3211153	501C3	34,364.	0.			LIVELIHOODS
GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY 4400 UNIVERSITY DRIVE FAIRFAX, VA 22030	54-0836354	EXEMPT, SEC 170	3,461.	0.			WEL3968 VAW MEXICO
2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3)	•	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · · ·			ı	25.
3 Enter total number of other organizatio	-	-					4.

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(a) Name and address of	(b) CINI	(a) IDC section	(d) Amount of	(a) Amount of	(f) Mothod of	(a) Description of	(h) Durnage of grant
(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
GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY							
37 AND O STREET NW							CBEHPP EVALUATION
WASHINGTON, DC 20057	53-0196603	501C3	3,634.	0.			SUPPLEMENT
GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY							
37 AND O STREET NW							FINANCIAL SERVICES FOR
WASHINGTON, DC 20057	53-0196603	501C3	5,000.	0.			THE POOR RESEARCH FUND_US
INTERNATIONAL FOOD POLICY RESEARCH							
INSTITUTE - 1201 I STREET NW -							CONSERVATION AGRICULTURE
WASHINGTON, DC 20005	52-1041632	501C3	13,736.	0.			GHANA (CAGE)
INTERNATIONAL FOOD POLICY RESEARCH							IMPACTS OF BIHAR RURAL
INSTITUTE - 1201 I STREET NW -							LIVELIHOODS 3IE OW3.1243
WASHINGTON, DC 20005	52-1041632	501C3	99,998.	0.			INDIA
INTERNATIONAL HEALTH RESEARCH							
ASSOCIATES - 337 WEST SISTER VIEW							CBEHPP EVALUATION
AVENUE - SISTERS, OR 97759	75-3029804	FOR PROFIT	2,000.	0.			SUPPLEMENT
			_,::::	- •			STRENGTHENING THE
INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE							EVIDENCE BASE FOR IPV
(IRC) - 122 EAST 42ND STREET - NEW							PREVENTION (INCLUDES
YORK, NY 10168	13-5660870	501C3	332,348.	0.			SUBCONTRACT TO IRC)
INTUIT							
2632 MARINE WAY							FINANCIAL SERVICES FOR
MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043	77-0034661	C CORPORATION	130,018.	0.			THE POOR RESEARCH FUND_US
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY							
426 AUDITORIUM ROAD							JCF0002 COCOA PRODUCING
EAST LANSING, MI 48824	38-6005984	501C3	12,267.	0.			COMMUNITIES
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY							
426 AUDITORIUM ROAD							LSH0001 IMMANA FARMER
EAST LANSING, MI 48824	38-6005984	501C3	25,955.	0.			LIVELIHOODS

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Part II Continuation of Grants and Other	Assistance to G	overnments and Orga	anizations in the U	nited States (Sch	edule I (Form 990), Pa	art II.)	
(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
MONEY MANAGEMENT INTERNATIONAL INC 14141 SOUTHWEST FREEWAY,	76-0691702	FOR PROFIT	16 127	0.			FORD FOUNDATION 0150-074
SUITE 1000 - SUGAR LAND, TX 77478	76-0691702	FOR PROFIT	16,137.	0.			FORD FOUNDATION 0150-074:
NEW YORK UNIVERSITY 70 WASHINGTON SQUARE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10012	13-5562308	501C3	140,079.	0.			WBK5595 PRE-SCHOOL
NEW YORK, NY 10012	13-5562308	501C3	140,079.	0.			QUALITY GHANA
NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY 601 UNIVERSITY PLACE, SUITE 8 EVANSTON, IL 60208	04-2103580	501C3	3,625.	0.			MIT3906 SUBAWARD 5710003906
PRESIDENT & FELLOWS OF HARVARD COLLEGE - 1563 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE - CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138	04-2103580	501C3	20,000.	0.			FINANCIAL SERVICES FOR THE POOR RESEARCH FUND US
RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK - P.O. BOX 9 - ALBANY, NY 12207	14-1368361	501C3	42,753.	0.			SOAPY WATER
SEARCH FOR COMMON GROUND 1601 CONNECTICUT AVENUE NW, SUITE	14 1300301	50103	42,733.				EVALUATING THE FAST-TRACE TRANSFORMATIONAL TEACHER TRAINING (FTTT) & MODEL
WASHINGTON, DC 20009	52-1257425	501C3	68,415.	0.			PRACTICE CLASSROOMS IN
STANFORD UNIVERSITY 3145 PORTER DRIVE							
PALO ALTO, CA 94304	94-1156365	501C3	15,949.	0.			SOAPY WATER
THE COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY 200 STADIUM DRIVE WILLIAMSBURG, VA 23185	54-0734117	501C3	10,000.	0.			FINANCIAL SERVICES FOR THE POOR RESEARCH FUND_US
THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA- SAN FRANCISCO - 1855 FOLSOM STREET, CUITE 425 - SAN							BMG0012 AHME GATES DFID
FRANCISCO, CA 94143	94-6036493	501C3	87,348.	0.			OPP1044138

Part II Continuation of Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States (Schedule I (Form 990), Part II.)								
(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	
THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - 3003 S. STATE STREET, FIRST FLOOR - ANN ARBOR, MI 48109	38-6006309	501C3	23,106.	0.			MRG003_2355 FINANCE AND NETWORKS: EXPRIMENTS IN CHINA	
THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - 3003 S. STATE STREET, FIRST FLOOR - ANN ARBOR, MI 48109	38-6006309	501C3	29,802.	0.			LSH0001 IMMANA FARMER LIVELIHOODS	
THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - 3003 S. STATE STREET, FIRST FLOOR - ANN ARBOR, MI 48109 THE REGENTS OF UNIVERSITY OF	38-6006309	501C3	215,805.	0.			LABELED REMITTANCES	
CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY - 1739 PLEASANT VALLEY AVENUE - OAKLAND, CA 94611	94-6002123	OTHER, GOV'T.	260,167.	0.			BMG0012 AHME GATES DFID	
THE REGENTS OF UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY - 1739 PLEASANT VALLEY AVENUE - OAKLAND, CA 94611	94-6002123	OTHER, GOV'T.	34,500.	0.			HARD V. SOFT SKILLS W#5234	
THE REGENTS OFTHE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO - 9500 GILMAN DRIVE - LA JOLLA, CA 92093	95-6006-144	501C3	58,772.	0.			UBS0001 UBS PSL LIBERIA	
THE REGENTS OFTHE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO - 9500 GILMAN DRIVE - LA JOLLA, CA 92093	95-6006-144	501C3	30,000.	0.			FINANCIAL SERVICES FOR THE POOR RESEARCH FUND_US	
THE TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA - 801 SPRUCE STREET - PHILADELPHIA, PA 19107	23-1352685	501C3	13,833.	0.			EVALUATING THE FAST-TRACK TRANSFORMATIONAL TEACHER TRAINING (FTTT) & MODEL PRACTICE CLASSROOMS IN	
TUFTS UNIVERSITY, SPONSORED PROGRAMS ACCOUNTING - 419 BOSTON AVENUE - MEDFORD, MA 02155	04-2103634	501C3	51,756.	0.			WASH B UCB-GATES KENYA	

Part II Continuation of Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States (Schedule I (Form 990), Part II.)							
(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
UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA 3451 WALNUT STREET, FRANKLIN BUILD PHILADELPHIA, PA 19104	23-1352685	501C3	36,539.	0.			EVALUATING THE FAST-TRACK TRANSFORMATIONAL TEACHER TRAINING (FTTT) & MODEL PRACTICE CLASSROOMS IN
UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA 1001 NORTH EMMET STREET							ECON & FIN MODELS FOR PRICING & SETTING SANITATION TARIFFS FOR
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22904	54-6001796	501C3	41,769.	0.			THE URBAN POOR
OTHER 101 WHITNEY AVENUE							
NEW HAVEN, CT 06510		OTHER, GOV'T.	17,068.	0.			OTHER
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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individua Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed		e organization answ	ered "Yes" on Form 9	990, Part IV, line 22.		
(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 nonca	ash assistance
Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information re	quired in Part I, lir	ne 2; Part III, columr	n (b); and any other a	dditional information.		
PART I, LINE 2:						
PRIOR TO ISSUING A SUBAWARD, IPA CONDUCTS A DUE DI	LIGENCE PROCE	SS TO				
EVALUATE SUBAWARDEES, INCLUDING GENERAL INFORMATIC	N ON THE ORGA	NIZATION,				
ITS HISTORY, FINANCIAL SYSTEMS AND INTERNAL CONTRO	LS AND COPIES	OF FEDERAL				
SINGLE AUDITS (IF APPLICABLE) OR TWO YEARS OF AUDI	TED FINANCIAL	STATEMENTS.				
IPA ALSO REVIEWS THE ORGANIZATION AND ITS OFFICERS	AGAINST THE	RELEVANT				
ANTI-TERRORISM AND DEBARRED AGENCIES LISTS. ONCE						
VETTED AND APPROVED TO RECEIVE A SUBAWARD, IPA SIG						
THE THE ATTROVER TO RECEIVE A SUBMIND, IFA SIG	TAN A DUDAWAKD	1.GREENEN1				
WITH THE ORGANIZATION THAT SPECIFIES THE SCOPE OF	WORK, BUDGET,	PAYMENT				

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Part IV Supplemental Information
TERMS AND DELIVERABLES. IPA'S PROGRAM STAFF MONITOR PERFORMANCE BY
SUBAWARDEES AND RECEIVE AND APPROVE DELIVERABLES PRIOR TO APPROVING RELEASE
OF PAYMENT. FINANCIAL REPORTS ARE REVIEWED AGAINST APPROVED BUDGETS AND
SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION IS REQUESTED FOR ANY QUESTIONED EXPENSES. FINAL
PAYMENT IS NOT RELEASED UNTIL ALL DELIVERABLES HAVE BEEN MET, INCLUDING
FINANCIAL REPORTING.
PART II, LINE 1, COLUMN (H):
NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT: SEARCH FOR COMMON GROUND
(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: EVALUATING THE FAST-TRACK
TRANSFORMATIONAL TEACHER TRAINING (FTTT) & MODEL PRACTICE CLASSROOMS IN
GHANA
NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT:
THE TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: EVALUATING THE FAST-TRACK
TRANSFORMATIONAL TEACHER TRAINING (FTTT) & MODEL PRACTICE CLASSROOMS IN
GHANA
NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT: UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: EVALUATING THE FAST-TRACK
TRANSFORMATIONAL TEACHER TRAINING (FTTT) & MODEL PRACTICE CLASSROOMS IN
GHANA

Schedule I (Form 990)

SCHEDULE J (Form 990)

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.

► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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Name of the organization

Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

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Pa	art I Questions Regarding Compensation			
			Yes	No
1 a	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 Housing allowance or residence for personal use			
	Travel for companions Payments for business use of personal residence			
	Tax indemnification and gross-up payments Health or social club dues or initiation fees			
	Discretionary spending account Personal services (such as, maid, chauffeur, chef)			
b	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			
	reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	1b		
2	Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors,			
	trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line 1a?	2		
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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 X Compensation survey or study			
	Form 990 of other organizations X 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:			
а	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a		х
b	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b		х
С	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c		Х
	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.			
	Only section 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:			
а	The organization?	5a		Х
b	Any related organization?	5b		Х
	If "Yes" on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.			
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:			
а	The organization?	6a		X
b	Any related organization?	6b		Х
	If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.			
7	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments			
	not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	7		Х
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	8		Х
9	If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in			
	Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?	9		

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2017

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 aren't 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-MI	SC compensation	(C) Retirement and other deferred	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B)
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	compensation	Derients	(6)(1)-(0)	reported as deferred on prior Form 990
(1) LUCY BERKOWITZ	(i)	181,672.	0.	0.	0.	14,504.	196,176.	0.
CHIEF FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFIC	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(2) ANNIE DUFLO	(i)	171,456.	0.	0.	0.	8,197.	179,653.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(3) STACEY DAVES-OHLIN	(i)	166,250.	0.	0.	0.	23,026.	189,276.	0.
GENERAL COUNSEL/CHRO	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(i)							
	(ii)							
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	(ii)							

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.

SCHEDULE M (Form 990)

Noncash Contributions

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

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Schedule M (Form 990) 2017

Part I Types of Property (a) (b) (c) (d) Check if Number of Noncash contribution Method of determining contributions or amounts reported on applicable noncash contribution amounts items contributed Form 990, Part VIII, line 1q Art - Works of art Art - Historical treasures Art - Fractional interests 3 Books and publications 4 5 Clothing and household goods Cars and other vehicles 6 Boats and planes 7 Intellectual property 8 701,559.FAIR MARKET VALUE Securities - Publicly traded 9 Securities - Closely held stock 10 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests Securities - Miscellaneous 12 13 Qualified conservation contribution -Historic structures Qualified conservation contribution - Other 14 Real estate - Residential 15 Real estate - Commercial 16 Real estate - Other 17 18 Collectibles Food inventory 19 Drugs and medical supplies 20 21 Taxidermy Historical artifacts 22 23 Scientific specimens Archeological artifacts 24 25 Other -26 Other 27 Other ▶ 28 Other Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions 29 for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement 29 Yes No 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 isn't required to be used for Х exempt purposes for the entire holding period? 30a **b** If "Yes." describe the arrangement in Part II. Х Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any nonstandard contributions? 31 31 32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash X contributions? 32a **b** If "Yes," describe in Part II. If the organization didn't report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, 33 describe in Part II.

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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.
SCHEDULE	M, LINE 32B:
MERRILL	LYNCH IS UTILIZED TO SELL STOCK THAT IS CONTRIBUTED TO THE
ORGANIZA	TION.

SCHEDULE O

(Form 990 or 990-EZ) Department of the Treasury

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 ► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information. OMB No. 1545-0047

Inspection

Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization **Employer identification number** INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION 06 - 1660068FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS: COLLABORATION WITH DECISION-MAKERS. AND MADE SIGNIFICANT STRIDES TOWARD EQUIPPING OUR POLICY PARTNERS TO INSTITUTIONALIZE EVIDENCE-INFORMED DECISION-MAKING IN THEIR WORK. SUCCESS IN THESE GOALS HAS ULTIMATELY IMPROVED EDUCATION FOR TENS OF THOUSANDS OF CHILDREN ALREADY-AND IS IMPROVING EDUCATION FOR MANY TIMES MORE AS OUR GOVERNMENT PARTNERS SCALE UP THE LESSONS THEY HAVE LEARNED, FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS: IN PAKISTAN AND INDIA, AND THE GOVERNMENT OF ETHIOPIA PLANS TO EXPAND THE PROGRAM TO BENEFIT 3 MILLION PEOPLE, IN 2017. ADDITIONAL SCALE-UPS AND EVALUATIONS OF DIFFERENT VERSIONS OF THE PROGRAM WERE UNDERWAY IN THE PHILIPPINES AND IN GHANA. IN ADDITION IPA HELPED TO DESIGN AND IN 2017 BEGAN OVERSEEING EVALUATIONS OF THE ADAPTIVE SOCIAL PROTECTION PROGRAM IN THE SAHEL (BURKINA FASO, CHAD MALI, MAURITANIA, NIGER, AND SENEGAL). THE GRADUATION APPROACH FORMS THE BASIS FOR THIS PROGRAM, WHICH AIMS TO INCREASE ACCESS TO EFFECTIVE SOCIAL PROTECTION SYSTEMS IN THE REGION, WHILE ALSO HELPING THE POOR AND VULNERABLE ADAPT TO CLIMATE-INDUCED CHANGES. NATHANAEL GOLDBERG WHO DIRECTS IPA'S SOCIAL PROTECTION PROGRAM, IS ALSO ON THE LIVELIHOODS ADVISORY BOARD OF THE U.N.'S REFUGEE AGENCY (UNHCR), WHICH CURRENTLY HAS FIVE GRADUATION PROGRAM PILOTS, AND WILL BE EXPANDING TO 20.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4C, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

THAN PARTICIPANTS WHO DID NOT RECEIVE ANY MESSAGES. AMONG OTHER RESULTS LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990 or 990-EZ.

Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2017)

Name of the organization INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION	Employer identification number 06-1660068
THAT CAME OUT WERE FINDINGS FROM A STUDY IN KENYA ON THE IMPACTS OF A	
"HIGH HOPES" LOCK-SAVINGS ACCOUNT, ON ACCOUNT USAGE, SAVINGS AND LOANS,	
AND SCHOOL ENROLLMENT. THE STUDY FOUND THAT MANY PARENTS USED THE	_
ACCOUNTSUSAGE RATES INCREASED BY ABOUT 25 PERCENTAGE POINTSAND THAT	
AMONG THOSE WHO TOOK UP THE ACCOUNT, TOTAL FINANCIAL SAVINGS INCREASED	
BY THREE TO FOUR TIMES. PARENTS WHO SAVED WERE ALSO 18-24 PERCENTAGE	
POINTS MORE LIKELY TO ENROLL THEIR CHILDREN IN HIGH SCHOOL.	
IN 2017, IPA ALSO MADE NOTABLE POLICY IMPACTS. FOR INSTANCE, USAID	
CITED SEVERAL STUDIES OF IPA IN A REPORT TO CONGRESS THAT EXPLAINED WHY	
USAID IS SHIFTING FOCUS FROM MICROFINANCE TO THE GRADUATION APPROACH	
AND BUILDING INCLUSIVE MARKET SYSTEMS.	
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D, OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:	
ALL OTHERS: INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION (IPA) IS A RESEARCH AND	
POLICY NONPROFIT THAT DISCOVERS AND PROMOTES EFFECTIVE SOLUTIONS TO	
GLOBAL POVERTY PROBLEMS.	
IN PARTNERSHIP WITH TOP RESEARCHERS IN THE FIELD, WE DESIGN AND	
IMPLEMENT RANDOMIZED EVALUATIONS TO MEASURE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF	
PROGRAMS AND POLICIES AIMED AT HELPING THE POOR. WE SPECIALIZE IN	
RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIALS (RCTS) BECAUSE THIS RIGOROUS METHODOLOGY,	
CONSIDERED THE GOLD STANDARD OF IMPACT EVALUATION DESIGN, ALLOWS US TO	
ISOLATE THE EFFECTS OF A PROGRAM FROM OTHER FACTORS. LIKE IN MEDICAL	
TRIALS, RESEARCHERS ASSIGN PARTICIPANTS AT RANDOM TO DIFFERENT STUDY	
GROUPS. ONE OR MORE GROUPS RECEIVE A PROGRAM (THE "TREATMENT GROUPS")	
AND ANOTHER GROUP SERVES AS THE COMPARISON (OR "CONTROL") GROUP.	

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PROGRAMS, BUT RATHER SEEK TO UNCOVER AND DISENTANGLE CAUSAL MECHANISMS	
AND DETERMINE WHICH ADJUSTMENTS WILL MAKE A PROGRAM MORE EFFECTIVE.	
OUR WELL-ESTABLISHED PARTNERSHIPS IN THE COUNTRIES WHERE WE WORK, AND A	
STRONG UNDERSTANDING OF LOCAL CONTEXTS, HELP MAKE OUR RESEARCH PROJECTS	
SUCCESSFUL. OUR TEAMS OPERATING IN 21 COUNTRIES WORK ON THE GROUND TO	
DEVELOP NEW STUDIES WITH NGOS AND GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS INTERESTED IN	
CONDUCTING RIGOROUS EVALUATIONS OF THEIR PROGRAMS AND IN TESTING NEW	
IDEAS. IPA HAS MORE THAN 1,000 RESEARCH STAFF WHO IMPLEMENT THE	
RESEARCH ON THE GROUND. STUDIES RANGE IN TIME FROM MONTHS, TO YEARS, TO	
DECADES.	
ONCE AN INTERVENTION HAS PROVEN EFFECTIVE IN ONE CONTEXT, WE WORK TO	
TEST IT IN OTHER CONTEXTS. THIS REPLICATION PROCESS IS AN ESSENTIAL	
STEP ON THE PATH TO SCALING UP EFFECTIVE PROGRAMS.	
IPA HAS AN EXTENSIVE NETWORK OF MORE THAN 600 RESEARCHERS FROM AMONG	
THE TOP UNIVERSITIES IN THE WORLD WHO COLLABORATE WITH US IN DESIGNING	
AND CONDUCTING THE EVALUATIONS. MANY OF THESE ACADEMICS ARE PIONEERS IN	
THEIR FIELDS OF RESEARCH, PARTICULARLY IN DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS.	
TO DATE, WE HAVE DESIGNED AND EVALUATED MORE THAN 400 POTENTIAL	
SOLUTIONS TO POVERTY PROBLEMS AND HAVE OVER 300 MORE EVALUATIONS IN	
PROGRESS. WITH THIS EXPERIENCE, IPA HAS DEVELOPED EXTENSIVE EXPERTISE	
IN CONDUCTING SUCCESSFUL EVALUATIONS, FROM THE INITIAL CONCEPT STAGE TO	
THE SHARING OF RESULTS.	
EXPENSES \$ 27,335,387. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 2,710,877. REVENUE \$ 0.	
FORM 990, PART V, LINE 4B, LIST OF FOREIGN COUNTRIES:	
KENYA, GHANA, LIBERIA, MALAWI,	
MALI, PHILIPPINES, UGANDA, SIERRA LEONE,	
PERU, ZAMBIA, BANGLADESH, COLOMBIA,	Schodulo O (Form 990 or 990 E7) (2017)

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OTHER COUNTRY, RWANDA, COTE D IVOIRE, BURKINA FASO	
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B:	
THE FORM 990 IS PREPARED BY AN ACCOUNTING FIRM IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE	
ORGANIZATION'S FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT. A COPY OF THE DRAFT FORM 990 IS	
CIRCULATED ELECTRONICALLY TO THE FULL BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR DISCUSSION AND	
COMMENT. EACH BOARD MEMBER IS PROVIDED OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON THE	
INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE 990 PRIOR TO FILING WITH THE INTERNAL REVENUE	
SERVICE.	
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C:	
THE ORGANIZATION HAS A CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY IN PLACE. ALL NEW BOARD	
OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS ARE ASKED TO RENEW AND ACKNOWLEDGE THEIR	
COMPLIANCE WITH THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY ON AN ANNUAL BASIS. THE	
ORGANIZATION DISTRIBUTES AN ANNUAL QUESTIONNAIRE TO ALL BOARD OF DIRECTORS	
AND OFFICERS. THE PRESIDENT PRESENTS CONFLICTS OF INTEREST TO THE AUDIT &	
FINANCE COMMITTEE, WHO IS TASKED WITH REVIEWING POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF	
INTEREST AND IF NECESSARY TAKING TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR FURTHER	
REVIEW AND CONSIDERATION FOR DETERMINING COMPLIANCE.	
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15:	
THE ORGANIZATION UNDERTAKES A THOROUGH PROCESS FOR DETERMINING THE	
COMPENSATION OF ITS EXECUTIVE OFFICERS, AND USES THE SAME PROCESS FOR ALL	
EMPLOYEES. THE ORGANIZATION RELIES ON MARKET ANALYSIS TO DETERMINE	
COMPENSATION ACROSS ALL LEVELS, USING SIMILARLY SIZED ORGANIZATIONS AS A	
BENCHMARK. THE ORGANIZATION HIRED A NONPROFIT PROFESSIONAL ADVISORY GROUP	
TO PERFORM THE SPECIFIC ANALYSIS, AS WELL AS TO SEARCH FOR THE CHIEF	
FINANCIAL OFFICER. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THE PRESIDENT AND CEO IS THE	