

TAX RETURN FILING INSTRUCTIONS

FORM 990

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

June 30, 2010

Prepared for	CSU, Chico Research Foundation CSUC, Building 25 Chico, CA 95929-0246
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Amount due or refund	Not applicable
Make check payable to	Not applicable
Mail tax return and check (if applicable) to	Not applicable
Return must be mailed on or before	Not applicable
Special Instructions	This return has been prepared for electronic filing. If you wish to have it transmitted electronically to the IRS, please sign, date, and return Form 8879-EO to our office. We will then submit the electronic return to the IRS. Do not mail a paper copy of the return to the IRS. Return Form 8879-EO to us by May 16, 2011.

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
 Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2009** and ending **JUN 30, 2010**

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	C Name of organization CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION Doing Business As Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite CSUC, BUILDING 25 City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 CHICO, CA 95929-0246 F Name and address of principal officer: LORRAINE HOFFMAN CSUC, BUILDING 25, CHICO, CA 95929	D Employer identification number 68-0386518 E Telephone number (530) 898-6811 G Gross receipts \$ 37,891,440. H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions) H(c) Group exemption number ▶
I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) (3) (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		J Website: ▶ WWW.CSUCHICO.EDU/RFDN	
K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶		L Year of formation: 1997 M State of legal domicile: CA	

Part I Summary

	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: TO PROMOTE & ASSIST THE EDUCATIONAL & PUBLIC SERVICE FUNCTIONS OF CSU, CHICO		
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
Activities & Governance	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	10
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	3
	5 Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5	1513
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	450
	7a Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	285,543.
	b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0.
Revenue		Prior Year	Current Year
	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	29,876,382.	23,534,260.
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	10,057,566.	10,494,254.
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	31,397.	507,910.
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	3,467,751.	3,124,783.
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	43,433,096.	37,661,207.
Expenses		2,181,183.	1,577,502.
	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	2,324,936.	2,415,925.
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶		
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	34,882,896.	33,879,426.
	18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	39,389,015.	37,872,853.
	19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	4,044,081.	-211,646.
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	34,036,296.	32,060,798.
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	8,961,212.	8,872,003.
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	25,075,084.	23,188,795.

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here	Signature of officer LORRAINE HOFFMAN, TREASURER Type or print name and title	Date	
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature ▶ Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 MATSON AND ISOM 3013 CERES AVENUE CHICO, CA 95973	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/> Preparer's identifying number (see instructions) EIN ▶ Phone no. ▶ (530) 891-6474

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

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: TO PROMOTE & ASSIST THE EDUCATIONAL & PUBLIC SERVICE FUNCTIONS OF CSU, CHICO BY ADMINISTERING VARIOUS GRANTS, FARM OPERATIONS & OTHER ACTIVITIES

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

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

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 2,957,627. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 5,274,780.) ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT IS GIVEN TO THE UNIVERSITY FARM, WHICH PROVIDES EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AND INCOME IN SUPPORT OF THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM. ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT IS ALSO GIVEN TO THE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, WHICH HANDLES ALL PHILANTHROPIC FUNDS FOR CSUC. BOARD DESIGNATED FUNDS ALLOCATED FROM THE GENERAL FUND ARE USED TO SUPPORT THE DEVELOPMENT OF GRANT AND CONTRACT PROPOSALS AND TO IMPROVE CAMPUS PROGRAMS.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 30,668,142. including grants of \$ 1,577,502.) (Revenue \$ 8,058,714.) THE GENERATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF OVER 250 EXTERNALLY FUNDED TEACHING, RESEARCH AND SERVICE PROJECTS (CONTRACTS & GRANTS) FROM FEDERAL, STATE AND PRIVATE SOURCES EACH YEAR. MOST OF THESE "SPONSORED PROGRAMS" PROVIDE EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS AS WELL. FISCAL ADMINISTRATION OF ALMOST 400 "CAMPUS PROGRAMS" WHICH ARE DEPOSITORY ACCOUNTS FOR CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS WHO DEPOSIT FUNDRAISING MONIES WITH THE FOUNDATION AND WRITE CHECKS AGAINST THEIR ACCOUNTS.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses \$ 33,625,769.

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)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	X	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?		X
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		X
5	Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		X
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		X
11	Is the organization's answer to any of the following questions "Yes"? <i>If so, complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	X	
	• Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI.</i>		
	• 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII.</i>		
	• 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII.</i>		
	• 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX.</i>		
	• Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>		
	• 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>		
12	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII.</i>	X	
12A	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional</i>	X	
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
14b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		X
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		X
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		X
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>		X
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	X	
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	X	
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i>	X	
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		X
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		X
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		X
25a Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
26 Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties, (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization (or a family member) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		X
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		X
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		X
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>	X	
35 Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	X	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable		
	1a 191		
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		
	1b 0		
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?		
	1c		
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 1513		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return. (see instructions)	X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	X	
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	X	
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		X
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: _____ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
c	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?		
	5c		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
	6b		
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		X
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		
	7d		
e	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		
	7g		
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?		
	7h		
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.	Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		
	8		
9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
	9a		
	9b		
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations.	Enter:		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a	
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b	
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations.	Enter:		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a	
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b	
12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.	Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a	
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b	

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.

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body		
1b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		X
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?		X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?		X
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?		X
7b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
8a	The governing body?	X	
8b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
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		X

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

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

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **CA**
- 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.
 Own website Another's website Upon request
- 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.
- 20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: **SUSAN JENNINGS - (530)898-6815**
CSUC, BMU, CHICO, CA 95929-0248

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

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. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

• 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. 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.

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

Check this box if the organization did not compensate any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
CARTER, JUD COMMUNITY MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
COLETTI, RICK COMMUNITY MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
DOLAN, JANE COMMUNITY MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
LYTLE, REBECCA FACULTY MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	76,555.	29,713.
ALLEN, SAM STUDENT MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
CALANDRELLA, DREW BOARD MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	176,532.	48,909.
ELLISON, RICHARD BOARD MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	171,376.	44,146.
ZINGG, PAUL BOARD MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	330,432.	68,836.
FLAKE, SANDRA PRESIDENT	5.00			X				0.	200,398.	53,229.
HOFFMAN, LORRAINE TREASURER	5.00			X				0.	190,178.	47,988.
JACKSON, RICHARD SECRETARY/EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	40.00			X				136,901.	0.	9,817.
STROUP-GARDINER, MARY PROJECT DIRECTOR	40.00					X		140,556.	0.	8,008.

Part VIII Statement of Revenue						
		(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
		Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1 a Federated campaigns	1a				
	b Membership dues	1b				
	c Fundraising events	1c				
	d Related organizations	1d				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e	23534260.			
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		23534260.			
	Program Service Revenue	2 a UNIV. PRGM RECEIPTS	Business Code 611710	3,853,893.	3,853,893.	
b SPONSORED PRGM RECEIPT		611710	3,514,732.	3,514,732.		
c SPONSORED PROGRAM FEES		611710	2,676,439.	2,676,439.		
d AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH		611710	449,190.	449,190.		
e						
f All other program service revenue						
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f			10494254.			
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		500,378.		500,378.	
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
	5 Royalties					
	6 a Gross Rents	(i) Real				
		(ii) Personal				
		b Less: rental expenses				
		c Rental income or (loss)				
	d Net rental income or (loss)					
	7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities				
		(ii) Other				
		b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses				
		c Gain or (loss)		7,532.		
	d Net gain or (loss)		7,532.		7,532.	
	8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a				
		b Less: direct expenses	b			
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events						
9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
	b Less: direct expenses	b				
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities					
10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a	1158109.				
	b Less: cost of goods sold	b	230,233.			
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory		927,876.	927,876.		
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
11 a OTHER OPERATING INCOME	611710	1,911,364.	1,911,364.			
	b ORION NEWSPAPER	511110	285,543.	285,543.		
	c					
	d All other revenue					
	e Total. Add lines 11a-11d		2,196,907.			
12 Total revenue. See instructions.		37661207.	13333494.	285,543.	507,910.	

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) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).**

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 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 governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22	1,577,502.	1,577,502.		
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	146,718.		146,718.	
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	2,089,642.	416,741.	1,672,901.	
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	105,447.		105,447.	
9 Other employee benefits	74,118.	74,118.		
10 Payroll taxes				
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting	545,743.	113,512.	432,231.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other	806,006.	137,800.	668,206.	
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	330,831.	280,607.	50,224.	
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy				
17 Travel	37,073.	37,073.		
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest	206,884.	6,681.	200,203.	
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	902,345.	153,126.	749,219.	
23 Insurance	126,097.	1,495.	124,602.	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a SPONSORED PROGRAMS	26,744,706.	26,744,706.		
b CAMPUS PROGRAMS	3,923,436.	3,923,436.		
c FACULTY & GRANT DEVELOP	1,144,746.	1,144,746.		
d REPAIR/MAINTENANCE	126,617.	126,617.		
e GRANTS INCL. IN PRGMS	-1,577,502.	-1,577,502.		
f All other expenses	562,444.	465,111.	97,333.	
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	37,872,853.	33,625,769.	4,247,084.	0.
26 Joint costs. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation ...				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	1,631,626.	1	773,055.	
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	3,055,620.	2	3,942,104.	
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3		
	4 Accounts receivable, net	1,226,491.	4	1,468,684.	
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5		
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6		
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net	25,000.	7	39,000.	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	105,104.	8	108,816.	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	743,098.	9	790,520.	
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 24,176,784.			
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 8,194,677.			
		19,348,043.	10c	15,982,107.	
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities	1,193,419.	11	1,363,313.	
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12		
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13		
	14 Intangible assets		14		
15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	6,707,895.	15	7,593,199.		
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	34,036,296.	16	32,060,798.		
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	3,229,376.	17	3,297,986.	
	18 Grants payable		18		
	19 Deferred revenue	8,800.	19	9,675.	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities	4,400,000.	20	4,290,000.	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21		
	22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22		
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	943,525.	23	868,523.	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24		
	25 Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D	379,511.	25	405,819.	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	8,961,212.	26	8,872,003.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.				
	27 Unrestricted net assets		27		
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets		28		
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29		
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	0.	30	0.	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund	0.	31	0.	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	25,075,084.	32	23,188,795.	
33 Total net assets or fund balances	25,075,084.	33	23,188,795.		
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	34,036,296.	34	32,060,798.		

Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash Accrual Other _____

If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.

2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?

b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?

c If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?

If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.

d If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a consolidated basis, separate basis, or both:

Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis

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?

b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.

	Yes	No
2a		X
2b	X	
2c	X	
3a	X	
3b	X	

Form **990** (2009)

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, 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.)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: _____
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An 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.)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 11 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 that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
 - a Type I
 - b Type II
 - c Type III - Functionally integrated
 - d Type III - Other
- e By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

	Yes	No
(i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?	11g(i)	X
(ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?	11g(ii)	X
(iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?	11g(iii)	X
- h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
CSU, CHICO	68-0219874	6	X		X		X		3,505,071.
Total									3,505,071.

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.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						

12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) **12**

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

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) **14** %

15 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 **15** %

16a 33 1/3% support test - 2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support test - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2009. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2) (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(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 IV.)						
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

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

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2009 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support tests - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

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

Schedule D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

Attach to Form 990. See separate instructions.

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

Table with 3 columns: Line number, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include total number at end of year, aggregate contributions, aggregate grants, aggregate value, and questions about donor advisement.

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

Form for Part II Conservation Easements. Includes checkboxes for purposes of easements, a table for 'Held at the End of the Tax Year' with rows 2a-2d, and questions 3-9 regarding monitoring and reporting.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Form for Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Includes questions 1a, 1b, 2, and 2a regarding reporting requirements for art and historical treasures.

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

- 3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a Public exhibition
 - b Scholarly research
 - c Preservation for future generations
 - d Loan or exchange programs
 - e Other _____
- 4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV.
- 5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table:
- | | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV.

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

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment _____ %
 - b Permanent endowment _____ %
 - c Term endowment _____ %
- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|---|--------|----|
| (i) unrelated organizations | 3a(i) | |
| (ii) related organizations | 3a(ii) | |
| b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | 3b | |
- 4 Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land	16,500.	6,427,443.		6,443,943.
b Buildings		11,810,107.	3,683,816.	8,126,291.
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		5,922,734.	4,510,861.	1,411,873.
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				15,982,107.

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Audited Financial Statements

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	37,661,207.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	37,872,853.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-211,646.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	92,225.
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	8	-1,766,868.
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4 through 8	9	-1,674,643.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per audited financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	-1,886,289.

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

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	37,983,665.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	92,225.
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	92,225.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	37,891,440.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	4b	-230,233.
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	-230,233.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	37,661,207.

Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	38,103,086.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	2d	230,233.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	230,233.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	37,872,853.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	37,872,853.

Part XIV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART XI, LINE 8 - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

NET TRANSFERS - CSUC & OTHER AUXILIARIES: -1766868.

PART XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

COST OF GOODS SOLD REPORTED IN EXPENSE SECTION OF FINANCIAL

STATEMENTS: -230233.

Part XIV Supplemental Information (continued)

PART XIII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

COST OF GOODS SOLD REPORTED IN EXPENSE SECTION OF FINANCIAL
STATEMENTS: 230233.

**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.**

OMB No. 1545-0047

2009

**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization

CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

68-0386518

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? **Yes** **No**
- 2** Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed ...

1 (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

- 2** Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations ▶ _____
- 3** Enter total number of other organizations ▶ _____

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Schedule I (Form 990) 2009

Part III **Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
AWARD	105	59,303.	0.		
STIPEND	2556	1,185,748.	0.		
SCHOLARSHIP	101	332,451.	0.		

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

SCHEDULE I, PART I, LINE 2: THE CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION HAS
 ESTABLISHED POLICIES AND PROCEDURES TO ENSURE GRANT FUNDS ARE DISTRIBUTED
 PROPERLY. FURTHERMORE, THE FOUNDATION IS AUDITED ANNUALLY BY AN
 INDEPENDENT FIRM AND TRI-ANNUALLY BY THE CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE TO ENSURE
 COMPLIANCE WITH THESE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

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

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

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization

CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

68-0386518

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

	Yes	No								
<p>1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)		
<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use									
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence									
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees									
<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)									
<p>b If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain</p>	1b									
<p>2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?</p>	2									
<p>3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee				
<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract									
<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study									
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee									
<p>4 During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:</p> <p>a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?</p>	4a	X								
<p>b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?</p>	4b	X								
<p>c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?</p> <p>If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.</p>	4c	X								
<p>Only section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-9.</p>										
<p>5 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:</p> <p>a The organization?</p>	5a	X								
<p>b Any related organization?</p> <p>If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.</p>	5b	X								
<p>6 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:</p> <p>a The organization?</p>	6a	X								
<p>b Any related organization?</p> <p>If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.</p>	6b	X								
<p>7 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III</p>	7	X								
<p>8 Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regs. section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III</p>	8	X								
<p>9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?</p>	9									

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2009

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use Schedule J-1 if additional space is needed.

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

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) must equal the applicable column (D) or column (E) amounts on Form 990, Part VII, line 1a.

(A) Name		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
CALANDRELLA, DREW	(i)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(ii)	176,532.	0.	0.	29,302.	19,607.	225,441.	0.
ELLISON, RICHARD	(i)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(ii)	171,376.	0.	0.	28,459.	15,687.	215,522.	0.
ZINGG, PAUL	(i)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(ii)	272,549.	57,883.	0.	44,812.	24,024.	399,268.	0.
FLAKE, SANDRA	(i)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(ii)	200,398.	0.	0.	33,296.	19,933.	253,627.	0.
HOFFMAN, LORRAINE	(i)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(ii)	190,178.	0.	0.	31,585.	16,403.	238,166.	0.
	(i)							
	(ii)							
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	(ii)							

Supplemental Information on Tax-Exempt Bonds
▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 24a. Provide descriptions, explanations, and any additional information on Schedule O (Form 990).
▶ Attach to Form 990. See separate instructions.

Name of the organization **CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION** Employer identification number **68-0386518**

Part I Bond Issues SEE SCHEDULE O FOR COLUMN (F) CONTINUATIONS

	(a) Issuer name	(b) Issuer EIN	(c) CUSIP #	(d) Date issued	(e) Issue price	(f) Description of purpose	(g) Defeased		(h) On behalf of issuer	
							Yes	No	Yes	No
A	THE CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION	68-0386518	13078VAT8	03/13/03	5,115,000.	PURCHASE OF BUILDING AT 25 MAIN	X		X	
B										
C										
D										
E										

Part II Proceeds

	A	B	C	D	E					
1 Total proceeds of issue	5,115,000.									
2 Gross proceeds in reserve funds	310,756.									
3 Proceeds in refunding or defeasance escrows	2,199,670.									
4 Other unspent proceeds	146,000.									
5 Issuance costs from proceeds	149,035.									
6 Working capital expenditures from proceeds										
7 Capital expenditures from proceeds	2,251,294.									
8 Year of substantial completion	2003									
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
9 Were the bonds issued as part of a current refunding issue? ...		X								
10 Were the bonds issued as part of an advance refunding issue?		X								
11 Has the final allocation of proceeds been made?	X									
12 Does the organization maintain adequate books and records to support the final allocation of proceeds?	X									

Part III Private Business Use

	A		B		C		D		E	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1 Was the organization a partner in a partnership, or a member of an LLC, which owned property financed by tax-exempt bonds?		X								
2 Are there any lease arrangements with respect to the financed property which may result in private business use?		X								

Part III Private Business Use (Continued)

	A		B		C		D		E	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
3a Are there any management or service contracts with respect to the financed property which may result in private business use?		X								
b Are there any research agreements with respect to the financed property which may result in private business use? ...		X								
c Does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any management or service contracts or research agreements relating to the financed property?	X									
4 Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use by entities other than a section 501(c)(3) organization or a state or local government00 %		%		%		%		%	
5 Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use as a result of unrelated trade or business activity carried on by your organization, another section 501(c)(3) organization, or a state or local government00 %		%		%		%		% %	
6 Total of lines 4 and 500 %		% %		% %		% %		% %	
7 Has the organization adopted management practices and procedures to ensure the post-issuance compliance of its tax-exempt bond liabilities?	X									

Part IV Arbitrage

	A		B		C		D		E	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1 Has a Form 8038-T, Arbitrage Rebate, Yield Reduction and Penalty in Lieu of Arbitrage Rebate, been filed with respect to the bond issue?	X									
2 Is the bond issue a variable rate issue?	X									
3a Has the organization or the governmental issuer identified a hedge with respect to the bond issue on its books and records?		X								
b Name of provider										
c Term of hedge										
4a Were gross proceeds invested in a GIC?		X								
b Name of provider										
c Term of GIC										
d Was the regulatory safe harbor for establishing the fair market value of the GIC satisfied?										
5 Were any gross proceeds invested beyond an available temporary period?		X								
6 Did the bond issue qualify for an exception to rebate?		X								

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.
▶ Attach to Form 990.

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CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

68-0386518

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11: A DRAFT OF FORM 990 WILL BE
DISTRIBUTED TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR REVIEW. THE BOARD WILL VOTE TO
APPROVE OR REQUEST CHANGES.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C: THE FOUNDATION MONITORS WHO IS
SUBJECT TO THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY. THOSE WHO ARE SUBJECT MUST
COMPLETE AND SIGN A FORM.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15: THE FOUNDATION USES A COMPENSATION
SURVEY.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: THE FOUNDATION'S GOVERNING
DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, TAX RETURNS AND FINANCIAL
STATEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC VIA THE ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE.

SCHEDULE K, PART I, BOND ISSUES:

(A) ISSUER NAME: THE CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION

(B) DESCRIPTION OF PURPOSE: PURCHASE OF BUILDING AT 25 MAIN ST., CHICO, CA

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.** ▶ **See separate instructions.**

Name of the organization CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION **Employer identification number** 68-0386518

Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33.)

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

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

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHICO - 68-0219874, 400 WEST 1ST STREET, CHICO, CA 95929	UNIVERSITY	CALIFORNIA	115(1)		N/A
ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF CSU, CHICO - 94-1254630, 400 WEST 1ST STREET, BMU, CHICO, CA 95929	AUXILIARY ORGANIZATION	CALIFORNIA	501(C)(3)	LINE 9	N/A
THE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, CSU, CHICO - 95-1230865, 400 WEST 1ST STREET, BLDG 25, CHICO, CA 95929	PHILANTHROPIC ORGANIZATION	CALIFORNIA	501(C)(3)	LINE 5	N/A

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

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

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

	Yes	No
a Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties or (iv) rent from a controlled entity		X
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to other organization(s)	X	
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from other organization(s)		X
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for other organization(s)		X
e Loans or loan guarantees by other organization(s)		X
f Sale of assets to other organization(s)		X
g Purchase of assets from other organization(s)		X
h Exchange of assets	X	
i Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to other organization(s)	X	
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from other organization(s)	X	
k Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for other organization(s)	X	
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by other organization(s)	X	
m Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets	X	
n Sharing of paid employees	X	
o Reimbursement paid to other organization for expenses	X	
p Reimbursement paid by other organization for expenses	X	
q Other transfer of cash or property to other organization(s)	X	
r Other transfer of cash or property from other organization(s)	X	

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

(a) Name of other organization(s)	(b) Transaction type (a-r)	(c) Amount involved
(1) ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF CSU, CHICO	L	778,786.
(2) UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, CSU, CHICO	K	526,038.
(3) CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHICO	P	1,610,836.
(4) CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHICO	O	4,595,077.
(5) CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHICO	B	3,505,071.
(6)		

TAX RETURN FILING INSTRUCTIONS

FORM 990-T

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

..... June 30, 2010

Prepared for	CSU, Chico Research Foundation CSUC, Building 25 Chico, CA 95929-0246
Prepared by	MATSON AND ISOM 3013 CERES AVENUE CHICO, CA 95973
Amount due or refund	No amount is due.
Make check payable to	No amount is due.
Mail tax return and check (if applicable) to	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Ogden, UT 84201-0027
Return must be mailed on or before	May 16, 2011
Special Instructions	The return should be signed and dated.

Form **990-T**

Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return

(and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

OMB No. 1545-0687

2009

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (77)

For calendar year 2009 or other tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2009** and ending **JUN 30, 2010**

Open to Public Inspection for
501(c)(3) Organizations Only

A <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if address changed	Print or Type	Name of organization (<input type="checkbox"/> Check box if name changed and see instructions.) CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION	D Employer identification number (Employees' trust, see instructions for Block D on page 9.) 68-0386518
B Exempt under section <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 408(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 220(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 408A <input type="checkbox"/> 530(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529(a)		Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see page 8 of instructions. CSUC, BUILDING 25	E Unrelated business activity codes (See instructions for Block E on page 9.)
		City or town, state, and ZIP code CHICO, CA 95929-0246	511110
C Book value of all assets at end of year 32,060,798.	F Group exemption number (See instructions for Block F.) ▶		
	G Check organization type ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) corporation <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) trust <input type="checkbox"/> 401(a) trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other trust		

H Describe the organization's primary unrelated business activity. ▶ **PUBLICATION OF COLLEGE NEWSPAPER**

I During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group? ▶ Yes No
If "Yes," enter the name and identifying number of the parent corporation. ▶

J The books are in care of ▶ **SUSAN JENNINGS** Telephone number ▶ **(530) 898-6815**

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income	(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
1 a Gross receipts or sales			
b Less returns and allowances c Balance	1c		
2 Cost of goods sold (Schedule A, line 7)	2		
3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	3		
4 a Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D)	4a		
b Net gain (loss) (Form 4797, Part II, line 17) (attach Form 4797)	4b		
c Capital loss deduction for trusts	4c		
5 Income (loss) from partnerships and S corporations (attach statement)	5		
6 Rent income (Schedule C)	6		
7 Unrelated debt-financed income (Schedule E)	7		
8 Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from controlled organizations (Sch. F)...	8		
9 Investment income of a section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organization (Schedule G)	9		
10 Exploited exempt activity income (Schedule I)	10		
11 Advertising income (Schedule J)	11	48,175.	237,368.
12 Other income (See instructions; attach schedule.)	12		
13 Total. Combine lines 3 through 12	13	48,175.	237,368.

Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere (See instructions for limitations on deductions.)
(Except for contributions, deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)

14 Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Schedule K)	14	
15 Salaries and wages	15	
16 Repairs and maintenance	16	
17 Bad debts	17	
18 Interest (attach schedule)	18	
19 Taxes and licenses	19	
20 Charitable contributions (See instructions for limitation rules.)	20	
21 Depreciation (attach Form 4562)	21	
22 Less depreciation claimed on Schedule A and elsewhere on return	22a	22b
23 Depletion	23	
24 Contributions to deferred compensation plans	24	
25 Employee benefit programs	25	
26 Excess exempt expenses (Schedule I)	26	
27 Excess readership costs (Schedule J)	27	237,368.
28 Other deductions (attach schedule)	28	
29 Total deductions. Add lines 14 through 28	29	237,368.
30 Unrelated business taxable income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 29 from line 13	30	0.
31 Net operating loss deduction (limited to the amount on line 30)	31	0.
32 Unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction. Subtract line 31 from line 30	32	0.
33 Specific deduction (Generally \$1,000, but see instructions for exceptions.)	33	1,000.
34 Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 33 from line 32. If line 33 is greater than line 32, enter the smaller of zero or line 32	34	0.

Part III Tax Computation

Table with 3 columns: Description, Line Number, Amount. Includes rows for Organizations Taxable as Corporations (35), Trusts Taxable at Trust Rates (36), Proxy tax (37), Alternative minimum tax (38), and Total (39).

Part IV Tax and Payments

Table with 3 columns: Description, Line Number, Amount. Includes rows for Foreign tax credit (40a-40e), Other taxes (42), Total tax (43), Payments (44a-44f), Total payments (45), Estimated tax penalty (46), Tax due (47), Overpayment (48), and Credited to 2010 estimated tax (49).

Part V Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information (See instructions on page 17)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Includes questions about foreign accounts, distributions from foreign trusts, and tax-exempt interest.

Schedule A - Cost of Goods Sold. Enter method of inventory valuation

N/A

Table with 3 columns: Description, Line Number, Amount. Includes rows for Inventory at beginning/end of year (1, 6), Purchases (2), Cost of labor (3), Additional section 263A costs (4a, 4b), Total (5), Cost of goods sold (7), and Section 263A rules (8).

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.

Sign Here: Signature of officer, Date, Title (TREASURER), and a box for 'May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below?' with Yes/No options.

Paid Preparer's Use Only: Preparer's signature, Date, Check if self-employed, Preparer's SSN or PTIN, Firm's name (MATSON AND ISOM), address (3013 CERES AVENUE, CHICO, CA 95973), EIN (94-2222122), and Phone no. ((530) 891-6474).

Schedule C - Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)(see instr. on pg 18)

1. Description of property

Table with 1 column for description of property, rows (1) through (4).

2. Rent received or accrued

Table with 3 columns: (a) From personal property, (b) From real and personal property, and 3(a) Deductions directly connected with the income. Includes Total row with values 0.

(c) Total income. Add totals of columns 2(a) and 2(b). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (A) 0. (b) Total deductions. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (B) 0.

Schedule E - Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (See instructions on page 19)

Table with 4 columns: 1. Description of debt-financed property, 2. Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property, 3(a) Straight line depreciation, 3(b) Other deductions. Includes rows (1) through (4).

Table with 5 columns: 4. Amount of average acquisition debt, 5. Average adjusted basis, 6. Column 4 divided by column 5, 7. Gross income reportable, 8. Allocable deductions. Includes rows (1) through (4).

Totals Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (A) 0. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (B) 0.

Total dividends-received deductions included in column 8 0.

Schedule F - Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations (See instructions on page 20)

Table for Exempt Controlled Organizations with 6 columns: 1. Name of controlled organization, 2. Employer identification number, 3. Net unrelated income, 4. Total of specified payments made, 5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income, 6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5. Includes rows (1) through (4).

Nonexempt Controlled Organizations

Table with 5 columns: 7. Taxable Income, 8. Net unrelated income (loss), 9. Total of specified payments made, 10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income, 11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10. Includes rows (1) through (4).

Totals Add columns 5 and 10. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (A) 0. Add columns 6 and 11. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (B) 0.

Schedule G - Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization

(see instructions on page 20)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach schedule)	4. Set-asides (attach schedule)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (col. 3 plus col. 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
Totals	0.			0.

Schedule I - Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income

(see instructions on page 21)

1. Description of exploited activity	2. Gross unrelated business income from trade or business	3. Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income	4. Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business (column 2 minus column 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	6. Expenses attributable to column 5	7. Excess exempt expenses (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
Totals	0.	0.				0.

Schedule J - Advertising Income (see instructions on page 21)

Part I Income From Periodicals Reported on a Consolidated Basis

1. Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising income	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col. 2 minus col. 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
Totals (carry to Part II, line (5))	0.	0.				0.

Part II Income From Periodicals Reported on a Separate Basis (For each periodical listed in Part II, fill in columns 2 through 7 on a line-by-line basis.)

1. Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising income	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col. 2 minus col. 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1) ORION	285,543.	48,175.	237,368.		279,409.	237,368.
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
(5) Totals from Part I	0.	0.				0.
Totals, Part II (lines 1-5)	285,543.	48,175.				237,368.

Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees (see instructions on page 21)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percent of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
			%
			%
			%
			%
Total. Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 14			0.

Depreciation and Amortization 990
 (Including Information on Listed Property)

2009

Attachment
 Sequence No. **67**

▶ See separate instructions. ▶ Attach to your tax return.

Name(s) shown on return: **CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION**
 Business or activity to which this form relates: **FORM 990 PAGE 10**
 Identifying number: **68-0386518**

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179 Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

1	Maximum amount. See the instructions for a higher limit for certain businesses	1	250,000.
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation	3	800,000.
4	Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property. Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2008 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction. Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2010. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	▶ 13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property.)

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions.)

Section A

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2009	17	857,425.
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here	▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	

Section B - Assets Placed in Service During 2009 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only - see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property						
b 5-year property		44,241.	5	HY	SL	44,241.
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs.		S/L	
h Residential rental property	/		27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
	/		27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property	01 / 09	52,956.	39 yrs.	MM	S/L	679.
	/			MM	S/L	

Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2009 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

20a Class life					S/L	
b 12-year			12 yrs.		S/L	
c 40-year	/		40 yrs.	MM	S/L	

Part IV Summary (See instructions.)

21	Listed property. Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations - see instr.	22	902,345.
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

Part V Listed Property (Include automobiles, certain other vehicles, cellular telephones, certain computers, and property used for entertainment, recreation, or amusement.)

Note: For any vehicle for which you are using the standard mileage rate or deducting lease expense, complete only 24a, 24b, columns (a) through (c) of Section A, all of Section B, and Section C if applicable.

Section A - Depreciation and Other Information (Caution: See the instructions for limits for passenger automobiles)

24a Do you have evidence to support the business/investment use claimed? Yes No 24b If "Yes," is the evidence written? Yes No

Table with 9 columns: (a) Type of property, (b) Date placed in service, (c) Business/investment use percentage, (d) Cost or other basis, (e) Basis for depreciation, (f) Recovery period, (g) Method/Convention, (h) Depreciation deduction, (i) Elected section 179 cost

25 Special depreciation allowance for qualified listed property placed in service during the tax year and used more than 50% in a qualified business use 25

26 Property used more than 50% in a qualified business use: Table with 9 columns for percentage and cost basis.

27 Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use: Table with 9 columns for percentage and S/L.

28 Add amounts in column (h), lines 25 through 27. Enter here and on line 21, page 1 28

29 Add amounts in column (i), line 26. Enter here and on line 7, page 1 29

Section B - Information on Use of Vehicles

Complete this section for vehicles used by a sole proprietor, partner, or other "more than 5% owner," or related person. If you provided vehicles to your employees, first answer the questions in Section C to see if you meet an exception to completing this section for those vehicles.

Table for Section B with 6 main columns (a-f) and sub-columns for Yes/No for questions 30-36 regarding vehicle use.

Section C - Questions for Employers Who Provide Vehicles for Use by Their Employees

Answer these questions to determine if you meet an exception to completing Section B for vehicles used by employees who are not more than 5% owners or related persons.

Table for Section C with 41 questions and Yes/No columns regarding employer policies and vehicle use.

Note: If your answer to 37, 38, 39, 40, or 41 is "Yes," do not complete Section B for the covered vehicles.

Part VI Amortization

Table for Section VI with 6 columns: (a) Description of costs, (b) Date amortization begins, (c) Amortizable amount, (d) Code section, (e) Amortization period or percentage, (f) Amortization for this year

42 Amortization of costs that begins during your 2009 tax year: Table with 6 columns.

43 Amortization of costs that began before your 2009 tax year 43

44 Total. Add amounts in column (f). See the instructions for where to report 44

• If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** and check this box **X**

Note. Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

• If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** (on page 1).

Part II	Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time. Only file the original (no copies needed).	
Type or print File by the extended due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Name of exempt organization CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 68-0386518
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. CSUC, BUILDING 25	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. CHICO, CA 95929-0246	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) 01

Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990	01		
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 990-EZ	03	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

• The books are in the care of **SUSAN JENNINGS - CSUC, BMU - CHICO, CA 95929-0248**
 Telephone No. **(530) 898-6815** FAX No. _____

• If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box

• If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

- 4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until MAY 15, 2011.
- 5 For calendar year _____, or other tax year beginning JUL 1, 2009, and ending JUN 30, 2010.
- 6 If the tax year entered in line 5 is for less than 12 months, check reason: Initial return Final return
 Change in accounting period
- 7 State in detail why you need the extension
ADDITIONAL TIME IS NEEDED TO GATHER THE INFORMATION NECESSARY TO PREPARE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN.

8a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a	\$	0.
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	\$	0.
c Balance due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c	\$	0.

Signature and Verification

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature Title **TREASURER** Date

Form **8879-EO**

**IRS e-file Signature Authorization
for an Exempt Organization**

OMB No. 1545-1878

For calendar year 2009, or fiscal year beginning JUL 1, 2009, and ending JUN 30, 2010

2009

▶ **Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.**
▶ **See instructions.**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of exempt organization

Employer identification number

CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION

68-0386518

Name and title of officer

**LORRAINE HOFFMAN
TREASURER**

Part I Type of Return and Return Information (Whole Dollars Only)

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. If you check the box on line **1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, or 5a**, below, and the amount on that line for the return for which you are filing this form was blank, then leave line **1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, or 5b**, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. **Do not** complete more than 1 line in Part I.

1a Form 990 check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1b <u>37661207</u>
2a Form 990-EZ check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	2b _____
3a Form 1120-POL check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22)	3b _____
4a Form 990-PF check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5)	4b _____
5a Form 8868 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Balance Due (Form 8868, line 3c)	5b _____

Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above organization and that I have examined a copy of the organization's 2009 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the organization's electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the organization's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) an indication of any refund offset, (c) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (d) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the organization's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the organization's electronic return and, if applicable, the organization's consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

Officer's PIN: check one box only

I authorize **MATSON AND ISOM** to enter my PIN **11111**
ERO firm name Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

as my signature on the organization's tax year 2009 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

As an officer of the organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the organization's tax year 2009 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Officer's signature ▶ _____ Date ▶ _____

Part III Certification and Authentication

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit EFIN followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN. **68495002122**
do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2009 electronically filed return for the organization indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of Pub. 4163, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns.

ERO's signature ▶ _____ Date ▶ _____

**ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions
Do Not Submit This Form To the IRS Unless Requested To Do So**

TAX RETURN FILING INSTRUCTIONS

CALIFORNIA FORM 199

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

..... June 30, 2010

Prepared for	CSU, Chico Research Foundation CSUC, Building 25 Chico, CA 95929-0246
Prepared by	MATSON AND ISOM 3013 CERES AVENUE CHICO, CA 95973
Amount due or refund	Balance due of \$10
Make check payable to	Franchise Tax Board
Mail tax return and check (if applicable) to	Franchise Tax Board P.O. Box 942857 Sacramento, CA 94257-0701
Return must be mailed on or before	June 15, 2011
Special Instructions	<p>The return should be signed and dated by an authorized individual.</p> <p>Include the organization's California corporation/organization number and "2009 Form 199" on the remittance.</p>

2009

California Exempt Organization
Annual Information Return

199

Calendar Year 2009 or fiscal year beginning month **JULY** day **1** year **2009**, and ending month **JUNE** day **30** year **2010**.

A First Return Filed? Yes No **B** Type of organization Exempt under Section 23701 **d** (insert letter) **CORP #** 1784872
 IRC Section 4947(a)(1) trust

Corporation/Organization Name **CSUC, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION** FEIN **68-0386518**

Address **CSUC, BUILDING 25**

City **CHICO** State **CA** ZIP Code **95929-0246**

C Amended Return? Yes No
D Are you a subordinate/affiliate in a group exemption? Yes No
 (a) Is this a group filing for affiliates? See General Instruction L Yes No
 (b) If "Yes," enter the number of affiliates _____
 (c) Are all affiliates included? Yes No
 (If "No," attach a list. See instructions.)
 (d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling? Yes No
 (e) Federal Group Exemption Number _____
 (f) Is a roster of subordinates attached? Yes No
E Final return?
 Dissolved Surrendered (Withdrawn)
 Merged/Reorganized (attach explanation)
 If a box is checked, enter date _____
F Check the box if the organization filed the following federal forms or schedule:
 (1) 990T (2) 990PF (3) (Schedule H) 990
G If organization is exempt under R&TC Section 23701d and is exclusively religious, educational, or charitable, and is supported primarily (50% or more) by public contributions, check box. See General Instruction F. No filing fee is required.
H Accounting method used (1) Cash (2) Accrual (3) Other
I If exempt under R&TC Section 23701d, has the organization during the year: (1) participated in any political campaign or (2) attempted to influence legislation or any ballot measure, or (3) made an election under R&TC Section 23704.5 (relating to lobbying by public charities)? If "Yes," complete and attach form FTB 3509, Political or Legislative Activities by Section 23701d Organizations Yes No
J Did the organization have any changes in its activities, governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws that have not been reported to the Franchise Tax Board? If "Yes," complete an explanation and attach copies of revised documents Yes No
K Is the organization exempt under R&TC Section 23701g? Yes No
 If "Yes," enter amount of gross receipts from nonmember sources \$ _____
L Is the organization under audit by the IRS or has the IRS audited in a prior year? Yes No
M Is the organization a Limited Liability Company? Yes No
N Did the organization file Form 100 or Form 109 to report taxable income? Yes No

Part I Complete Part I unless not required to file this form. See General Instructions B and C.

Receipts and Revenues	1	Gross sales or receipts from other sources. From Side 2, Part II, line 8	1	14,357,180.00
	2	Gross dues and assessments from members and affiliates	2	00
	3	Gross contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	3	23,534,260.00
	4	Total gross receipts for filing requirement test. Add line 1 through line 3. This line must be completed. If the result is less than \$25,000, see General Instruction C	4	37,891,440.00
	5	Cost of goods sold STMT 1	5	230,233.00
	6	Cost or other basis, and sales expenses of assets sold	6	00
	7	Total costs. Add line 5 and line 6	7	230,233.00
	8	Total gross income. Subtract line 7 from line 4	8	37,661,207.00
Expenses	9	Total expenses and disbursements. From Side 2, Part II, line 18	9	37,872,853.00
	10	Excess of receipts over expenses and disbursements. Subtract line 9 from line 8	10	-211,646.00
Filing Fee	11	Filing fee \$10 or \$25. See General Instruction F	11	10.00
	12	Total payments	12	00
	13	Penalties and Interest. See General Instruction J	13	00
	14	Use tax. See General Instruction K	14	00
	15	Balance due. Add line 11, line 13, and line 14. Then subtract line 12 from the result	15	10.00

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

Signature of officer **TREASURER** Title Date Telephone **(530) 898-6815**

Preparer's signature _____ Date Check if self-employed Preparer's SSN/PTIN _____

Paid Preparer's Use Only Firm's name (or yours, if self-employed) and address **MATSON AND ISOM** FEIN **94-2222122**
3013 CERES AVENUE Telephone **(530) 891-6474**
CHICO, CA 95973

May the FTB discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions Yes No

Part II Organizations with gross receipts of more than \$25,000 and private foundations regardless of amount of gross receipts - complete
Part II or furnish substitute information. See Specific Line Instructions.

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Receipts from Other Sources	1	Gross sales or receipts from all business activities. See instructions	•	1	1,158,109.00
	2	Interest	•	2	500,378.00
	3	Dividends	•	3	00
	4	Gross rents	•	4	00
	5	Gross royalties	•	5	00
	6	Gross amount received from sale of assets (See instructions)	•	6	7,532.00
	7	Other income	•	7	12,691,161.00
	8	Total gross sales or receipts from other sources. Add line 1 through line 7. Enter here and on Side 1, Part I, line 1		8	14,357,180.00
	9	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts paid	•	9	1,577,502.00
	10	Disbursements to or for members	•	10	00
	11	Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees	•	11	146,718.00
	12	Other salaries and wages	•	12	2,089,642.00
	13	Interest	•	13	206,884.00
	14	Taxes	•	14	00
	15	Rents	•	15	00
	16	Depreciation and depletion (See instructions)	•	16	902,345.00
	17	Other	•	17	32,949,762.00
	18	Total expenses and disbursements. Add line 9 through line 17. Enter here and on Side 1, Part I, line 9		18	37,872,853.00

Schedule L Balance Sheets	Beginning of taxable year		End of taxable year	
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
Assets				
1 Cash		4,687,246.	•	4,715,159.
2 Net accounts receivable		1,226,491.	•	1,468,684.
3 Net notes receivable STMT 7		25,000.	•	39,000.
4 Inventories		105,104.	•	108,816.
5 Federal and state government obligations			•	
6 Investments in other bonds			•	
7 Investments in stock STMT 8		1,193,419.	•	1,363,313.
8 Mortgage loans (number of loans _____)			•	
9 Other investments			•	
10 a Depreciable assets	20,717,596.		17,732,841.	
b Less accumulated depreciation	(7,321,996.)	13,395,600. (8,194,677.)		9,538,164.
11 Land		5,952,443.	•	6,443,943.
12 Other assets STMT 9		7,450,993.	•	8,383,719.
13 Total assets		34,036,296.		32,060,798.
Liabilities and net worth				
14 Accounts payable		3,229,376.	•	3,297,986.
15 Contributions, gifts, or grants payable			•	
16 Bonds and notes payable STMT 10		4,400,000.	•	4,290,000.
17 Mortgages payable		943,525.	•	868,523.
18 Other liabilities STMT 11		388,311.		415,494.
19 Capital stock or principle fund			•	
20 Paid-in or capital surplus. Attach reconciliation			•	
21 Retained earnings or income fund		25,075,084.	•	23,188,795.
22 Total liabilities and net worth		34,036,296.		32,060,798.

Schedule M-1 Reconciliation of income per books with income per return			
Do not complete this schedule if the amount on Schedule L, line 13, column (d), is less than \$25,000			
1 Net income per books	•	-1,886,289.	
2 Federal income tax	•		
3 Excess of capital losses over capital gains	•		
4 Income not recorded on books this year	•		
5 Expenses recorded on books this year not deducted in this return STMT 12	•	1,766,868.	
6 Total.			
Add line 1 through line 5		-119,421.	
7 Income recorded on books this year not included in this return STMT 13	•		92,225.
8 Deductions in this return not charged against book income this year	•		
9 Total. Add line 7 and line 8			92,225.
10 Net income per return.			
Subtract line 9 from line 6			-211,646.

FORM 199

COST OF GOODS SOLD
INCLUDED ON PART I, LINE 5

STATEMENT 1

COST OF GOODS SOLD

1.	INVENTORY AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		105,104
2.	MERCHANDISE PURCHASED.	233,945	
3.	COST OF LABOR.		
4.	MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES		
5.	OTHER COSTS.		
6.	ADD LINES 1 THROUGH 5		339,049
7.	INVENTORY AT END OF YEAR		108,816
8.	COST OF GOODS SOLD (LINE 6 LESS LINE 7) . .		230,233

FORM 199	COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS AND TRUSTEES	STATEMENT	5
NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVERAGE HRS WORKED/WK	COMPENSATION	
CARTER, JUD CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	COMMUNITY MEMBER 2.00	0.	
COLETTI, RICK CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	COMMUNITY MEMBER 2.00	0.	
DOLAN, JANE CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	COMMUNITY MEMBER 2.00	0.	
LYTLE, REBECCA CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	FACULTY MEMBER 2.00	0.	
ALLEN, SAM CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	STUDENT MEMBER 2.00	0.	
CALANDRELLA, DREW CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	BOARD MEMBER 2.00	0.	
ELLISON, RICHARD CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	BOARD MEMBER 2.00	0.	
ZINGG, PAUL CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	BOARD MEMBER 2.00	0.	
FLAKE, SANDRA CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	PRESIDENT 5.00	0.	
HOFFMAN, LORRAINE CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	TREASURER 5.00	0.	
JACKSON, RICHARD CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	SECRETARY/EXECUTIVE DIRECT 40.00	146,718.	

FINLEY, KAREN CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	ASSOCIATE EXECUTIVE DIRECT 40.00	0.
STROUP-GARDINER, MARY CSUC, BUILDING 25 CHICO, CA 95929-0246	PROJECT DIRECTOR 40.00	0.
TOTAL TO FORM 199, PART II, LINE 11		<u>146,718.</u>

FORM 199	OTHER EXPENSES	STATEMENT	6
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>		<u>AMOUNT</u>	
SPONSORED PROGRAMS		26,744,706.	
CAMPUS PROGRAMS		3,923,436.	
FACULTY & GRANT DEVELOP		1,144,746.	
REPAIR/MAINTENANCE		126,617.	
GRANTS INCL. IN PRGMS		-1,577,502.	
PENSION PLAN CONTRIBUTIONS		105,447.	
OTHER EMPLOYEE BENEFITS		74,118.	
ACCOUNTING FEES		545,743.	
OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES		806,006.	
OFFICE EXPENSES		330,831.	
TRAVEL		37,073.	
INSURANCE		126,097.	
ALL OTHER EXPENSES		562,444.	
TOTAL TO FORM 199, PART II, LINE 17		<u>32,949,762.</u>	

FORM 199	NET NOTES RECEIVABLE	STATEMENT	7
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>		<u>BEG. OF YEAR</u>	<u>END OF YEAR</u>
NOTES AND LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET		25,000.	39,000.
TOTAL TO FORM 199, SCHEDULE L, LINE 3		<u>25,000.</u>	<u>39,000.</u>

FORM 199	INVESTMENTS IN STOCK	STATEMENT	8
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DESCRIPTION	BEG. OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES	1,193,419.	1,363,313.
TOTAL TO FORM 199, SCHEDULE L, LINE 7	1,193,419.	1,363,313.

FORM 199	OTHER ASSETS	STATEMENT	9
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DESCRIPTION	BEG. OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
PREPAID EXPENSES AND DEFERRED CHARGES	743,098.	790,520.
BREEDING LIVESTOCK	88,060.	88,520.
SPONSORED PROGRAMS RECEIVABLE	6,619,835.	7,504,679.
TOTAL TO FORM 199, SCHEDULE L, LINE 12	7,450,993.	8,383,719.

FORM 199	BONDS AND NOTES PAYABLE	STATEMENT	10
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DESCRIPTION	BEG. OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
TAX-EXEMPT BONDS LIABILITIES	4,400,000.	4,290,000.
TOTAL TO FORM 199, SCHEDULE L, LINE 16	4,400,000.	4,290,000.

FORM 199	OTHER LIABILITIES	STATEMENT	11
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DESCRIPTION	BEG. OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
DEPOSITS HELD FOR OTHERS	7,600.	10,525.
RESERVE FOR GRANT COST DISALLOWANCE	371,911.	395,294.
DEFERRED REVENUE	8,800.	9,675.
TOTAL TO FORM 199, SCHEDULE L, LINE 18	388,311.	415,494.

TAX RETURN FILING INSTRUCTIONS

CALIFORNIA FORM 109

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

..... June 30, 2010

Prepared for	CSU, Chico Research Foundation CSUC, Building 25 Chico, CA 95929-0246
Prepared by	MATSON AND ISOM 3013 CERES AVENUE CHICO, CA 95973
Amount due or refund	No payment required
Make check payable to	Not applicable
Mail tax return and check (if applicable) to	Franchise Tax Board P.O. Box 942857 Sacramento, CA 94257-0700
Return must be mailed on or before	June 15, 2011
Special Instructions	The return should be signed and dated by an authorized individual.

California Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return

2009

Calendar Year 2009 or fiscal year beginning month JUL day 1 year 2009, and ending month JUN day 30 year 2010

A First Return Filed? [] Yes [X] No B Is this an education IRA within the meaning of R&TC Section 23712? [] Yes [X] No CORP # 1784872

Corporation/Organization Name CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION FEIN 68-0386518

Address CSUC, BUILDING 25

City CHICO State CA ZIP Code 95929-0246

C Is the organization under audit by the IRS or has the IRS audited in a prior year? [] Yes [X] No H Is the organization a non-exempt charitable trust as described in IRC Section 4947(a)(1)? [] Yes [X] No

D Final Return? [] Dissolved [] Surrendered (Withdrawn) [] Merged/Reorganized (attach explanation) I Is this organization claiming any Enterprise Zone (EZ), Los Angeles Revitalization Zone (LARZ), Local Agency Military Base Recovery Area (LAMBRA), Targeted Tax Area (TTA), or Manufacturing Enhancement Area tax benefits? [] Yes [X] No

E Amended Return [] Yes [X] No J Is this organization a qualified pension, profit-sharing, or stock bonus plan as described in IRC Section 401(a)? [] Yes [X] No

F Accounting Method Used: (1) [] Cash (2) [X] Accrual (3) [] Other K Unrelated Business Activity (UBA) Code 511110

G Nature of trade or business SEE STATEMENT 14

Table with 3 columns: Taxable Corporation, Line Number, Description, and Amount. Lines 1-3.

Table with 3 columns: Taxable Trust, Line Number, Description, and Amount. Line 4.

Table with 3 columns: Tax Computation, Line Number, Description, and Amount. Lines 5-11c.

Table with 3 columns: Total Tax, Line Number, Description, and Amount. Lines 12-14.

Table with 3 columns: Payments, Line Number, Description, and Amount. Lines 15-19.

Table with 3 columns: Refund (Direct Deposit of Refund) or Amount Due, Line Number, Description, and Amount. Lines 20-24.

Table with 3 columns: Refund (Direct Deposit of Refund) or Amount Due, Line Number, Description, and Amount. Lines 25-26.

Table with 3 columns: Refund (Direct Deposit of Refund) or Amount Due, Line Number, Description, and Amount. Line 27.

Unrelated Business Taxable Income

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income

1	a Gross receipts or gross sales	b Less returns and allowances	Balance	1c	00
2	Cost of goods sold and/or operations from Schedule A, line 7				00
3	Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c				00
4	a Capital gain net income. See Specific Line Instructions - Trusts attach Schedule D (541)				00
	b Net gain (loss) from Part II, Schedule D-1				00
	c Capital loss deduction for trusts				00
5	Income (or loss) from partnerships, limited liability companies, or S corporations. See specific line instructions. Attach Schedule K-1 (565, 568, or 100S) or similar schedule				00
6	Rental income from Schedule C				00
7	Unrelated debt-financed income from Schedule D				00
8	Investment income of an R&TC Section 23701g, 23701i, or 23701n organization from Schedule E				00
9	Annuities, interest, rents, and royalties of controlled organizations from Schedule F				00
10	Exploited exempt activity income from Schedule G				00
11	Advertising income from Schedule H, Part III, Column A				00
12	Other income				00
13	Total unrelated trade or business income. Add line 3 through line 12				0.00

Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere (Except for contributions, deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)

14	Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees from Schedule I				00
15	Salaries and wages				00
16	Repairs				00
17	Bad debts				00
18	Interest				00
19	Taxes				00
20	Contributions				00
21	a Depreciation (Corporations and Associations - Schedule J) (Trusts - form FTB 3885F)	21a	00		
	b Less: depreciation claimed on Schedule A	21b	00	21	00
22	Depletion				00
23	a Contributions to deferred compensation plans				00
	b Employee benefit programs				00
24	Other deductions				00
25	Total deductions. Add line 14 through line 24				00
26	Unrelated business taxable income before allowable excess advertising costs. Subtract line 25 from line 13				00
27	Excess advertising costs from Schedule H, Part III, Column B				00
28	Unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction. Subtract line 27 from line 26				0.00
29	Specific deduction				1,000.00
30	Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 29 from line 28. If line 28 is a loss, enter line 28				0.00

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

Sign Here	Signature of officer	Title TREASURER	Date	Telephone (530) 898-6815
	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Paid Preparer's SSN/PTIN
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Firm's name (or yours, if self-employed) MATSON AND ISOM			FEIN 94-2222122
	and address 3013 CERES AVENUE CHICO, CA 95973			Telephone (530) 891-6474
May the FTB discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Schedule A Cost of Goods Sold and/or Operations Method of inventory valuation (specify) N/A

1 Inventory at beginning of year	1	00
2 Purchases	2	00
3 Cost of labor	3	00
4 a Additional IRC Section 263A costs. Attach schedule	4a	00
b Other costs. Attach schedule	4b	00
5 Total. Add line 1 through line 4b	5	00
6 Inventory at end of year	6	00
7 Cost of goods sold and/or operations. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Side 2, Part I, line 2	7	00

Do the rules of IRC Section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to this organization? Yes No

Schedule B Tax Credits Do not complete if you must file Schedule P (100 or 541).

1 Enter credit name _____ code no. _____	1	00
2 Enter credit name _____ code no. _____	2	00
3 Enter credit name _____ code no. _____	3	00
4 Total. Add line 1 through line 3. Enter here and on Side 1, line 11c	4	00

Schedule K Add-On Taxes or Recapture of Tax.

1 Interest computation under the look-back method for completed long-term contracts. Attach form FTB 3834	1	00
2 Interest on tax attributable to installment: a Sales of certain timeshares or residential lots	2a	00
b Method for non-dealer installment obligations	2b	00
3 IRC Section 197(f)(9)(B)(ii) election to recognize gain on the disposition of intangibles	3	00
4 Credit recapture. Credit name _____	4	00
5 Total. Combine the amounts on line 1 through line 4	5	00

Schedule R Apportionment Formula Worksheet

Use only for unrelated trade or business amounts	(a) Total within and outside California	(b) Total within California	(c) Percent within California (b) ÷ (a)
1 Property factor:	•	•	•
2 Payroll factor: Wages and other compensation of employees	•	•	•
3 Sales factor: Gross sales and/or receipts less returns and allowances	•	•	•
4 Multiply the factor on line 3, column (c) by 2			
5 Total percentage: Add the percentages in column (c), line 1, line 2, and line 4			
6 Average apportionment percentage: Divide the factor on line 5 by 4 and enter the result here and on Form 109, Side 1, line 2. See instructions for exceptions			

Schedule C Rental Income from Real Property and Personal Property Leased with Real Property

For rental income from debt-financed property, use Schedule D, R&TC Section 23701g, Section 23701i, and Section 23701n organizations. See instructions for exceptions.

1 Description of property		2 Rent received or accrued	3 Percentage of rent attributable to personal property	
4 Complete if any item in column 3 is more than 50%, or for any item if the rent is determined on the basis of profit or income		5 Complete if any item in column 3 is more than 10%, but not more than 50%		
(a) Deductions directly connected	(b) Income includible, column 2 less column 4(a)	(a) Gross income reportable, column 2 x column 3	(b) Deductions directly connected with personal property	(c) Net income includible, column 5(a) less column 5(b)
Add column 4(b) and column 5(c). Enter here and on Side 2, Part I, line 6				

Schedule D Unrelated Debt-Financed Income

1 Description of debt-financed property		2 Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property	3 Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property		9 Net income (or loss) includible, column 7 less column 8
			(a) Straight-line depreciation	(b) Other deductions	
4 Amount of average acquisition indebtedness on or allocable to debt-financed property	5 Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property	6 Debt basis percentage, column 4 ÷ column 5	7 Gross income reportable, column 2 x column 6	8 Allocable deductions, total of columns 3(a) and 3(b) x column 6	
		%			
		%			
		%			
Total. Enter here and on Side 2, Part I, line 7					

Schedule E Investment Income of an R&TC Section 23701g, Section 23701i, or Section 23701n Organization

1 Description	2 Amount	3 Deductions directly connected	4 Net investment income, column 2 less column 3	5 Set-asides	6 Balance of investment income, column 4 less column 5
Total. Enter here and on Side 2, Part I, line 8					
Enter gross income from members (dues, fees, charges, or similar amounts)					

Schedule F Income (Annuities, Interest, Rents, and Royalties) from Controlled Organizations

1 Name and address of controlled organizations		2 Gross income from controlled organizations	3 Deductions directly connected with column 2 income	4 Exempt controlled organizations		
				(a) Unrelated business taxable income	(b) Taxable income computed as though not exempt under Section 23701, or the amount in column (a), whichever is greater	(c) Percentage, column (a) ÷ column (b)
						%
						%
						%
5 Nonexempt controlled organizations			6 Gross income reportable, column 2 x column 4(c) or column 5(c)	7 Allowable deductions, column 3 x column 4(c) or column 5(c)	8 Net income includible, column 6 less column 7	
(a) Excess taxable income	(b) Taxable income or amount in column (a), whichever is greater	(c) Percentage col. (a) ÷ (b)				
		%				
		%				
		%				
Total. Enter here and on Side 2, Part I, line 9						

Schedule G Exploited Exempt Activity Income, other than Advertising Income

1 Description of exploited activity (attach schedule if more than one unrelated activity is exploiting the same exempt activity)	2 Gross unrelated business income from trade or business	3 Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income	4 Net income from unrelated trade or business, column 2 less column 3	5 Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	6 Expenses attributable to column 5	7 Excess exempt expense, column 6 less column 5 but not more than column 4	8 Net income includible, column 4 less column 7 but not less than zero
Total. Enter here and on Side 2, Part I, line 10							

Schedule H Advertising Income and Excess Advertising Costs

Part I Income from Periodicals Reported on a Consolidated Basis

Table with 7 columns: 1 Name of periodical, 2 Gross advertising income, 3 Direct advertising costs, 4 Advertising income or excess advertising costs, 5 Circulation income, 6 Readership costs, 7 Calculation instructions.

Part II Income from Periodicals Reported on a Separate Basis

Table with 7 columns for separate basis reporting. Row 1: ORION, 285,543., 48,175., 237,368., 279,409., 237,368.

Part III Column A - Net Advertising Income

Table with 2 columns: (a) Enter "consolidated periodical" and/or names of non-consolidated periodicals, (b) Enter total amount from Part I, column 4 or 7, and amounts listed in Part II, cols. 4 and 7.

Part III Column B - Excess Advertising Costs

Table with 2 columns: (a) Enter "consolidated periodical" and/or names of non-consolidated periodicals, (b) Enter total amount from Part I, column 4, and amounts listed in Part II, column 4.

Enter total here and on Side 2, Part I, line 11

Enter total here and on Side 2, Part II, line 27

Schedule I Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees

Table with 6 columns: 1 Name of Officer, 2 SSN or ITIN, 3 Title, 4 Percent of time devoted to business, 5 Compensation attributable to unrelated business, 6 Expense account allowances.

Total. Enter here and on Side 2, Part II, line 14

Schedule J Depreciation (Corporations and Associations only. Trusts use form FTB 3885F.)

Table with 7 columns: 1 Group and guideline class or description of property, 2 Date acquired, 3 Cost or other basis, 4 Depreciation allowed or allowable in prior years, 5 Method of computing depreciation, 6 Life or rate, 7 Depreciation for this year.

FORM 109

NATURE OF TRADE OR BUSINESS

STATEMENT 14

PUBLICATION OF COLLEGE NEWSPAPER

TO FORM 109, PAGE 1

TAX RETURN FILING INSTRUCTIONS

CALIFORNIA FORM RRF-1

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

June 30, 2010

Prepared for	CSU, Chico Research Foundation CSUC, Building 25 Chico, CA 95929-0246
Prepared by	MATSON AND ISOM 3013 CERES AVENUE CHICO, CA 95973
Mail tax return to	Registry of Charitable Trusts P.O. Box 903447 Sacramento, CA 94203-4470
Return must be mailed on or before	May 16, 2011
Special Instructions	<p>The return should be signed and dated by an authorized individual.</p> <p>Enclose a check for \$225 made payable to Attorney General's Registry of Charitable Trusts. Include "Form RRF-1," the report year and the organization's state charity registration number and/or organization number on the remittance.</p>

MAIL TO:
 Registry of Charitable Trusts
 P.O. Box 903447
 Sacramento, CA 94203-4470
 Telephone: (916) 445-2021

**ANNUAL
 REGISTRATION RENEWAL FEE REPORT
 TO ATTORNEY GENERAL OF CALIFORNIA**

Sections 12586 and 12587, California Government Code
 11 Cal. Code Regs. sections 301-307, 311 and 312

WEB SITE ADDRESS:
<http://ag.ca.gov/charities/>

Failure to submit this report annually no later than four months and fifteen days after the end of the organization's accounting period may result in the loss of tax exemption and the assessment of a minimum tax of \$800, plus interest, and/or fines or filing penalties as defined in Government Code section 12586.1. IRS extensions will be honored.

State Charity Registration Number: CT <u>102886</u> CSU, CHICO RESEARCH FOUNDATION <small>Name of Organization</small> <u>CSUC, BUILDING 25</u> <small>Address (Number and Street)</small> <u>CHICO, CA 95929-0246</u> <small>City or Town, State and ZIP Code</small>	Check if: <input type="checkbox"/> Change of address <input type="checkbox"/> Amended report Corporate or Organization No. <u>1784872</u> Federal Employer I.D. No. <u>68-0386518</u>
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ANNUAL REGISTRATION RENEWAL FEE SCHEDULE (11 Cal. Code Regs. sections 301-307, 311 and 312)
 Make Check Payable to Attorney General's Registry of Charitable Trusts

Gross Annual Revenue	Fee	Gross Annual Revenue	Fee	Gross Annual Revenue	Fee
Less than \$25,000	0	Between \$100,001 and \$250,000	\$50	Between \$1,000,001 and \$10 million	\$150
Between \$25,000 and \$100,000	\$25	Between \$250,001 and \$1 million	\$75	Between \$10,000,001 and \$50 million	\$225
				Greater than \$50 million	\$300

PART A - ACTIVITIES

For your most recent full accounting period (beginning 07/01/2009 ending 06/30/2010) list:
 Gross annual revenue \$ 37,661,207. Total assets \$ 32,060,798.

PART B - STATEMENTS REGARDING ORGANIZATION DURING THE PERIOD OF THIS REPORT

Note: If you answer "yes" to any of the questions below, you must attach a separate sheet providing an explanation and details for each "yes" response. Please review RRF-1 instructions for information required.

	Yes	No
1. During this reporting period, were there any contracts, loans, leases or other financial transactions between the organization and any officer, director or trustee thereof either directly or with an entity in which any such officer, director or trustee had any financial interest?		X
2. During this reporting period, was there any theft, embezzlement, diversion or misuse of the organization's charitable property or funds?		X
3. During this reporting period, did non-program expenditures exceed 50% of gross revenues?		X
4. During this reporting period, were any organization funds used to pay any penalty, fine or judgment? If you filed a Form 4720 with the Internal Revenue Service, attach a copy.		X
5. During this reporting period, were the services of a commercial fundraiser or fundraising counsel for charitable purposes used? If "yes," provide an attachment listing the name, address, and telephone number of the service provider.		X
6. During this reporting period, did the organization receive any governmental funding? If so, provide an attachment listing the name of the agency, mailing address, contact person, and telephone number. SEE STATEMENT 15	X	
7. During this reporting period, did the organization hold a raffle for charitable purposes? If "yes," provide an attachment indicating the number of raffles and the date(s) they occurred.		X
8. Does the organization conduct a vehicle donation program? If "yes," provide an attachment indicating whether the program is operated by the charity or whether the organization contracts with a commercial fundraiser for charitable purposes.		X
9. Did your organization have prepared an audited financial statement in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for this reporting period?	X	

Organization's area code and telephone number (530) 898-6811

Organization's e-mail address FWOODMANSEE@CSUCHICO.EDU

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have examined this report, including accompanying documents, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct and complete.

LORRAINE HOFFMAN	TREASURER
<small>Signature of authorized officer</small>	<small>Printed Name</small>
	<small>Title</small>
	<small>Date</small>

FORM RRF-1

INFORMATION REGARDING GOVERNMENT FUNDING
PART B, LINE 6

STATEMENT 15

1. CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF AGING
1600 K STREET
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814-4020
RACHEL DE LA CRUZ
(916) 322-0773
2. CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES
CANCER PREVENTION & NUTRITION SECTION MS 7204
P.O. BOX 997413
SACRAMENTO, CA 95899-7413
CRISTINA ACOSTA
(916) 322-0773
3. U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
721 19TH STREET
DENVER, CO 80202
DORIS YOUNG
(202) 205-6185
4. REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BERKELEY
PASSED THROUGH FROM THE CA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES
120 HAVILAND HALL
BERKELEY, CA 94720-7400
CHRIS MATHAIS
(510) 642-9272
5. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
FEDERAL AUDIT CLEARINGHOUSE
1201 EAST 10TH STREET
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20202-4727