

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)

2004

Open to Public Inspection

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 2004 calendar year, or tax year beginning JUL 1, 2004 and ending JUN 30, 2005

B Check if applicable

- X Address change
Name change
Initial return
Final return
Amended return
Application pending

Please use IRS label or prnt or type See Specific Instructions

C Name of organization: FUTURE PROBLEM SOLVING PROGRAM
2015 GRANT PLACE
MELBOURNE, FL 32901-5600

D Employer identification number: 42-1234706
E Telephone number: (321) 768-0074
F Accounting method: Accrual

Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

H and I are not applicable to section 527 organizations.
H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? No
H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates
H(c) Are all affiliates included? N/A
H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling? No

G Website: N/A

J Organization type: 501(c)(3)

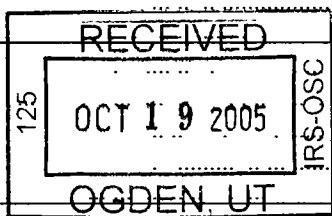
K Check here if the organization's gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. The organization need not file a return with the IRS; but if the organization received a Form 990 Package in the mail, it should file a return without financial data. Some states require a complete return.

L Gross receipts: Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12: 948,627.

M Check if the organization is not required to attach Sch. B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

Table with 21 rows and 4 columns. Rows include Revenue (1-12), Expenses (13-17), and Net Assets (18-21). Total revenue is 922,348 and total expenses are 882,473.



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Part II Statement of Functional Expenses All organizations must complete column (A). Columns (B), (C), and (D) are required for section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts but optional for others. Page 2

Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I.		(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising
22	Grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash \$ _____ noncash \$ _____)				
23	Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)				
24	Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)				
25	Compensation of officers, directors, etc.	89,227.	66,920.	22,307.	0.
26	Other salaries and wages	118,996.	77,347.	41,649.	
27	Pension plan contributions				
28	Other employee benefits	33,583.	21,829.	11,754.	
29	Payroll taxes ..	9,078.	5,901.	3,177.	
30	Professional fundraising fees ...				
31	Accounting fees				
32	Legal fees				
33	Supplies	5,980.	3,887.	2,093.	
34	Telephone	6,831.	4,440.	2,391.	
35	Postage and shipping				
36	Occupancy	22,826.	11,413.	11,413.	
37	Equipment rental and maintenance	1,920.	1,152.	768.	
38	Printing and publications	517.	465.	52.	
39	Travel	2,060.	1,030.	1,030.	
40	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	425,872.	319,404.	106,468.	
41	Interest				
42	Depreciation, depletion, etc (attach schedule)	6,902.	5,522.	1,380.	
43	Other expenses not covered above (itemize)				
a	_____				
b	_____				
c	_____				
d	_____				
e	SEE STATEMENT 3	158,681.	134,478.	24,203.	
44	Total functional expenses (add lines 22 through 43) Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15	882,473.	653,788.	228,685.	0.

Joint Costs. Check if you are following SOP 98-2.
 Are any joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation reported in (B) Program services? Yes No
 If "Yes," enter (i) the aggregate amount of these joint costs \$ _____; (ii) the amount allocated to Program services \$ _____;
 (iii) the amount allocated to Management and general \$ _____; and (iv) the amount allocated to Fundraising \$ _____

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? SEE STATEMENT 4	Program Service Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs., and 4947(a)(1) trusts, but optional for others.)
a INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE - PROVIDES A FORUM IN WHICH WINNERS OF COUNTRY, STATE AND LOCAL COMPETITIONS COMPETE IN PROBLEM SOLVING ACTIVITIES. (Grants and allocations \$ _____)	319,404.
b CATALOG SALES - PROVIDES EDUCATORS WITH THE MATERIALS NEEDED TO TEACH THINKING SKILLS. (Grants and allocations \$ _____)	67,319.
c SEE STATEMENT 5 (Grants and allocations \$ _____)	267,065.
d _____ (Grants and allocations \$ _____)	
e Other program services (attach schedule) (Grants and allocations \$ _____)	
f Total of Program Service Expenses (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services)	653,788.

Part IV Balance Sheets

Note: Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	45 Cash - non-interest-bearing	291,528.	45	278,003.
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments		46	
	47 a Accounts receivable	99,502.		
	47 b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	3,000.		
		95,800.	47c	96,502.
	48 a Pledges receivable			
	48 b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts		48c	
	49 Grants receivable		49	
	50 Receivables from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees		50	
	51 a Other notes and loans receivable			
	51 b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts		51c	
	52 Inventories for sale or use	32,703.	52	31,254.
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	5,228.	53	6,967.
	54 Investments - securities STMT 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FMV	145,818.	54	140,777.
55 a Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis				
55 b Less accumulated depreciation		55c		
56 Investments - other		56		
57 a Land, buildings, and equipment, basis	125,311.			
57 b Less accumulated depreciation STMT 7	67,735.			
	43,113.	57c	57,576.	
58 Other assets (describe <input type="checkbox"/>)		58		
59 Total assets (add lines 45 through 58) (must equal line 74)	614,190.	59	611,079.	
Liabilities	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	22,236.	60	7,960.
	61 Grants payable		61	
	62 Deferred revenue		62	
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees		63	
	64 a Tax-exempt bond liabilities		64a	
	64 b Mortgages and other notes payable		64b	
	65 Other liabilities (describe <input type="checkbox"/> SEE STATEMENT 8)	27,578.	65	3,300.
66 Total liabilities (add lines 60 through 65)	49,814.	66	11,260.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74.			
	67 Unrestricted	564,376.	67	599,819.
	68 Temporarily restricted		68	
	69 Permanently restricted		69	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 70 through 74			
	70 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds		70	
	71 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund		71	
	72 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		72	
	73 Total net assets or fund balances (add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72; column (A) must equal line 19; column (B) must equal line 21)	564,376.	73	599,819.
	74 Total liabilities and net assets / fund balances (add lines 66 and 73)	614,190.	74	611,079.

Form 990 is available for public inspection and, for some people, serves as the primary or sole source of information about a particular organization. How the public perceives an organization in such cases may be determined by the information presented on its return. Therefore, please make sure the return is complete and accurate and fully describes, in Part III, the organization's programs and accomplishments

Part VI Other Information

76 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity
77 Were any changes made in the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS?
78 a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?
78 b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?
79 Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year?
80 a Is the organization related (other than by association with a statewide or nationwide organization) through common membership, governing bodies, trustees, officers, etc., to any other exempt or nonexempt organization?
80 b If "Yes," enter the name of the organization and check whether it is exempt or nonexempt
81 a Enter direct or indirect political expenditures. See line 81 instructions
81 b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?
82 a Did the organization receive donated services or the use of materials, equipment, or facilities at no charge or at substantially less than fair rental value?
82 b If "Yes," you may indicate the value of these items here. Do not include this amount as revenue in Part I or as an expense in Part II. (See instructions in Part III)
83 a Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications?
83 b Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to quid pro quo contributions?
84 a Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?
84 b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?
85 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations. a Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members?
85 b Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?
85 c Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members
85 d Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures
85 e Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices
85 f Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e)
85 g Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f?
85 h If section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices were sent, does the organization agree to add the amount on line 85f to its reasonable estimate of dues allocable to nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures for the following tax year?
86 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12
86 b Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities
87 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter: a Gross income from members or shareholders
87 b Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)
88 At any time during the year, did the organization own a 50% or greater interest in a taxable corporation or partnership, or an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3?
88 a 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911; section 4912; section 4955
88 b 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year?
88 c Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958
88 d Enter: Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization
90 a List the states with which a copy of this return is filed
90 b Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2004
91 The books are in care of
92 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041- Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year

Part VII Analysis of Income-Producing Activities (See page 33 of the instructions.)

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(E) Related or exempt function income
	(A) Business code	(B) Amount	(C) Exclu- sion code	(D) Amount	
Note: Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.					
93 Program service revenue:					
a INTERNATIONAL CONF.					918,634.
b AND PROGRAM SERVICES					
c					
d					
e					
f Medicare/Medicaid payments ...					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
94 Membership dues and assessments ...					
95 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments ...			14		5,082.
96 Dividends and interest from securities					
97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a debt-financed property ...					
b not debt-financed property ...					
98 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
99 Other investment income					
100 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory			14	<1,368.>	
101 Net income or (loss) from special events					
102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
103 Other revenue:					
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
104 Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))		0.		<1,368.>	923,716.
105 Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E))					922,348.

Note: Line 105 plus line 1d, Part I, should equal the amount on line 12, Part I.

Part VIII Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes (See page 34 of the instructions)

Line No.	Explain how each activity for which income is reported in column (E) of Part VII contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the organization's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
10	SEE STATEMENT 10

Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities (See page 34 of the instructions)

(A) Name, address, and EIN of corporation, partnership, or disregarded entity	(B) Percentage of ownership interest	(C) Nature of activities	(D) Total income	(E) End-of-year assets
N/A	%			
	%			
	%			
	%			

Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated

(a) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly,
 (b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on
 Note: If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions).

Please 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 officer) is based on all information furnished to him.

Signature of officer: *Malcolm Solomon* Date: _____

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Preparer's signature: *[Signature]* CPA

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: STIVERS & ASSOCIATES PS
190 MARKET STREET, SUIT
LEXINGTON, KY 40507

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)

(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k),
501(n), or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust

Supplementary Information-(See separate instructions.)
▶ **MUST be completed by the above organizations and attached to their Form 990 or 990-EZ**

OMB No 1545-0047

2004

Name of the organization: **FUTURE PROBLEM SOLVING PROGRAM** Employer identification number: **42-1234706**

Part I Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Employees Other Than Officers, Directors, and Trustees
(See page 1 of the instructions List each one. If there are none, enter "None.")

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
NONE				

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

Part II Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Professional Services
(See page 2 of the instructions List each one (whether individuals or firms) If there are none, enter "None")

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶ 0		

Part III Statements About Activities (See page 2 of the instructions.)		Yes	No
1	During the year, has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum? If "Yes," enter the total expenses paid or incurred in connection with the lobbying activities \$ _____ \$ _____ (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line i of Part VI-B) Organizations that made an election under section 501(h) by filing Form 5768 must complete Part VI-A. Other organizations checking "Yes," must complete Part VI-B AND attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.		X
2	During the year, has the organization, either directly or indirectly, engaged in any of the following acts with any substantial contributors, trustees, directors, officers, creators, key employees, or members of their families, or with any taxable organization with which any such person is affiliated as an officer, director, trustee, majority owner, or principal beneficiary? (If the answer to any question is "Yes," attach a detailed statement explaining the transactions.)		
a	Sale, exchange, or leasing of property?		X
b	Lending of money or other extension of credit?		X
c	Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities?		X
d	Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)?		X
e	Transfer of any part of its income or assets?		X
3 a	Do you make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how you determine that recipients qualify to receive payments.)		X
b	Do you have a section 403(b) annuity plan for your employees?		X
4 a	Did you maintain any separate account for participating donors where donors have the right to provide advice on the use or distribution of funds?		X
b	Do you provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?		X

Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status (See pages 3 through 6 of the instructions)

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (Please check only **ONE** applicable box)

- 5 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches Section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).
- 6 A school. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) (Also complete Part V)
- 7 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).
- 8 A Federal, state, or local government or governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).
- 9 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state **▶** _____
- 10 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)
- 11a An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A)
- 11b A community trust. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)
- 12 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 charitable, etc , 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). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)
- 13 An organization that is not controlled by any disqualified persons (other than foundation managers) and supports organizations described in (1) lines 5 through 12 above; or (2) section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6), if they meet the test of section 509(a)(2) (See section 509(a)(3))

Provide the following information about the supported organizations (See page 5 of the instructions)

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Line number from above

- 14 An organization organized and operated to test for public safety. Section 509(a)(4). (See page 5 of the instructions)

Part IV-A Support Schedule (Complete only if you checked a box on line 10, 11, or 12.) Use cash method of accounting. Note: You may use the worksheet in the instructions for converting from the accrual to the cash method of accounting.					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2003	(b) 2002	(c) 2001	(d) 2000	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received (Do not include unusual grants. See line 28.)			100.	44,147.	44,247.
16 Membership fees received	13,650.	13,875.	13,100.	12,652.	53,277.
17 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to the organization's charitable, etc., purpose	927,214.	900,815.	949,197.	764,112.	3,541,338.
18 Gross income from interest, dividends, amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents, royalties, and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975	4,488.	6,492.	6,436.	21,349.	38,765.
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18					
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf					
21 The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge. Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge.					
22 Other income. Attach a schedule. Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets		195.	SEE STATEMENT 11		195.
23 Total of lines 15 through 22	945,352.	921,377.	968,833.	842,260.	3,677,822.
24 Line 23 minus line 17	18,138.	20,562.	19,636.	78,148.	136,484.
25 Enter 1% of line 23	9,454.	9,214.	9,688.	8,423.	
26 Organizations described on lines 10 or 11: a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24					26a N/A
b Prepare a list for your records to show the name of and amount contributed by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) whose total gifts for 2000 through 2003 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a. Do not file this list with your return. Enter the total of all these excess amounts					26b N/A
c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test. Enter line 24, column (e)					26c N/A
d Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 18 _____ 19 _____					26d N/A
22 _____ 26b _____					
e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total)					26e N/A
f Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))					26f N/A %
27 Organizations described on line 12: a For amounts included in lines 15, 16, and 17 that were received from a "disqualified person," prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and total amounts received in each year from, each "disqualified person." Do not file this list with your return. Enter the sum of such amounts for each year. (2003) 0. (2002) 0. (2001) 0. (2000) 0.					
b For any amount included in line 17 that was received from each person (other than "disqualified persons"), prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and amount received for each year, that was more than the larger of (1) the amount on line 25 for the year or (2) \$5,000. (Include in the list organizations described in lines 5 through 11, as well as individuals.) Do not file this list with your return. After computing the difference between the amount received and the larger amount described in (1) or (2), enter the sum of these differences (the excess amounts) for each year. (2003) 0. (2002) 0. (2001) 0. (2000) 0.					
c Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 15 _____ 16 _____					27c 3,638,862.
17 _____ 20 _____ 21 _____					
d Add: Line 27a total _____ 0. and line 27b total _____ 0.					27d 0.
e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total)					27e 3,638,862.
f Total support for section 509(a)(2) test. Enter amount on line 23, column (e)					27f 3,677,822.
g Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27g 98.9407%
h Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27h 1.0540%

28 Unusual Grants: For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2000 through 2003, prepare a list for your records to show, for each year, the name of the contributor, the date and amount of the grant, and a brief description of the nature of the grant. Do not file this list with your return. Do not include these grants in line 15

Part V Private School Questionnaire (See page 7 of the instructions.)

N/A

(To be completed ONLY by schools that checked the box on line 6 in Part IV)

		Yes	No
29	Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body?		
30	Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?		
31	Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe; if "No," please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)		
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32	Does the organization maintain the following:		
a	Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff?	32a	
b	Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?	32b	
c	Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	32c	
d	Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)	32d	
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33	Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to:		
a	Students' rights or privileges?	33a	
b	Admissions policies?	33b	
c	Employment of faculty or administrative staff?	33c	
d	Scholarships or other financial assistance?	33d	
e	Educational policies?	33e	
f	Use of facilities?	33f	
g	Athletic programs?	33g	
h	Other extracurricular activities? If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)	33h	
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34 a	Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?	34a	
b	Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? If you answered "Yes" to either 34a or b, please explain using an attached statement	34b	
35	Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4.01 through 4.05 of Rev Proc 75-50, 1975-2 C B. 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," attach an explanation	35	

Part VI-A Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities (See page 9 of the instructions.)
 (To be completed ONLY by an eligible organization that filed Form 5768)

N/A

Check **a** if the organization belongs to an affiliated group Check **b** if you checked "a" and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred)		(a) Affiliated group totals	(b) To be completed for ALL electing organizations
		N/A	
36 Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying)	36		
37 Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	37		
38 Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37)	38		
39 Other exempt purpose expenditures	39		
40 Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39)	40		
41 Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table -			
If the amount on line 40 is -	The lobbying nontaxable amount is -		
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 40		
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000		
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000		
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000		
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000		
42 Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41)	42		
43 Subtract line 42 from line 36. Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36	43		
44 Subtract line 41 from line 38. Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38	44		

Caution: If there is an amount on either line 43 or line 44, you must file Form 4720.

4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 45 through 50 on page 11 of the instructions.)

	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				N/A
	(a) 2004	(b) 2003	(c) 2002	(d) 2001	(e) Total
45 Lobbying nontaxable amount					0.
46 Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e))					0.
47 Total lobbying expenditures					0.
48 Grassroots nontaxable amount					0.
49 Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e))					0.
50 Grassroots lobbying expenditures					0.

Part VI-B Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities

(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 11 of the instructions.)

N/A

During the year, did the organization attempt to influence national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:	Yes	No	Amount
a Volunteers			
b Paid staff or management (Include compensation in expenses reported on lines c through h.)			
c Media advertisements			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means			
i Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines c through h.)			0.

If "Yes" to any of the above, also attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.

Asset No	Description	Date Acquired	Method	Life	Line No	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	Bus % Excl	* Reduction In Basis	Basis For Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Current Sec 179	Amount Of Depreciation
1	DESK	050695	SL	7.00	16	795.			795.	795.		0.
2	CREDENZA	011095	SL	5.00	16	848.			848.	848.		0.
3				.000	16							0.
4	DESK	103195	SL	5.00	16	724.			724.	724.		0.
5	COMPUTER	111595	SL	5.00	16	2,200.			2,200.	2,200.		0.
6	LASER PRINTER	093095	SL	5.00	16	1,723.			1,723.	1,723.		0.
7	COMPUTER	092195	SL	5.00	16	1,598.			1,598.	1,598.		0.
8	MAC COMPUTER	063096	SL	5.00	16	2,800.			2,800.	2,800.		0.
9	LAPTOP COMPUTER 1400	072296	SL	5.00	16	1,846.			1,846.	1,846.		0.
10	LASER PRINTER	080596	SL	5.00	16	3,058.			3,058.	3,058.		0.
11	POWER MAC	030497	SL	5.00	16	2,085.			2,085.	2,085.		0.
13	COMPUTER	033197	SL	5.00	16	2,269.			2,269.	2,269.		0.
14	TABLES	041597	SL	5.00	16	535.			535.	535.		0.
15	SERVER	071296	SL	7.00	16	3,420.			3,420.	3,420.		0.
16	DESK	031297	SL	5.00	16	636.			636.	636.		0.
17	DESK	040897	SL	5.00	16	673.			673.	673.		0.
18	LASER PRINTER	083197	SL	7.00	16	3,464.			3,464.	3,382.		82.
19	MAC LAPTOP 1400	112398	SL	5.00	16	1,801.			1,801.	1,801.		0.

Asset No	Description	Date Acquired	Method	Life	Line No	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	Bus % Excl	* Reduction In Basis	Basis For Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Current Sec 179	Amount Of Depreciation
20	MAC COMPUTER	020899	SL	5.00	16	3,694.			3,694.	3,694.		0.
21	MAC COMPUTER	041499	SL	5.00	16	2,701.			2,701.	2,701.		0.
22	POSTAGE MACHINE	021800	SL	5.00	16	3,665.			3,665.	3,176.		489.
23	LAPTOP COMPUTER	012600	SL	5.00	16	2,251.			2,251.	1,988.		263.
24	RADIOS	061500	SL	5.00	16	2,908.			2,908.	2,376.		532.
25	DIGITAL CAMERA	050100	SL	5.00	16	870.			870.	725.		145.
26	DELL COMPUTER	093099	SL	5.00	16	1,519.			1,519.	1,444.		75.
27	FURNITURE	071299	SL	7.00	16	1,687.			1,687.	1,205.		241.
28	OFFICE FURNITURE	012301	SL	7.00	16	535.			535.	260.		76.
29	COMPUTER	110800	SL	5.00	16	730.			730.	535.		146.
30	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	040801	SL	5.00	16	2,020.			2,020.	1,313.		404.
31	MAC COMPUTER	040901	SL	5.00	16	750.			750.	488.		150.
32	STORAGE BUILDING	080100	SL	7.00	16	1,561.			1,561.	873.		223.
33	ABLE COPYRIGHT	060701		240M	43	40,000.			40,000.	6,167.		2,000.
34	COMPUTER	030102	SL	5.00	16	1,350.			1,350.	630.		270.
35	COMPUTER	030102	SL	5.00	16	1,700.			1,700.	793.		340.
36	COMPUTER PROJECTOR	030102	SL	5.00	16	3,495.			3,495.	1,631.		699.
37	{7} 2-WAY RADIOS	052003	SL	5.00	16	2,035.			2,035.	441.		407.

Asset No	Description	Date Acquired	Method	Life	Line No	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	Bus % Excl	* Reduction In Basis	Basis For Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Current Sec 179	Amount Of Depreciation
38	TELEPHONE SYSTEM	01/01/05	SL	5.00	16	3,600.			3,600.			360.
39	SOFTWARE	06/30/05	SL	5.00	16	17,765.			17,765.			0.
	* TOTAL 990 PAGE 2 DEPR & AMORT					125,311.		0.	125,311.	60,833.	0.	6,902.

FORM 990	GAIN (LOSS) FROM PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES			STATEMENT	1
DESCRIPTION	GROSS SALES PRICE	COST OR OTHER BASIS	EXPENSE OF SALE	NET GAIN OR (LOSS)	
SECURITIES	24,911.	26,279.	0.	<1,368.>	
TO FORM 990, PART I, LINE 8	24,911.	26,279.	0.	<1,368.>	

FORM 990	OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES		STATEMENT	2
DESCRIPTION				AMOUNT
UNREALIZED GAIN (LOSS) ON INVESTMENTS				<4,432.>
TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART I, LINE 20				<4,432.>

FORM 990	OTHER EXPENSES			STATEMENT	3
DESCRIPTION	(A) TOTAL	(B) PROGRAM SERVICES	(C) MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL	(D) FUNDRAISING	
BOARD OF TRUSTEES	6,542.	3,271.	3,271.		
PROGRAM MATERIALS	67,319.	67,319.			
CONTRACT SERVICES	228.	228.			
COPIER LEASE	5,745.	4,596.	1,149.		
PROMOTION	13,258.	10,034.	3,224.		
INSURANCE	5,186.	3,371.	1,815.		
OFFICE EXPENSES	12,320.	8,008.	4,312.		
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT	2,000.	2,000.			
SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DUES	1,552.	1,086.	466.		
INVESTMENT FEES	4,607.	2,764.	1,843.		
TRAINING	9,259.	6,944.	2,315.		
PROFESSIONAL FEES	9,460.	4,730.	4,730.		
MENTORING	7,204.	7,204.			
MISCELLANEOUS	5,399.	4,321.	1,078.		
BAD DEBTS	8,602.	8,602.			
TOTAL TO FM 990, LN 43	158,681.	134,478.	24,203.		

FORM 990 STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION'S PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE STATEMENT 4
PART III

EXPLANATION

TO TEACH STUDENTS CREATIVE SOLVING PROCESSES THROUGH COMPETITIVE AND NON-COMPETITIVE INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS FOR FUTURE PROBLEM SOLVING.

FORM 990 STATEMENT OF PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS STATEMENT 5

DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM SERVICE THREE

DEVELOPMENT AND EVALUATIONS - SERVES EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OF MINORITY STUDENTS, DEVELOPS FUTURE PROBLEM SOLVING PROGRAMS AND PROVIDES ONGOING EVALUATIONS TO STUDENTS TO IMPROVE PROBLEM SOLVING ABILITIES.

	GRANTS	EXPENSES
TO FORM 990, PART III, LINE C		267,065.

FORM 990 NON-GOVERNMENT SECURITIES STATEMENT 6

SECURITY DESCRIPTION	COST/FMV	CORPORATE STOCKS	CORPORATE BONDS	OTHER PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES	TOTAL NON-GOV'T SECURITIES
SECURITIES	FMV	140,777.			140,777.
TO FORM 990, LINE 54, COL B		140,777.			140,777.

FORM 990 DEPRECIATION OF ASSETS NOT HELD FOR INVESTMENT STATEMENT 7

DESCRIPTION	COST OR OTHER BASIS	ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION	BOOK VALUE
DESK	795.	795.	0.
CREDENZA	848.	848.	0.
DESK	724.	724.	0.
COMPUTER	2,200.	2,200.	0.
LASER PRINTER	1,723.	1,723.	0.
COMPUTER	1,598.	1,598.	0.

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MAC COMPUTER	2,800.	2,800.	0.
LAPTOP COMPUTER 1400	1,846.	1,846.	0.
LASER PRINTER	3,058.	3,058.	0.
POWER MAC	2,085.	2,085.	0.
COMPUTER	2,269.	2,269.	0.
TABLES	535.	535.	0.
SERVER	3,420.	3,420.	0.
DESK	636.	636.	0.
DESK	673.	673.	0.
LASER PRINTER	3,464.	3,464.	0.
MAC LAPTOP 1400	1,801.	1,801.	0.
MAC COMPUTER	3,694.	3,694.	0.
MAC COMPUTER	2,701.	2,701.	0.
POSTAGE MACHINE	3,665.	3,665.	0.
LAPTOP COMPUTER	2,251.	2,251.	0.
RADIOS	2,908.	2,908.	0.
DIGITAL CAMERA	870.	870.	0.
DELL COMPUTER	1,519.	1,519.	0.
FURNITURE	1,687.	1,446.	241.
OFFICE FURNITURE	535.	336.	199.
COMPUTER	730.	681.	49.
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	2,020.	1,717.	303.
MAC COMPUTER	750.	638.	112.
STORAGE BUILDING	1,561.	1,096.	465.
ABLE COPYRIGHT	40,000.	8,167.	31,833.
COMPUTER	1,350.	900.	450.
COMPUTER	1,700.	1,133.	567.
COMPUTER PROJECTOR	3,495.	2,330.	1,165.
(7) 2-WAY RADIOS	2,035.	848.	1,187.
TELEPHONE SYSTEM	3,600.	360.	3,240.
SOFTWARE	17,765.	0.	17,765.
TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART IV, LN 57	125,311.	67,735.	57,576.

FORM 990	OTHER LIABILITIES	STATEMENT	8
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DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
ACCRUED PAYROLL	0.
OTHER ACCRUED LIABILITIES	3,300.
ACCRUED VACATION	0.
TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART IV, LINE 65, COLUMN B	3,300.

FORM 990 PART V - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES STATEMENT 9

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN- SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
KATHERINE HUME KY	FORMER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR 40	89,227.	5,102.	0.
MELISSA GRANTHAM MS	PRESIDENT 0	0.	0.	0.
NANCY WOGMAN CT	PRESIDENT-ELECT 0	0.	0.	0.
DEB WOYTHAL IA	POLICY REP 0	0.	0.	0.
FARIMAE TATE VA	FIANCE REP 0	0.	0.	0.
MARTHA BARLOW WI	EVALUATION REP 0	0.	0.	0.
BRENT PORTER KY	TECHNOLOGY REP 0	0.	0.	0.
PHYLLIS MACDONALD AZ	PERSONNEL REP 0	0.	0.	0.
BARBARA SAILORS WA	PROGRAM REP 0	0.	0.	0.
MARIANNE SOLOMON FL	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR 40	0.	0.	0.
TOTALS INCLUDED ON FORM 990, PART V		89,227.	5,102.	0.

FORM 990 PART VIII - RELATIONSHIP OF ACTIVITIES TO STATEMENT 10
 ACCOMPLISHMENT OF EXEMPT PURPOSES

LINE	EXPLANATION OF RELATIONSHIP OF ACTIVITIES
93AB	INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE PROVIDES A POSITIVE LEARNING EXPERIENCE THROUGH COMPETITION BETWEEN WINNERS OF STATE EVENTS AND PROVIDING EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS NEEDED BY EDUCATORS TO TEACH PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS.
94	MEMBERS HAVE A GREATER COMMITMENT TO HELP INSURE THE ORGANIZATION IS PROVIDING FOR MEMBER AND COMMUNITY NEEDS BY CHARGING DUES.
95	INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS FUNDS FOR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES.

SCHEDULE A OTHER INCOME STATEMENT 11

DESCRIPTION	2003 AMOUNT	2002 AMOUNT	2001 AMOUNT	2000 AMOUNT
MISCELLANEOUS	0.	195.	0.	0.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE A, LINE 22	0.	195.	0.	0.

Depreciation and Amortization 990
(Including Information on Listed Property)

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

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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 instructions for a higher limit for certain businesses	102,000.
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation	410,000.
4	Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	
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 2003 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 2005. 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 (see instructions)	14
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election (see instructions)	15
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS) (see instructions)	4,902.

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 2004	17
18	If you are electing under section 168(i)(4) 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 2004 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						
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	/		39 yrs.	MM	S/L	
	/			MM	S/L	

Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2004 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.	4,902.
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 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

(a) Type of property (list vehicles first)	(b) Date placed in service	(c) Business/ investment use percentage	(d) Cost or other basis	(e) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only)	(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:								
		%						
		%						
		%						
27 Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use:								
		%				S/L -		
		%				S/L -		
		%				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.

	(a) Vehicle		(b) Vehicle		(c) Vehicle		(d) Vehicle		(e) Vehicle		(f) Vehicle	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
30 Total business/investment miles driven during the year (do not include commuting miles)												
31 Total commuting miles driven during the year												
32 Total other personal (noncommuting) miles driven												
33 Total miles driven during the year. Add lines 30 through 32												
34 Was the vehicle available for personal use during off-duty hours?												
35 Was the vehicle used primarily by a more than 5% owner or related person?												
36 Is another vehicle available for personal 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.

	Yes	No
37 Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits all personal use of vehicles, including commuting, by your employees?		
38 Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits personal use of vehicles, except commuting, by your employees? See instructions for vehicles used by corporate officers, directors, or 1% or more owners		
39 Do you treat all use of vehicles by employees as personal use?		
40 Do you provide more than five vehicles to your employees, obtain information from your employees about the use of the vehicles, and retain the information received?		
41 Do you meet the requirements concerning qualified automobile demonstration 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

(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 2004 tax year:					
43 Amortization of costs that began before your 2004 tax year					43
					2,000.
44 Total. Add amounts in column (f). See instructions for where to report					44
					2,000.