

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.

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1210-0089

2024

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

- A This return/report is for: [] a multiemployer plan [] a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) [x] 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: [x] 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: WHEATON COLLEGE RETIREMENT PLAN
1b Three-digit plan number (PN): 001
1c Effective date of plan: 01/01/1940
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan): WHEATON COLLEGE
2b Employer Identification Number (EIN): 04-2103638
2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number: 508-286-8206
2d Business code (see instructions): 611000

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.

Table with 4 columns: SIGN HERE, Signature of plan administrator, Date, Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator. Includes rows for employer/plan sponsor and DFE.

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3a Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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	1604
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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 a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits..... c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....		
	6a(1)	542
	6a(2)	593
	6b	0
	6c	1074
	6d	1667
	6e	0
	6f	1667
	6g(1)	1555
	6g(2)	1620
	6h	0

7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	7	
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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 2M

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) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance (2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust (4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance (2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust (4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor
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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

(4) **DCG** (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____

(5) **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

(1) **H** (Financial Information)

(2) **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)

(3) **A** (Insurance Information) – Number Attached 1

(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 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 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 _____

<p>SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)</p> <p>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</p> <hr/> <p>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</p> <hr/> <p>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</p>	<p>Insurance Information</p> <p>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</p> <p>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</p> <p>▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).</p>	<p>OMB No. 1210-0110</p> <hr/> <p>2024</p> <hr/> <p>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</p>
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning **01/01/2024** and ending **12/31/2024**

<p>A Name of plan WHEATON COLLEGE RETIREMENT PLAN</p>	<p>B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶</p>	<p>001</p>
<p>C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 WHEATON COLLEGE</p>	<p>D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2103638</p>	

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.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
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(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	406032	1620	01/01/2024	12/31/2024

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
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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	

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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	51822778
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	75363490
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) <input type="checkbox"/> individual policies (2) <input type="checkbox"/> group deferred annuity (3) <input type="checkbox"/> other (specify) ▶	
f	If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)	
a	Type of contract: (1) <input type="checkbox"/> deposit administration (2) <input type="checkbox"/> immediate participation guarantee (3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> guaranteed investment (4) <input type="checkbox"/> other ▶	
b	Balance at the end of the previous year	7b 51274781
c	(1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1) 751594
	(2) Dividends and credits.....	7c(2) 0
	(3) Interest credited during the year.....	7c(3) 2294711
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4) 3014823
	(5) Other (specify below)..... ▶ PLAN SERVICING CREDIT	7c(5) 86890
	(6) Total additions	7c(6) 6148018
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines 7b and 7c(6))	7d 57422799
e	Deductions:	
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1) 3245685
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier.....	7e(2) 0
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3) 2290105
	(4) Other (specify below)..... ▶ FEES	7e(4) 64231
(5) Total deductions	7e(5) 5600021	
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line 7e(5) from line 7d).....	7f 51822778

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 <input type="checkbox"/> paid in cash, or <input type="checkbox"/> 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.	10b		

Specify nature of costs.

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) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 WHEATON COLLEGE	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2103638	

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

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

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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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730 THIRD AVE
NEW YORK, NY 10017-3206

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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?
99	INVESTMENT PROVIDER	98057	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	0	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

(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?
99	NONE	26865	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

GLOBAL RETIREMENT PARTNERS

47-1411118

(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?
27	INVESTMENT ADVISOR	23500	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

THE ANGELL PENSION GROUP, INC

88 BOYD AVENUE
E PROVIDENCE, RI 02914-1202

04-2530412

(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?
49	THIRD PARTY ADMIN	13668	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

(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 <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

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			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

Explanation:

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>	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 <hr/> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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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>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>4214918</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)
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)
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)

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024	
A Name of plan WHEATON COLLEGE RETIREMENT PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 WHEATON COLLEGE	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2103638

Part I	Asset and Liability Statement
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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.

	(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
Assets		
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):		
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	
(3) Other	1b(3)	
c General investments:		
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)	
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):		
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)	
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)	
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):		
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)	
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)	
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)	
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)	
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)	
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	322561
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	4214918
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)	
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)	
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	157138413
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)	51822778
(15) Other.....	1c(15)	

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property.....	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation.....	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e).....	1f	199452904	213498670
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable.....	1g		
h Operating payables.....	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness.....	1i		
j Other liabilities.....	1j		
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	199452904	213498670

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)	1524509	
(B) Participants.....	2a(1)(B)	2670443	
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)	2497806	
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		6692758
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities.....	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments.....	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants).....	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)	24008	
(F) Other.....	2b(1)(F)	2294711	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		2318719
(2) Dividends:			
(A) Preferred stock.....	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock.....	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)	3872588	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		3872588
(3) Rents.....	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets:			
(A) Aggregate proceeds.....	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result.....	2b(4)(C)		
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets:			
(A) Real estate.....	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other.....	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		-187808
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		15960868
c Other income	2c		107173
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		28764298

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	13864124	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)	690899	
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		14555023
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		2694
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	160815	
(3) Recordkeeping fees	2i(3)		
(4) IQPA audit fees	2i(4)		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)		
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)		
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		160815
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		14718532

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		14045766
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

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: RSM US LLP

(2) EIN: 42-0714325

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** as part of Schedule H because:

(1) This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, DCG 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. DCGs do not complete lines 4e, 4f, 4k, 4l, and 5, and DCGs generally complete the rest of Part IV collectively for all plans in the DCG, except as otherwise provided (see instructions).

During the plan year:

	Yes	No	Amount
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.)		X	
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.)		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.)		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.)		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	
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?		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?		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		
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.)		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?		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		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.			

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) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning **01/01/2024** and ending **12/31/2024**

A Name of plan WHEATON COLLEGE RETIREMENT PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 WHEATON COLLEGE	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2103638	

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	0
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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): 13-1624203

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	
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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

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

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that (1) contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year or (2) was one of the top-ten highest contributors (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 _____

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): _____

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: <input type="checkbox"/> last contributing employer <input type="checkbox"/> alternative <input type="checkbox"/> reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....	14a	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> 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. <input type="checkbox"/> 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) and (b):

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
 Public Equity: _____% Private Equity: _____% Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: _____%
 High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Assets: _____% Cash or Cash Equivalents: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets:
 0-5 years 5-10 years 10-15 years 15 years or more

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: _____

Part VII IRS Compliance Questions

21a Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of Code sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules? Yes No

21b If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).
 Design-based safe harbor method
 "Prior year" ADP test
 "Current year" ADP test
 N/A

22 If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved plan that received a favorable IRS Opinion Letter, enter the date of the Opinion Letter 03 / 31 / 2017 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number J500419A.

Wheaton College Retirement Plan

Financial Report
December 31, 2024

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Independent Auditor's Report

Audit Committee, Plan Administrator and Plan Participants
Wheaton College Retirement Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit

We were engaged to perform audits of the financial statements of Wheaton College Retirement Plan (the 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 statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of the Plan's 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 (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audits 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 DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained certifications from qualified institutions as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and for the year ended December 31, 2024, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Disclaimer of Opinion

We do not express an opinion on the accompanying financial statements of the Plan. Because of the significance of the matters described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion 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.

Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion

The 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.

Further, as described in Note 5 to the financial statements, the Plan has excluded from investments in the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits certain annuity contracts and custodial accounts issued to current and former employees prior to January 1, 2009, as permitted by the DOL's Field Assistance Bulletin No. 2009-02, *Annual Reporting Requirements for 403(b) Plans*. The investment income and distributions related to such accounts have also been excluded in the accompanying statement of changes in net assets available for benefits. The amount of these excluded annuity contracts and custodial accounts and the related income and distributions are not reasonably determinable. Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP) require that these accounts and the related income and distributions be included in the accompanying financial statements.

Emphasis of Matter—Investments

As discussed in Note 4, the financial statements include an investment representing 19% and 21% of total assets as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, respectively, whose fair value has been estimated using unobservable inputs in the absence of readily ascertainable fair values. Our disclaimer of opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with U.S. GAAP, 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are issued or 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 Financial Statements

Our responsibility is to conduct an audit of the 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 matters described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion 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 the Plan, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits.

Other Matter—Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2024, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the DOL'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 matters described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion section of our report, it is inappropriate to and we do not express an opinion on the supplemental schedule referred to above.

RSM US LLP

Boston, Massachusetts
October 14, 2025

Wheaton College Retirement Plan

**Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits
December 31, 2024 and 2023**

	2024	2023
Assets		
Investments, at fair value	\$ 202,595,663	\$ 188,868,181
Investments, at contract value	10,580,446	10,229,464
Total investments	213,176,109	199,097,645
Notes receivable from participants	325,389	355,259
Net assets available for benefits	\$ 213,501,498	\$ 199,452,904

See notes to financial statements.

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Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits Year Ended December 31, 2024

Additions to net assets attributed to:

Investment income:

Net appreciation in fair value of investments

\$ 17,484,531

Interest and dividends

4,455,828

Total investment income

21,940,359

Other income

107,875

Interest income on notes receivable from participants

24,142

Contributions:

Participant

2,670,443

Employer

1,524,509

Rollover

2,497,104

Total contributions

6,692,056

Total additions

28,764,432

Deductions from net assets attributed to:

Benefits paid to participants

14,555,023

Administrative expenses

160,815

Total deductions

14,715,838

Net increase

14,048,594

Net assets available for benefits:

Beginning of year

199,452,904

Ending of year

\$ 213,501,498

See notes to financial statements.

Wheaton College Retirement Plan

Notes to Financial Statements

Note 1. Description of Plan

The following description of Wheaton College Retirement Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General and eligibility: The Plan operates under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code) Section 403(b) and is funded with annuity contracts and custodial accounts that comply with that section. The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering all employees of Wheaton College (the Employer) except employees who are non-resident aliens and students performing certain services (Participants). Participants in the Plan can choose to have elective contributions made immediately upon hire. Participants become eligible for Employer contributions upon completion of one year of service (defined as 770 hours). The Plan was established in 1940 and was most recently restated effective January 1, 2020, under a volume submitter plan document. In connection with the restatement, the Plan was amended to include an automatic enrollment provision. The Employer is the Plan's Sponsor and Administrator. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) of 1974. All investments are participant-directed.

Contributions: Participants of the Plan may elect to make elective contributions up to 100% of their pretax eligible compensation, as defined by the Plan, however, the amount may not exceed limits established by the Code. Participants hired after January 1, 2020, will be automatically enrolled at 3% of their compensation as soon as administratively feasible following receipt of the automatic enrollment notice, but not later than 90 days, unless an alternative election is made. Participants who will attain 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 defined benefit or contribution plans (Rollover).

The Employer made non-elective contributions in an amount equal to 7% of eligible compensation for participants who have reached age 30 and 9% for participants who have not reached age 30.

Participant accounts: Each participant's account is credited with participant's contributions, their individual investment earnings, the Employer's non-elective contributions and charged with an allocation of administrative expenses and plan servicing credits, if any. Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, as defined by the Plan. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Vesting: Participants are immediately vested in all elective contributions, rollovers and the Employer's non-elective contributions plus actual earnings thereon.

Participant investment options: Participants direct their investments into various investment options offered by the Plan, as more fully described in the Plan's literature. Participants may change their allocation on a daily basis.

Payment of benefits: The Plan permits withdrawals of 100% of the participant's vested account balance when a participant terminates employment, retires, or becomes disabled or deceased. In-service withdrawals are also permitted for certain financial hardships or when a participant attains age 59½ from elective contributions until age 72 (or 70½ if they attained age 70½ before January 1, 2020), when the Employer non-elective contributions can be withdrawn. Participants may elect to receive their benefit payments in a qualified joint and survivor annuity, a single life annuity, a fixed period annuity or as a lump sum as allowed under the applicable funding vehicle. Participants may withdraw from their rollover accounts at any time.

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Note 1. Description of Plan (Continued)

Notes receivable from participants: Subsequent to July 3, 2019, all new loans will be participant loans and will be funded directly from participant account balances. Participants may borrow a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum amount equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of their vested account balance. Loan terms are up to five years (or longer for the purchase of a primary residence) and a participant cannot have more than three outstanding loans at any one time. The loans are secured by the vested balance in the participant's account and bear a reasonable rate of interest established by the Plan Administrator. These participant loans are included in notes receivable from participants in the statements of net assets available for benefits. Loans outstanding as of December 31, 2024, bear interest at rates ranging from 4.25% to 9.50% and mature through July 2032.

Plan loans: Through July 3, 2019, participants were allowed to take plan loans directly from the Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association (TIAA) and College Retirement Equities Fund (CREF) secured by the participant's balance in the TIAA Traditional Annuity. Plan loans follow the same requirements as notes receivable from participants, however, participants must transfer an amount equal to 110% of their outstanding loan balances from their fund accounts to the TIAA Traditional Annuity to be held as collateral for the loans. This collateral remains invested in the Plan. In the event of default, such loans are reportable to the participants as taxable income but remain outstanding and continue to accrue interest until repaid by the participant or the participant becomes eligible to receive a distribution under the terms of the Plan. Principal and interest is paid through monthly or quarterly payments made directly to TIAA by participants. The Plan Administrator has concluded that these loans are not plan assets and that such arrangements are exempt transactions.

The balances of outstanding plan loans as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, are \$82,988 and \$86,069, respectively. Under the borrowing terms, \$91,287 and \$94,676 of the plan assets serve as collateral to these loans. The loans bear interest at rates ranging from 4.00% to 6.57%, which are commensurate with local prevailing rates at date of loan inception as determined periodically by TIAA and CREF, and matured through December 2021. Interest paid by participants on such loans during the year ended December 31, 2024, was approximately \$3,000. As of December 31, 2024 and 2023, loans in default amount to \$82,988 and \$78,773, respectively, including principal and accrued interest.

Plan administration: Certain administrative functions are performed by officers or employees of the Employer. No such officer or employee received compensation from the Plan. The Employer is the Plan Administrator and has the authority to appoint person(s) or entities to carry out the operation of the Plan.

Note 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of accounting: The financial statements of the Plan are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Investment contracts: Investment contracts 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 measure 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 would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan.

Use of estimates: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP) requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets available for benefits and changes therein and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

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Note 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

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 discussion of fair value measurements.

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

Payment of benefits: Benefit payments are recorded when paid.

Expenses: Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid directly by the Employer and are excluded from these financial statements. Investment related expenses are included in net depreciation of fair value of investments. Certain investments charge an annual plan servicing fee that is deducted from the participant's accounts on a quarterly basis. Fees related to the administration of notes receivable from participants are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses.

Revenue credits: Revenue credits are credits received from TIAA, which represent excess revenue generated that is returned to the Plan by TIAA. These funds may be used to pay reasonable and necessary expenses for the Plan and can also be used to provide plan servicing credits to participants. During the year ended December 31, 2024, the Plan received \$60,733 in revenue credits which are included in other income on the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits, recognized investment income of \$467 and used \$64,033 to pay plan expenses. As of December 31, 2024 and 2023, revenue credits included in investments on the statement of net assets available for benefits totaled \$107 and \$2,940, respectively. The remaining balance as of December 31, 2024, will be used to pay expenses or be allocated to participants in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

Income taxes: U.S. GAAP requires plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan, and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken any uncertain tax positions that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by a tax authority. Management evaluated the Plan's tax positions and concluded that the Plan had maintained its tax-exempt status and had taken no uncertain tax positions that require adjustment to the financial statements. Therefore, no provision or liability for income taxes has been included in the financial statements. With few exceptions, the Plan is no longer subject to income tax examinations by the federal, state or local tax authorities for fiscal years before 2021.

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Note 3. Information Certified and Provided by TIAA and CREF

The following is a summary of the Plan's asset information as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and for the year ended December 31, 2024, included throughout the Plan's financial statements and supplemental schedule, that was prepared by or derived from information provided by TIAA and CREF, as issuer of the variable rate annuities, the insurance investment contracts and the pooled separate account and as agent for TIAA Trust, N.A., the custodian of the mutual funds, and furnished to the Plan Administrator. The Plan Administrator has obtained certifications from TIAA and CREF that the information provided to the Plan Administrator by TIAA and CREF related to the following assets is complete and accurate. Accordingly, as permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, the Plan Administrator instructed the Plan's independent auditors not to perform any auditing procedures with respect to information that appears throughout the financial statements and supplemental schedule related to the following assets:

	2024	2023
Investments certified by TIAA and CREF as issuer:		
Investments at fair value:		
Variable rate annuities	\$ 71,148,572	\$ 66,121,561
Pooled separate account	4,214,918	4,721,311
Non-benefit responsive insurance investment contracts*	41,242,332	41,045,316
Investments at contract value:		
Fully benefit-responsive insurance investment contracts	10,580,446	10,229,464
Investments certified by TIAA and CREF as agent for the custodian:		
Investments at fair value:		
Registered investment companies	85,989,841	76,979,993
Total investments	<u>\$ 213,176,109</u>	<u>\$ 199,097,645</u>
Notes receivable from participants	<u>\$ 325,389</u>	<u>\$ 355,259</u>

* Investments certified at contract value, which approximates fair value.

TIAA and CREF also certified to the completeness and accuracy of \$17,484,531 of net appreciation in the fair value of investments, \$4,455,828 of interest and dividends related to the aforementioned assets, \$24,142 of interest income on notes receivable from participants and \$107,875 of other income the plan received for the year ended December 31, 2024.

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Note 4. Fair Value Measurements

U.S. GAAP establishes a framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value 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) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). 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
- Inputs that are derived principally 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's or liability's fair value measurement 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 relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used as of December 31, 2024 and 2023.

Registered investment companies: The fair value of the registered investment companies offered by TIAA-CREF are determined based on the daily unit value published on NASDAQ. These funds are not traded on this exchange. The value of the unit holder's investment rises and falls with the returns on the underlying assets in the fund. The other registered investment companies are valued based on quoted market prices of the funds, when available.

Variable rate annuities: TIAA offers eight CREF variable annuities. Unlike fixed annuity contracts, the variable accounts do not provide guaranteed returns. Participation returns depend entirely on the investment performance of each account. The annuities reflect a structure similar to mutual funds and have a readily determinable fair value as published on NASDAQ each day that current transactions are recorded. These funds are not traded on this exchange.

Pooled separate account: TIAA offers the Real Estate Account (REA) which is a separate account of TIAA. This account is a variable account similar to CREF variable accounts; as such returns are not guaranteed and its accumulations and returns fluctuate based on the performance of the underlying investments. The REA reflects a structure similar to mutual funds and have a readily determinable fair value as published on NASDAQ each day that current transactions are recorded. These funds are not traded on this exchange.

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Note 4. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

Non-benefit responsive insurance investment contracts: Non-benefit responsive insurance investment contracts are reported at contract value, which approximates fair value (see Note 6). This determination is based on TIAA and CREF's credit rating and yield during 2024 and 2023 being comparable to similar alternative investments and the interest rate, which re-sets quarterly being comparable to a 10-year treasury bond.

The preceding methods may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

To assess the appropriate classification of investments within the fair value hierarchy, the availability of market data is monitored. Changes in economic conditions or valuation techniques may require the transfer of investments from one fair value level to another. Plan management evaluates the significance of transfers between levels based upon the nature of the investment and size of transfer relative to total net assets available for benefits. For the year ended December 31, 2024, there were no transfers in or out of Level 3.

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

	December 31, 2024			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Investments:				
Variable rate annuities	\$ 71,148,572	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 71,148,572
Non-benefit responsive insurance investment contracts	-	-	41,242,332	41,242,332
Registered investment companies	85,989,841	-	-	85,989,841
Pooled separate account	-	4,214,918	-	4,214,918
Total investments	\$ 157,138,413	\$ 4,214,918	\$ 41,242,332	\$ 202,595,663
	December 31, 2023			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Investments:				
Variable rate annuities	\$ 66,121,561	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 66,121,561
Non-benefit responsive insurance investment contracts	-	-	41,045,316	41,045,316
Registered investment companies	76,979,993	-	-	76,979,993
Pooled separate account	-	4,721,311	-	4,721,311
Total investments	\$ 143,101,554	\$ 4,721,311	\$ 41,045,316	\$ 188,868,181

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Note 4. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

The following tables represent the Plan's Level 3 investments, the valuation techniques used to measure fair value of those investments and the significant unobservable inputs and the ranges of values for those inputs as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

2024				
Instrument	Fair Value	Principal Valuation Technique	Significant Unobservable Inputs	Range of Significant Input Values
Insurance investment contracts:				
TIAA Traditional Annuity: Non-benefit responsive	<u>\$ 41,242,332</u>	Discounted cash flow Theoretical transfer (exit value)	Risk-adjusted discount rate applied	3.65%-6.50%

2023				
Instrument	Fair Value	Principal Valuation Technique	Significant Unobservable Inputs	Range of Significant Input Values
Insurance investment contracts:				
TIAA Traditional Annuity: Non-benefit responsive	<u>\$ 41,045,316</u>	Discounted cash flow Theoretical transfer (exit value)	Risk-adjusted discount rate applied	4.00%-6.75%

Note 5. Excluded Contracts

The Plan Administrator has elected to exclude from investments certain annuity and custodial accounts that may have been issued to current and former employees without the Plan Administrator's knowledge prior to January 1, 2009, as permitted by the DOL's Field Assistance Bulletin No. 2009-02, *Annual Reporting Requirements for 403(b) Plans*. The investment income and distributions related to such accounts have also been excluded from the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits. U.S. GAAP require that these accounts and the related income and distributions be included in the accompanying financial statements. The Plan Administrator is not able to determine the amount of these excluded annuity and custodial accounts and the related income and distributions because records relating to these are not available or do not exist.

Note 6. Insurance Investment Contracts with TIAA and CREF

The Plan has insurance investment contracts with TIAA and CREF. Under these contracts are sub-contracts, some of which are fully benefit-responsive, while others are not. Contracts are determined to be non-benefit responsive due to the restrictions on withdrawals from the contract. TIAA and CREF maintains the contributions held under the TIAA Traditional Annuity contract in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Each premium allocated to the insurance investment contract buys a guaranteed minimum amount of lifetime income based on the rate schedule in effect at the time the premium is credited.

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Note 6. Insurance Investment Contracts with TIAA and CREF (Continued)

For insurance investment contracts that are fully benefit-responsive, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits attributable to the guaranteed investment contract. These contracts are included in the financial statements at contract value, as reported to the Plan by TIAA and CREF. Contract value represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of 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. The crediting interest rate is based on a formula agreed upon with the issuer, but it may not be less than 3%. Such interest rates are reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting.

Certain events limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include the following: (1) amendments to the plan documents (including complete or partial plan termination or merger with another plan), (2) changes to the Plan's prohibition on competing investment options or deletion of equity wash provisions, (3) bankruptcy of the Employer or other Employer events (for example, divestitures or spin-offs of a subsidiary) that cause a significant withdrawal from the Plan, or (4) the failure of the trust to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes or any required prohibited transaction exemption under ERISA. The Plan Administrator does not believe that any events which would limit the Plan's ability to transact at contract value with participants are probable of occurring.

The contract does not permit the insurance company to terminate the agreement prior to the scheduled maturity date.

For insurance investment contracts that are nonbenefit-responsive, fair value is the relevant measurement attribute for the portion of the net assets available for benefits attributable to the guaranteed investment contract. Investment contracts that are nonbenefit-responsive are included in the financial statements at contract value, which approximates fair value as reported by TIAA and CREF. Average yields for nonbenefit-responsive investment contracts for the year ended December 31, 2024 are as follows:

Average yields	2024
Nonbenefit-responsive:	
TIAA Traditional Annuity:	
Based on actual earnings	4.57%
Based on interest rate credited to participants	5.63%

Note 7. Tax Status

The Plan has adopted a volume submitter plan sponsored by The Angell Pension Group Inc. The volume submitter plan has received an advisory letter dated March 31, 2017, from the Internal Revenue Service, as to the volume submitter plan's qualified status. The volume submitter plan advisory letter has been relied upon by the Plan. The Plan Administrator believes the Plan is designed and is being operated in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Code.

Note 8. Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Employer has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of the Plan's termination, benefits will be provided as if all participants were then eligible for retirement.

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Note 9. Party-in-Interest Transactions

Plan investments consist of certain mutual funds, registered investment companies, a pooled separate account and insurance annuity contracts managed by TIAA and CREF. Transactions in such investments qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions. Notes receivable from participants also qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions.

Note 10. Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various 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 the statements of net assets available for benefits.

Approximately 24% and 26% of the Plan's investments are held in the TIAA Traditional Annuity as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, respectively. As such, these are considered to be a concentration of credit risk.

U.S. GAAP requires the financial statements to present the fair value of investments. The investments in nonbenefit-responsive investment contracts outlined in Note 6 have been presented at contract value, which approximates fair value, as reported to the Plan by TIAA and CREF. This determination is based on TIAA and CREF's credit rating and yield during 2024 and 2023 being comparable to similar alternative investments and the interest rate which re-sets quarterly being comparable to a 10-year treasury bond. In subsequent periods, if market conditions change, such as the insurance company credit rating or interest rate environment, the difference between contract value and fair value could become significant.

Note 11. Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to the Form 5500 as of December 31, 2024:

Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 213,501,498
Deemed distributions of notes receivable from participants	(2,828)
Net assets available for benefits per the Form 5500	<u>\$ 213,498,670</u>

The following is a reconciliation of net increase in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to the Form 5500 for the year ended December 31, 2024:

Net increase in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 14,048,594
Change in deemed distributions of notes receivable from participants	(2,828)
Net increase in net assets available for benefits per the Form 5500	<u>\$ 14,045,766</u>

Note 12. Subsequent Events

The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through October 14, 2025, the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued.

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Schedule H, Line 4i—Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) December 31, 2024

Employer Identification Number: 04-2103638

Plan Number: 001

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
	Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value	Cost	Current Value
*	CREF Stock R2	Variable Rate Annuity	(Omitted for	\$ 28,497,268
*	CREF Global Equities R2	Variable Rate Annuity	Participant	10,858,384
*	CREF Growth R2	Variable Rate Annuity	Directed	10,414,124
*	CREF Social Choice R2	Variable Rate Annuity	Funds)	7,118,722
*	CREF Equity Index R2	Variable Rate Annuity		5,881,624
*	CREF Core Bond R2	Variable Rate Annuity		3,321,623
*	CREF Money Market R2	Variable Rate Annuity		2,011,756
*	CREF Inflation-Linked Bond R2	Variable Rate Annuity		1,610,834
*	CREF Stock R4	Variable Rate Annuity		1,434,237
*	TIAA Real Estate	Pooled Separate Account		4,214,918
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2035 R6	Registered Investment Company		8,001,935
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2030 R6	Registered Investment Company		7,112,476
*	iShares S&P 500 Index Fund K	Registered Investment Company		6,410,190
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2025 R6	Registered Investment Company		6,024,243
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2040 R6	Registered Investment Company		5,936,715
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2045 R6	Registered Investment Company		5,293,191
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2020 R6	Registered Investment Company		4,736,385
*	iShares MSCI EAFE Intl Idx K	Registered Investment Company		4,529,057
*	Vanguard Equity Income Adm	Registered Investment Company		4,391,632
*	John Hancock Discip V Md Cp R6	Registered Investment Company		3,371,611
*	Vanguard Ttl Bd Mkt Idx Adm	Registered Investment Company		3,282,011
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2050 R6	Registered Investment Company		3,119,508
*	Nuveen Large Cap Resp Eq R6	Registered Investment Company		3,119,443
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2010 R6	Registered Investment Company		2,855,365
*	iShares Rus 2000 Sml Cap Idx K	Registered Investment Company		2,497,832
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2015 R6	Registered Investment Company		2,249,567
*	DFA Internat Sustain Core 1	Registered Investment Company		2,202,554
*	Vanguard Mid-Cap Idx Adm	Registered Investment Company		1,734,980
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2055 R6	Registered Investment Company		1,299,986
*	PGIM High Yield R6	Registered Investment Company		1,195,545
*	William Blair Emrg Mrk Grw R6	Registered Investment Company		1,190,775
*	AB Large Cap Growth Fund I	Registered Investment Company		1,134,998
*	BlackRock Infl Protected Bd K	Registered Investment Company		1,091,600
*	AB Gbl Real Est Inv II CI I	Registered Investment Company		1,006,059
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2060 R6	Registered Investment Company		517,915
*	Columbia Small Cap Gr I Inst 3	Registered Investment Company		448,533
*	Vanguard Federal Money Mkt Inv	Registered Investment Company		336,695
*	BlackRock M-C Grw Eq Por Inst	Registered Investment Company		326,710
*	PIMCO GNMA & Gov Secur Instl	Registered Investment Company		320,373
*	Putnam Global Income Trust R6	Registered Investment Company		194,953
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2065 R6	Registered Investment Company		56,691
*	Nuveen LfCyc Ix Ret Inc R6	Registered Investment Company		313
*	TIAA Traditional Non Benefit Responsive	Insurance Company General Contract-NBR		37,191,670
*	TIAA Traditional Non Benefit Responsive 2	Insurance Company General Contract-NBR		3,967,674
*	Plan Loan Default Fund	Insurance Company General Contract-NBR		82,988
*	TIAA Traditional Benefit-Responsive	Insurance Company General Contract		5,928,185
*	TIAA Traditional Benefit-Responsive 2	Insurance Company General Contract		4,652,261
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				<u>\$ 213,498,670</u>

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Form 5500 <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB Nos 1210-0110 1210-0089</small> <div style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold; text-align: center;">2024</div> This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I Annual Report Identification Information
 For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

A This return/report is for: a multiemployer plan a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide 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 Wheaton College Retirement Plan	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
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) Wheaton College 26 E. Main Street Norton MA 02766	1c Effective date of plan 01/01/1940	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2103638
	2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number 508-286-8206	2d Business code (see instructions) 611000

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		8/22/25	Kelly Campbell
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE		8/22/25	Kelly Campbell
	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

3a Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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 1,604
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) 542
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	6a(2) 593
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	6b 0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	6c 1,074
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2), 6b, and 6c.	6d 1,667
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	6e 0
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e.	6f 1,667
g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	6g(1) 1,555
g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	6g(2) 1,620
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 2M

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) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance (2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust (4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance (2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust (4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor
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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
- (4) **DCG** (Individual Plan Information) - Number Attached _____
- (5) **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

- (1) **H** (Financial Information)
- (2) **I** (Financial Information - Small Plan)
- (3) **A** (Insurance Information) - Number Attached 1
- (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 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 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 _____

Wheaton College Retirement Plan

Schedule H, Line 4i—Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) December 31, 2024

Employer Identification Number: 04-2103638

Plan Number: 001

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
	Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value	Cost	Current Value
*	CREF Stock R2	Variable Rate Annuity	(Omitted for	\$ 28,497,268
*	CREF Global Equities R2	Variable Rate Annuity	Participant	10,858,384
*	CREF Growth R2	Variable Rate Annuity	Directed	10,414,124
*	CREF Social Choice R2	Variable Rate Annuity	Funds)	7,118,722
*	CREF Equity Index R2	Variable Rate Annuity		5,881,624
*	CREF Core Bond R2	Variable Rate Annuity		3,321,623
*	CREF Money Market R2	Variable Rate Annuity		2,011,756
*	CREF Inflation-Linked Bond R2	Variable Rate Annuity		1,610,834
*	CREF Stock R4	Variable Rate Annuity		1,434,237
*	TIAA Real Estate	Pooled Separate Account		4,214,918
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2035 R6	Registered Investment Company		8,001,935
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2030 R6	Registered Investment Company		7,112,476
*	iShares S&P 500 Index Fund K	Registered Investment Company		6,410,190
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2025 R6	Registered Investment Company		6,024,243
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2040 R6	Registered Investment Company		5,936,715
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2045 R6	Registered Investment Company		5,293,191
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2020 R6	Registered Investment Company		4,736,385
*	iShares MSCI EAFE Intl Idx K	Registered Investment Company		4,529,057
*	Vanguard Equity Income Adm	Registered Investment Company		4,391,632
*	John Hancock Discip V Md Cp R6	Registered Investment Company		3,371,611
*	Vanguard Ttl Bd Mkt Idx Adm	Registered Investment Company		3,282,011
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2050 R6	Registered Investment Company		3,119,508
*	Nuveen Large Cap Resp Eq R6	Registered Investment Company		3,119,443
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2010 R6	Registered Investment Company		2,855,365
*	iShares Rus 2000 Sml Cap Idx K	Registered Investment Company		2,497,832
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2015 R6	Registered Investment Company		2,249,567
*	DFA Internat Sustain Core 1	Registered Investment Company		2,202,554
*	Vanguard Mid-Cap Idx Adm	Registered Investment Company		1,734,980
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2055 R6	Registered Investment Company		1,299,986
*	PGIM High Yield R6	Registered Investment Company		1,195,545
*	William Blair Emrg Mrk Grw R6	Registered Investment Company		1,190,775
*	AB Large Cap Growth Fund I	Registered Investment Company		1,134,998
*	BlackRock Infl Protected Bd K	Registered Investment Company		1,091,600
*	AB Gbl Real Est Inv II Cl I	Registered Investment Company		1,006,059
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2060 R6	Registered Investment Company		517,915
*	Columbia Small Cap Gr I Inst 3	Registered Investment Company		448,533
*	Vanguard Federal Money Mkt Inv	Registered Investment Company		336,695
*	BlackRock M-C Grw Eq Por Inst	Registered Investment Company		326,710
*	PIMCO GNMA & Gov Secur Instl	Registered Investment Company		320,373
*	Putnam Global Income Trust R6	Registered Investment Company		194,953
*	Nuveen LfCycle Ix 2065 R6	Registered Investment Company		56,691
*	Nuveen LfCyc Ix Ret Inc R6	Registered Investment Company		313
*	TIAA Traditional Non Benefit Responsive	Insurance Company General Contract-NBR		37,191,670
*	TIAA Traditional Non Benefit Responsive 2	Insurance Company General Contract-NBR		3,967,674
*	Plan Loan Default Fund	Insurance Company General Contract-NBR		82,988
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