

Form 5500 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2021</u> and ending <u>12/31/2021</u>	
A This return/report is for:	☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☒ a single-employer plan ☐ a DFE (specify) _____
B This return/report is:	☐ the first return/report ☐ the final return/report ☒ an amended return/report ☐ a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)
C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here.	☐
D Check box if filing under:	☒ Form 5558 ☐ automatic extension ☐ the DFVC program ☐ special extension (enter description)
E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here.	☐

Part II	Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information										
1a Name of plan <u>INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD INC. DC PLAN</u>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶</td> <td style="width: 20%; text-align: center;"><u>001</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">1c Effective date of plan <u>08/01/1991</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>22-3087809</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>202-628-8188</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">2d Business code (see instructions) <u>611000</u></td> </tr> </table>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>001</u>	1c Effective date of plan <u>08/01/1991</u>		2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>22-3087809</u>		2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>202-628-8188</u>		2d Business code (see instructions) <u>611000</u>	
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2d Business code (see instructions) <u>611000</u>											
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) <u>INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD INC.</u> <u>1275 K ST NW STE 600</u> <u>WASHINGTON, DC 20005</u>											

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	04/25/2023	JANE ILORI
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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3a Plan administrator's name and address ☒ Same as Plan Sponsor		3b Administrator's EIN
		3c Administrator's telephone number
4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name		4b EIN 4d PN
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year		5 311
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d).		
a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year.....		6a(1) 219
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year		6a(2) 258
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits.....		6b 0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits		6c 99
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c		6d 357
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.		6e 0
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e		6f 357
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)		6g 340
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested		6h 0
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item).....		7
8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions: 2F 2G 2L 2T 3B 3F 3D		
b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:		
9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☒ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☐ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	
10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)		
a Pension Schedules (1) ☒ R (Retirement Plan Information) (2) ☐ MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary (3) ☐ SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary		b General Schedules (1) ☒ H (Financial Information) (2) ☐ I (Financial Information – Small Plan) (3) ☒ <u>2</u> A (Insurance Information) (4) ☒ C (Service Provider Information) (5) ☒ D (DFE/Participating Plan Information) (6) ☐ G (Financial Transaction Schedules)

Part III Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)

11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

11b Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2021 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2021 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Insurance Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500. ▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).	OMB No. 1210-0110 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2021 and ending 12/31/2021		
A Name of plan INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD INC. DC PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 22-3087809	

Part I	Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions	Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.
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1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
AMERICAN UNITED LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
35-0145825	60895	G76437	340	01/01/2021	12/31/2021

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	211621
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	5	21756063

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:**a** State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount. Specify nature of costs ▶	6d	

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity
(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee
(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☒ other ▶ **GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT**

b Balance at the end of the previous year **7b** 134478

c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)	26070	
	(2) Dividends and credits.....	7c(2)	0	
	(3) Interest credited during the year.....	7c(3)	1916	
	(4) Transferred from separate account.....	7c(4)	55839	
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)	0	

(6) Total additions **7c(6)** 83825

d Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**) **7d** 218303

e Deductions:

(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)	0	
(2) Administration charge made by carrier.....	7e(2)	6582	
(3) Transferred to separate account.....	7e(3)	100	
(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)	0	

(5) Total deductions **7e(5)** 6682

f Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**) **7f** 211621

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- a** ☐ Health (other than dental or vision)
b ☐ Dental
c ☐ Vision
d ☐ Life insurance
e ☐ Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
f ☐ Long-term disability
g ☐ Supplemental unemployment
h ☐ Prescription drug
i ☐ Stop loss (large deductible)
j ☐ HMO contract
k ☐ PPO contract
l ☐ Indemnity contract
m ☐ Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:

a Premiums: (1) Amount received	9a(1)		
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	9a(2)		
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	9a(3)		
(4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3))		9a(4)	0
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	9b(1)		
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)		
(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2))		9b(3)	0
(4) Claims charged		9b(4)	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --			
(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)		
(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)		
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	9c(1)(C)		
(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)		
(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)		
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	9c(1)(F)		
(G) Other retention charges	9c(1)(G)		
(H) Total retention		9c(1)(H)	0
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ credited.)		9c(2)	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement		9d(1)	
(2) Claim reserves		9d(2)	
(3) Other reserves		9d(3)	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).)		9e	

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier	10a	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount. Specify nature of costs.	10b	

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? ☐ Yes ☒ No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Insurance Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500. ▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).	OMB No. 1210-0110 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 22-3087809

Part I	Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.
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1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
TIAA-CREF

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
13-1624203	69345	368248	250	01/01/2021	12/31/2021

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	

Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	2854567
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	5	12349550

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:**a** State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount. Specify nature of costs ▶	6d	

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity
(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐**7** Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee
(3) ☒ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year	7b	2948260
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c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)	0	
	(2) Dividends and credits.....	7c(2)	0	
	(3) Interest credited during the year.....	7c(3)	98653	
	(4) Transferred from separate account.....	7c(4)	473403	
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)	0	

(6) Total additions	7c(6)	572056
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d	Total of balance and additions (add lines 7b and 7c(6))	7d	3520316
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e	Deductions:			
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)	103722	
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier.....	7e(2)	0	
	(3) Transferred to separate account.....	7e(3)	533241	
	(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)	28786	

▶ **TRANSFER TO OUTSIDE SOURCE**

(5) Total deductions	7e(5)	665749
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f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line 7e(5) from line 7d)	7f	2854567
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9 Experience-rated contracts:

a Premiums: (1) Amount received	9a(1)		
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b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	9b(1)		
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)		
(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2))		9b(3)	0
(4) Claims charged		9b(4)	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --			
(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)		
(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)		
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	9c(1)(C)		
(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)		
(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)		
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	9c(1)(F)		
(G) Other retention charges	9c(1)(G)		
(H) Total retention		9c(1)(H)	0
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ credited.)		9c(2)	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement		9d(1)	
(2) Claim reserves		9d(2)	
(3) Other reserves		9d(3)	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).)		9e	

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier	10a	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount. Specify nature of costs.	10b	

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? ☐ Yes ☒ No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Service Provider Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
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Part I	Service Provider Information (see instructions)
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You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

- a** Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions)..... ☒ Yes ☐ No
- b** If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
AMERICAN UNITED LIFE INSURANCE CO
35-0145825

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
TIAA
13-1624203

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

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(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
15 50 64 37 38 66 67	NONE	1488	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☒	88151	Yes ☐ No ☒

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

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			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3. If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received \$1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
AMERICAN UNITED LIFE INSURANCE CO	66 67	88151
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	
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(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide
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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)

(complete as many entries as needed)

a Name:	GELMAN ROSENBERG & FREEDMAN CPA	b EIN:	52-1392008
c Position:	AUDITOR		
d Address:	4550 MONTGOMERY AVENUE STE 800 NORT BETHESDA, MD 20814	e Telephone:	301-951-9090

Explanation: TO GET BETTER PERFORMANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY ENSURE INDEPENDENCE GET FRESH PERSPECTIVE SEE WHAT THE COMPETITION WAS DOING AND OFFERING AND TO KEEP FEES COMPETITIVE.

a Name:		b EIN:	
c Position:			
d Address:		e Telephone:	

Explanation:

a Name:		b EIN:	
c Position:			
d Address:		e Telephone:	

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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration	DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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A Name of plan <u>INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD INC. DC PLAN</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ►	<u>001</u>
C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>22-3087809</u>	

Part I	Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>AUL AMERICAN UNIT TRUST</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>AMERICAN UNITED LIFE INSURANCE CO</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>35-0145825-000</u>	d Entity code <u>P</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>21756063</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>TIAA REAL ESTATE</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>TIAA-CREF</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>13-1624203-004</u>	d Entity code <u>P</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>650246</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):**c** EIN-PN**d** Entity
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code**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or
103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans)

a Plan name**b** Name of
plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN**a** Plan name**b** Name of
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SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Asset and Liability Statement		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1	Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.			
	Assets			
a	Total noninterest-bearing cash.....	1a	0	0
b	Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
	(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	136	0
	(2) Participant contributions.....	1b(2)	0	0
	(3) Other	1b(3)	0	0
c	General investments:			
	(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	0	0
	(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)	0	0
	(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
	(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)	0	0
	(B) All other	1c(3)(B)	0	0
	(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
	(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)	0	0
	(B) Common	1c(4)(B)	0	0
	(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)	0	0
	(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)	0	0
	(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)	0	0
	(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	111785	137896
	(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	0	0
	(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	439541	650246
	(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)	0	0
	(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)	0	0
	(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	28023430	33455367
	(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)	3082738	3066188
	(15) Other.....	1c(15)	0	0

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	1d(1)	0	0
(2) Employer real property.....	1d(2)	0	0
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e	0	0
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	31657630	37309697

Liabilities

g Benefit claims payable	1g	0	0
h Operating payables	1h	0	0
i Acquisition indebtedness.....	1i	0	0
j Other liabilities.....	1j	0	0
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k	0	0

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	31657630	37309697
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	1113898	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	1285064	
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)	209610	
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)	0	2608572
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	2b(1)(A)	0	
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)	0	
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)	0	
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)	0	
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)	5200	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)	100569	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		105769
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock.....	2b(2)(A)	0	
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)	0	
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)	0	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		0
(3) Rents	2b(3)		0
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)	0	
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	2b(4)(B)	0	
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)	0	
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)	0	
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts.....	2b(6)		0
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts.....	2b(7)		0
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts.....	2b(8)		0
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities.....	2b(9)		0
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds).....	2b(10)		4589009
c Other income.....	2c		0
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		7303350
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	2e(1)	1649995	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits.....	2e(2)	0	
(3) Other.....	2e(3)	0	
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3).....	2e(4)		1649995
f Corrective distributions (see instructions).....	2f		0
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		0
h Interest expense.....	2h		0
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees.....	2i(1)	0	
(2) Contract administrator fees.....	2i(2)	1288	
(3) Investment advisory and management fees.....	2i(3)	0	
(4) Other.....	2i(4)	0	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4).....	2i(5)		1288
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		1651283
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d.....	2k		5652067
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan.....	2l(1)		0
(2) From this plan.....	2l(2)		0

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) ☐ Unmodified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☒ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) ☒ DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 (2) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) (3) ☐ neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: **APRIO LLP**

(2) EIN: **57-1157523**

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.).....

	Yes	No	Amount
4a		X	

	Yes	No	Amount
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)			
4b		X	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)			
4c		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)			
4d		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		1000000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
4f		X	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?			
4g		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?			
4h		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
4i	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)			
4j		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?			
4k		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?			
4l		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)			
4m		X	
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			
4n			
5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year?..... ☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.			
5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)			
5b(1) Name of plan(s)	5b(2) EIN(s)	5b(3) PN(s)	
5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.			

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Retirement Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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Part I	Distributions
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All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.

1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....	1	<u>0</u>
2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits): EIN(s): <u>35-0145825</u> <u>13-1624203</u> Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.		
3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year	3	

Part II	Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)
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4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.			
5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.			
6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived)	6a		
b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year	6b		
c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount)	6c		
If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.			
7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A

Part III	Amendments
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9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box.....	☐ Increase	☐ Decrease	☐ Both	☐ No
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Part IV	ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.
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10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?	☐ Yes	☐ No
11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?	☐ Yes	☐ No
b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.)	☐ Yes	☐ No
12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market?	☐ Yes	☐ No

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Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

- 14** Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:

a The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....

14a

b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....

14b

c The second preceding plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....

14c

- 15** Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year.....

15a

b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year.....

15b

- 16** Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:

a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year.....

16a

b If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers.....

16b

- 17** If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment..... ☐

Part VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

- 18** If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment..... ☐

- 19** If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) through (c)

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:

Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:

☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more

c What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)?

☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify): _____

- 20 PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.** If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20.

a Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:

☐ Yes.

☐ No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. Other. Provide explanation _____

**INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES
BOARD, INC. DC PLAN**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2021 AND 2020

International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Plan Administrator
International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan
Washington, D.C.

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2021 Financial Statements

We were engaged to perform an audit of the financial statements of International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) ("ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit"). The financial statements comprise the Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits as of December 31, 2021, and the related Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan's 2021 financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan ("investment information") by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA ("qualified institution").

Management has obtained certifications from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended December 31, 2021 stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Disclaimer of Opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements

We do not express an opinion on the accompanying 2021 financial statements of International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan. Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements section of our report, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion on the financial statements.

Independent Auditor's Report (continued)

Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements

As more fully described in Note 11, the International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan has not maintained sufficient accounting records and supporting documents relating to certain annuity contracts and custodial accounts issued to current and former employees prior to January 1, 2009. Accordingly, we were unable to apply auditing procedures sufficient to determine the extent to which the accompanying financial statements may have been affected by these conditions.

Responsibilities of Management for the 2021 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments; administering the plan; and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2021 Financial Statements

Our responsibility is to conduct an audit of International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan's financial statements in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and to issue an auditor's report. However, because of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements section of our report, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion on these financial statements.

We are required to be independent of International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit.

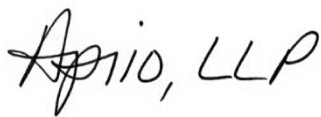
Independent Auditor's Report (continued)

Other Matter - 2021 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2021 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements section of our report, it is inappropriate to and we do not express an opinion on the supplemental schedule referred to above.

Auditor's Report on the 2020 Financial Statements

The 2020 financial statements of International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan were audited by predecessor auditors. As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, the plan administrator instructed the predecessor auditors not to perform, and they did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information certified by a qualified institution. In addition, Plan records were maintained at a contract, not a Plan level; therefore, the Plan administrator has not maintained sufficient accounting records and supporting documentation relating to certain annuity and custodial accounts issued to current and former employees to ensure the completeness and accuracy of the amounts included in the financial statements. Their report dated September 29, 2021, indicated that (a) because of the significance of the information that they did not audit, due to both certified information and insufficient Plan records, they were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion and accordingly, they did not express an opinion on the financial statements and supplemental schedule, and (b) the form and content of the information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule, other than that derived from the information certified by the insurance companies, were presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Aprio, LLP". The signature is written in a cursive, stylized font.

Rockville, Maryland

March 22, 2023

International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

<i>December 31,</i>	2021	2020
Assets		
Investments, at fair value	\$ 36,474,624	\$ 30,931,919
Investments, at contract value	697,177	613,790
Receivables		
Employer contributions	-	136
Notes receivable from participants	137,896	111,785
Total receivables	137,896	111,921
Net assets available for benefits	\$ 37,309,697	\$ 31,657,630

The accompanying Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of these financial statements.

International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

Year Ended December 31, 2021

Additions

Investment income	
Interest	\$ 100,569
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	4,589,009

Total investment income	4,689,578
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Contributions	
Participant	1,285,064
Employer	1,113,898
Rollovers	209,610

Total contributions	2,608,572
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Interest income from notes receivable from participants	5,200
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Total additions	7,303,350
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Deductions

Benefits paid to participants	1,649,995
Administrative expenses	1,288

Total deductions	1,651,283
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Net increase	5,652,067
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Net assets available for benefits

Beginning of plan year	31,657,630
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End of plan year	\$ 37,309,697
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The accompanying Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of these financial statements.

International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan

Notes to Financial Statements

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1. **Description of the Plan** The following description of the International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. DC Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General: The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering substantially all employees of International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc. (the "Company") who are at least 21 years old, except for nonresident aliens and employees who normally work less than 20 hour per week. Participants may enter the Plan immediately upon satisfying the eligibility requirements. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA").

In response to the spread of the coronavirus, COVID-19, and its impact on the economy, Congress passed legislation in March 2020 that eased restrictions on distributions and loans from retirement plans. Management adopted some of these provisions in 2020 in Plan operations. Written amendments to the Plan to reflect these operational changes will be adopted at a later date in accordance with applicable law and Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") guidance.

Contributions: Each year, participants may contribute up to 100 percent of pretax annual compensation, as defined in the Plan. Roth contributions are also permitted. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified plans (rollovers). The Company contributes a safe harbor matching contribution of 100 percent of the first five percent of compensation that a participant contributes to the Plan. The Plan allows for discretionary matching and non-elective contributions that are determined by the Company. During 2021, the Company contributed a discretionary non-elective contribution of two percent of eligible compensation. There was no discretionary matching contribution for the Plan year ended December 31, 2021. Contributions are subject to certain limitations.

Participant accounts: Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, the Company's safe harbor matching contributions, the Company's discretionary matching contributions, if any, the Company's discretionary non-elective contributions, if any, and Plan earnings. Investment earnings and losses are allocated based upon the investment performance of each investment in the participant's account. Allocations of the Company's discretionary non-elective contributions, if any, are based on the ratio of the participant's compensation to total compensation for the Plan year. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

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Notes receivable from participants: Participants may borrow from their fund accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum of the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of their vested account balance. Loan terms range from one to five years or up to thirty years for the purchase of a primary residence. The loans are secured by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest comparable to lending institutions. Principal and interest are paid through payroll deductions.

Vesting: Participants are vested immediately in all contributions, plus actual earnings thereon.

Payment of benefits: Benefits are payable upon retirement at age 65, early retirement at age 55, disability, death, or termination of employment. Hardship withdrawals and in-service withdrawals at age 59 1/2 are also permitted, subject to provisions described in the Plan document. Withdrawals from rollover contributions are permitted at any time. Benefits are payable in lump sum, installment or partial payments.

Administrative expenses: Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid by the Company. Transaction expenses, such as loan and distribution administration fees, are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses.

2. Significant accounting policies

Basis of accounting: The financial statements of the Plan are prepared under the accrual method of accounting.

Investments held by a defined contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value, except for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts. Contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for the portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined contribution plan attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants normally would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan.

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Investment valuation and income recognition: Investments are reported at fair value (except for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts, which are reported at contract value). Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 4 for a discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Net appreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Notes receivable from participants: Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Delinquent loans are reclassified as distributions based upon the terms of the Plan document.

Payment of benefits: Benefits are recorded when paid.

Reclassifications: Certain 2020 balances have been reclassified to conform with the 2021 presentation.

Use of estimates: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, and changes therein and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Subsequent events: The Plan has evaluated subsequent events for disclosure in these financial statements through March 22, 2023, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

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Notes to Financial Statements

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- 3. Certified information** Certain information related to investments and notes receivable from participants disclosed in the accompanying financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedule, including investments and notes receivable from participants held at December 31, 2021 and 2020, and net appreciation in fair value of investments, interest income, and interest income from notes receivable from participants for the year then ended December 31, 2021, was obtained by management and agreed to or derived from information certified as complete and accurate by American United Life Insurance Company and Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association of America ("TIAA") and College Retirement Equities Fund ("CREF"), the insurance companies of the Plan.
- 4. Fair value measurements** The Plan reports its assets at fair value based on a hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

Level 1. Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2. Inputs to the valuation methodology include quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets, inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability, and inputs that are derived from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means. If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3. Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset or liability's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2021 and 2020.

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The unit values of the variable annuities and the TIAA Real Estate pooled separate account are listed on NASDAQ. As a result, these assets have been reported based on Level 1 inputs.

The fair value of the units of pooled separate accounts held by American United Life Insurance Company is based on the net asset value ("NAV") on the last business day of the Plan year provided by the entity holding the accounts. The NAV is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value and is determined by the insurance company based on fair value of the underlying assets in the account, less the liabilities.

The Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association of America ("TIAA") Traditional Non-Benefit Responsive Annuity Account is reported at contract value, which approximates fair value. The contract value equals the accumulated cash contributions and interest credited to the contract less any withdrawals. Contract value is deemed to approximate fair value based on observation of recent participant investments at contract value and by comparison of historical and current yields of highly rated corporate bonds to historical and current crediting interest rates of the contracts, taking into consideration the liquidity restrictions applicable to the contracts. See further discussion in Note 6. In determining the reasonableness of the valuation methodology, the Plan administrator evaluated a variety of factors including existing contracts, economic conditions and TIAA's overall credit rating.

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The fair value of assets is as follows:

Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2021				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Variable annuities	\$ 11,699,302	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 11,699,302
Pooled separate account	650,246	-	-	650,246
Non-benefit responsive insurance annuity account	-	-	2,377,026	2,377,026
Total assets within the fair value hierarchy	\$ 12,349,548	\$ -	\$ 2,377,026	14,726,574
Investments measured at net asset value ^(a)				21,748,050
Total assets at fair value				\$ 36,474,624

Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2020				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Variable annuities	\$ 10,765,860	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,765,860
Pooled separate account	439,541	-	-	439,541
Non-benefit responsive insurance annuity account	-	-	2,468,947	2,468,947
Total assets within the fair value hierarchy	\$ 11,205,401	\$ -	\$ 2,468,947	13,674,348
Investments measured at net asset value ^(a)				17,257,571
Total assets at fair value				\$ 30,931,919

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(a) In accordance with ASC 820, certain investments that were measured at net asset value per share (or its equivalent) as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line items presented in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

The investment objective of the large cap, mid cap, small cap, and international stock accounts is long term growth through large, medium, small, and international company investments, respectively. Target date accounts seek to maximize the return on investment consistent with the asset mix, which is adjusted over time as the target date of retirement approaches. Bond accounts seek a consistent return through bond investments. The real estate account seeks long term growth of capital primarily through publicly traded real estate invest trusts.

Investments in pooled separate accounts held by American United Life Insurance Company can be redeemed immediately at the current net asset value based on the fair value of the underlying assets. There are no withdrawal limits, redemption frequency limits or redemption notice periods. There were no unfunded commitments for these investments as of December 31, 2021 and 2020.

The following table presents changes in assets classified in Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy during the year ended December 31, 2021, attributed to the following:

	Level 3 Assets
	TIAA Non- Benefit Responsive Traditional Insurance Annuity Account
Purchases	\$ 264,913
Issuances	-
Transfers into Level 3	-
Transfers out of Level 3	-

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The following table represents the Plan's level 3 financial instruments, the valuation techniques used to measure the fair value of those instruments, and the significant unobservable inputs and the ranges of values for those inputs.

Instrument	Fair Value 12/31/2021	Fair Value 12/31/2020	Principal Valuation Technique	Significant Unobservable Inputs	Range of Significant Input Values
TIAA Traditional Annuity Account	\$ 2,377,026	\$ 2,468,947	Discounted Cash Flow	Risk- adjusted discount rate applied	3.00% - 3.80%

5. **Guaranteed investment contract**

The Plan participates in a traditional benefit responsive investment contract with American United Life Insurance Company ("AUL") via an investment in a Stable Value Account ("SVA"). AUL commingles the assets of the SVA with other assets in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. AUL is contractually obligated to repay the principal and a specified interest rate that is guaranteed to the Plan. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by AUL, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct withdrawals or transfer all or a portion of their investment at contract value.

There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. Certain events limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include termination of the Plan, payment to participants under a partial Plan termination, a payment that would exceed 20 percent of all Plan assets, or if the Plan sponsor has filed for bankruptcy, is deemed insolvent, dissolves, or ceases business operations. The Plan administrator does not believe that the occurrence of any such event, which would limit the Plan's ability to transact at contract value with participants, is probable.

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| 6. Insurance annuity account | <p>The plan participates in the TIAA Traditional Annuity, an investment contract with TIAA. The contract is segregated into non-benefit and fully benefit responsive categories. TIAA commingles the assets of the contract with other assets in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by TIAA, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Each premium allocated to the investment contract buys a guaranteed minimum amount of lifetime income, based on the rate schedule in effect at the time the premium is credited. Participants may ordinarily direct withdrawals or transfer all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The contract has no maturity date and there is no market value adjustment upon discontinuance. TIAA has determined that fair value approximates the contract value of the investment.</p> <p>There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. A portion of the annuity contract is non-benefit responsive as it requires withdrawals in the form of a lifetime payout annuity or in periodic installments over a 10-year period. When a participant's accumulation in the TIAA Traditional Annuity is converted to a lifetime payout annuity, the present value of the stream of payments is equal to the accumulated balance, and the entire amount is recorded as a purchase of annuity contract in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits. In 2021, no such annuity contracts were purchased.</p> |
| 7. Risks and uncertainties | <p>The Plan provides for investments in various securities that are exposed to risks, such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in future statements of net assets available for benefits.</p> |
| 8. Plan termination | <p>Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA.</p> |

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- 9. Tax status** The Plan is a volume submitter plan of OneAmerica Financial Partners, Inc. which received an opinion letter on November 22, 2017, in which the IRS stated that the form of the plan document was acceptable under the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). Although the Plan has been amended since receiving the opinion letter, the Plan administrator believes that the Plan is designed, and is currently being operated, in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and, therefore, believes that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.
- Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.
- 10. Party-in-interest transactions** Certain Plan investments are managed by affiliates of TIAA, CREF and AUL. These entities are the insurance companies and recordkeepers as defined by the Plan. These transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions.
- 11. Insufficient account records and supporting documents** The Plan assets held with TIAA and CREF are a collection of individual contracts with respect to which participants can engage in a range of investment actions without the consent or involvement of the Company. Each Plan participant maintains his or her own personal contract relationship with the vendor, TIAA and CREF. Following adoption of the new 403(b) regulations in July 2007 (which became effective for the year ended December 31, 2009), the Company undertook action to obtain prior year Plan account records. TIAA and CREF provided historical plan-level reports, but only for the year ended December 31, 2008. Accordingly, the Plan is unable to provide sufficient accounting records and supporting documents related to annuity and custodial accounts issued to current and former employees prior to January 1, 2008.

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Schedule H, Line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

December 31, 2021

(a)	(b) Identity of Issue, Borrower Lessor or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value		(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
<u>American United Life Insurance Company (OneAmerica):</u>					
* AUL Stable Value Account		Stable Value Account	NR	\$	219,635
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2065		Pooled Separate Account	NR		6,751
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2060		Pooled Separate Account	NR		670,283
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2055		Pooled Separate Account	NR		1,751,378
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2050		Pooled Separate Account	NR		4,660,661
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2045		Pooled Separate Account	NR		3,479,596
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2040		Pooled Separate Account	NR		4,248,847
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2035		Pooled Separate Account	NR		2,928,491
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2030		Pooled Separate Account	NR		293,457
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2025		Pooled Separate Account	NR		232,136
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2015		Pooled Separate Account	NR		110,923
* TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index Retirement Income Fund		Pooled Separate Account	NR		2,240
* TIAA-CREF Large-Cap Value Index Fund		Pooled Separate Account	NR		124,231
* TIAA-CREF Large-Cap Growth Index Fund		Pooled Separate Account	NR		689,850
* TIAA-CREF International Equity Index Fund		Pooled Separate Account	NR		206,857
* TIAA-CREF Social Choice Equity		Pooled Separate Account	NR		12,193
* TIAA-CREF Bond Plus		Pooled Separate Account	NR		84,868
* TIAA-CREF Core Impact Bond		Pooled Separate Account	NR		104,497
American Funds New World R6		Pooled Separate Account	NR		129,517
DFA Real Estate Securities		Pooled Separate Account	NR		32,121
Virtus Ceredex Mid-Cap Equity R6		Pooled Separate Account	NR		33,517
Vanguard 500 Index Fund Admiral		Pooled Separate Account	NR		825,056
Vanguard Mid Cap Index Adm		Pooled Separate Account	NR		635,961
Vanguard Small Cap Index Adm		Pooled Separate Account	NR		2,227
Fidelity Advisor International Capital Appreciation Fund		Pooled Separate Account	NR		61,714
BlackRock Mid-Cap Growth Equity		Pooled Separate Account	NR		102,175
Fidelity SmallCap Index Fund		Pooled Separate Account	NR		117,251
Alger Small Cap Focus		Pooled Separate Account	NR		201,252

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December 31, 2021

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
	Identity of Issue, Borrower	Description of Investment		
	Lessor or Similar Party	Including Maturity Date,	Rate of Interest, Collateral,	Current
		Par or Maturity Value	Cost	Value
<u>Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association - College Retirement Equities Fund:</u>				
*	TIAA Traditional Benefit Responsive	Insurance Annuity Account	NR	477,542
*	TIAA Traditional Non Benefit Responsive	Insurance Annuity Account	NR	2,377,026
*	TIAA Real Estate	Pooled Separate Account	NR	650,246
*	CREF Stock R1	Variable Annuity	NR	3,527,188
*	CREF Money Market R1	Variable Annuity	NR	359,637
*	CREF Social Choice R1	Variable Annuity	NR	1,764,502
*	CREF Bond Market R1	Variable Annuity	NR	447,448
*	CREF Global Equities R1	Variable Annuity	NR	1,475,445
*	CREF Growth R1	Variable Annuity	NR	2,199,447
*	CREF Equity Index R1	Variable Annuity	NR	1,639,362
*	CREF Inflation-Linked Bond R1	Variable Annuity	NR	286,273
Subtotal				37,171,801
*	Participant loans	Various, bearing interest at 4.75%	-	137,896
Total				\$37,309,697

* A party-in-interest as defined by ERISA.

NR - Not required for participant directed funds.

Refer to accompanying Independent Auditor's Report.



2021 FORM 5500 FILING

ATTACHMENT IN LIEU OF ACCOUNTANT'S OPINION

PLAN SPONSOR NAME: International Research and Exchanges Board, Inc.

EIN: 22-3087809

PLAN NAME: International Research and Exchanges Board Inc. DC Plan

PLAN#: G76437

THE ACCOUNTANT'S OPINION FOR THE ABOVE REFERENCED BENEFIT PLAN IS IN THE PROCESS OF BEING COMPLETED AND WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR VIA AN AMENDED FILING AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Schedule H, Line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held At End of Year)

Name of Plan: INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD INC. DC PLAN
Employer Identification Number: 22-3087809
For plan year (beginning/ending): 01-01-2021 TO 12-31-2021 Plan number: 001

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	ALGER	ALGER SMALL CAP FOCUS Z MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	201,252
	AMERICAN FUNDS	AMERFDS NEW WORLD R6 MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	129,517
*	AMERICAN UNITED LIFE INS CO	AUL STABLE VALUE ACCOUNT	0	219,635
	BLACKROCK	BLACKROCK MID-CAP GRO EQUITY K MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	102,175
	DFA	DFA REAL ESTATE SECURITIES I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	32,121
	FIDELITY	FIDELITY ADVISOR INT CAP APP Z MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	61,714
	FIDELITY	FIDELITY SM CAP INDEX MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	117,251
	PARTICIPANTS	LOANS 4.75% TO 4.75%	0	137,896
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF BOND PLUS INSTL MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	84,867
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF CORE IMPACT BD I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	104,496
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF INTL EQTY INDX INSTL MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	206,857
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LGCAP VAL INDX INSTL MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	124,231
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LGCAPGRTH INDX INSTL MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	689,851
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LIFECYCLE IDX 2015 I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	110,923
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LIFECYCLE IDX 2025 I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	232,136
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LIFECYCLE IDX 2030 I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	293,457
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LIFECYCLE IDX 2035 I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	2,928,491
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LIFECYCLE IDX 2040 I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	4,248,847
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	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LIFECYCLE IDX 2060 I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	670,283
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LIFECYCLE IDX INC I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	2,240
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF LIFECYCLE IDX 2065 I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	6,751
	TIAA-CREF	TIAA-CREF SOCIAL CHOICE EQ I MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	12,193
	VANGUARD	VANGUARD 500 INDEX ADM MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	825,056
	VANGUARD	VANGUARD MID CAP INDEX ADM MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	635,961
	VANGUARD	VANGUARD SMCAP VALUE IDX ADM MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	2,227
	VIRTUS	VIRTUS CEREDX MCV EQTY R6 MUTUAL FUND SHARES	0	33,517
*	TIREMENT EQUITIES FUND VARIABLE ANNUITIES	TIAA TRADITIONAL BENEFIT RESPONSIVE	367,093	477,542