

Form 5500 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2025 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2025 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2025 and ending 12/31/2025	
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 FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN
1b	Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
1c	Effective date of plan 02/01/1957
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) FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY 1073 NORTH BENSON ROAD FAIRFIELD, CT 06824-5171
2b	Employer Identification Number (EIN) 06-0646623
2c	Plan Sponsor's telephone number 203-254-4000
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	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	08/11/2026	MICHAEL F TRAFECANTE
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address ☒ Same as Plan Sponsor	3b Administrator's EIN 3c Administrator's telephone number
4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name	4b EIN 4d PN
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 2128
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) 1137 6a(2) 1200 6b 0 6c 993 6d 2193 6e 19 6f 2212 6g(1) 2111 6g(2) 2197 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 Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

2F 2G 2L 2M 2T

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☒ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☒ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor
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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 2025 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2025 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Insurance Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500. ▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).	OMB No. 1210-0110 2025 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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A Name of plan FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 06-0646623	

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

(a) Name of insurance carrier TIAA-CREF					
(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
13-1624203	69345	102015	1210	01/01/2025	12/31/2025

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

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

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

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
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(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
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Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

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

4 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	123615598
5 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	5	6017734

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.**6d**

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶**f** If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ☐**7** Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)**a** Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee(3) ☒ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶**b** Balance at the end of the previous year**7b**

122642503

c Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year**7c(1)**

1742326

(2) Dividends and credits

7c(2)

0

(3) Interest credited during the year

7c(3)

5085829

(4) Transferred from separate account

7c(4)

10836158

(5) Other (specify below)

7c(5)

190613

▶ OTHER ADDITIONS

(6) Total additions

7c(6)

17854926

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

140497429

e Deductions:

(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year

7e(1)

7935256

(2) Administration charge made by carrier

7e(2)

(3) Transferred to separate account

7e(3)

8848317

(4) Other (specify below)

7e(4)

98258

▶ OTHER DEDUCTIONS

(5) Total deductions

7e(5)

16881831

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

123615598

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

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

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

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

9 Experience-rated contracts:

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

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier	10a	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.	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) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Service Provider Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2025
		This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 06-0646623	

Part I	Service Provider Information (see instructions)
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You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

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

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
TIAA	730 THIRD AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017-3206
13-1624203	
(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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NEW YORK, NY 10017-3206

13-1624203

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
15	RECORDKEEPER	189295	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☒	0	Yes ☐ No ☐

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

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36-4001764

(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?
19	N/A	68501	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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

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BELTSVILLE, MD 20705-3102

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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?
10	N/A	20895	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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

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

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

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

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

Explanation:

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

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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration	DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2025 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 06-0646623	

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:	TIAA REAL ESTATE
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	TIAA-CREF
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c EIN-PN 13-1624203-004	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 6017734
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	
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c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	
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c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	
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c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	
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c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	
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c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	
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c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):**c** EIN-PN**d** Entity
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code**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or
103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs, other than DCGs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans. DCGs must report each participating plan using Schedule DCG.)

a Plan name**b** Name of
plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN**a** Plan name**b** Name of
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plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2025
		This Form is Open to Public Inspection

For calendar plan year 2025 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2025 and ending 12/31/2025

A Name of plan FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 06-0646623

Part I	Asset and Liability Statement		
1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.			
Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
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)	1290232	0
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	876298	2621845
(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)	780110	853152
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	12581362	6017734
(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)	354402160	417757303
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)	122642503	123615599
(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)		
1e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
1f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	492572665	550865633

Liabilities

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

Net Assets

1l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	492572665	550865633
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

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

Income

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	9353510	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	10279319	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	3539187	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		23172016
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)	70335	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)	5085829	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		5156164
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)	625485	
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	8715970	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		9341455
(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)		0
(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)		0

		(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)		480738
(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)		53796559
c Other income	2c		331704
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		92278636

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	33708847	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		33708847
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		730
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	276091	
(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)		276091
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		33985668

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		58292968
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: CLIFTONLARSONALLEN LLP

(2) EIN: 41-0746749

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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	☒		2000000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		☒	
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?		☒	
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?		☒	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	☒		
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.)		☒	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		☒	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		☒	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		☒	
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) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Retirement Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2025 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
For calendar plan year 2025 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2025 and ending 12/31/2025		
A Name of plan FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN		B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 06-0646623
Part I	Distributions	
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
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
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.)	
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	
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.	
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		
For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.		
Schedule R (Form 5500) 2025 v. 250312		

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: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....

14a

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

14b

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

14c

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

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

15a

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

15b

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

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

16a

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

16b

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

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

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

19 If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) 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 08 / 07 / 2017 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number J500954A.

**FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION
RETIREMENT PLAN**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
ERISA-REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE**

**AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024, AND
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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Plan Administrator
Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement Plan
Fairfield, Connecticut

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

We have performed audits of the financial statements of Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement 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, 2025 and 2024, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2025, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement 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 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 Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained certifications from a qualified institution as of December 31, 2025 and 2024, and for the year ended December 31, 2025, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audits and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section

- the amounts and disclosures in the accompanying financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

- the information in the accompanying financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

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

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.

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Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement Plan

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.

Other Matter — Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

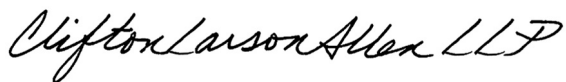
The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2025 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

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In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion

- the form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).



CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

West Hartford, Connecticut
August 3, 2026

**FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN
STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024**

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
ASSETS		
INVESTMENTS (at Fair Value)		
Fixed Annuity Contracts (Nonbenefit-Responsive)	\$ 91,804,054	\$ 91,422,853
Money Market and Mutual Funds	276,434,184	224,005,482
Variable Annuities	143,944,964	131,272,976
Pooled Separate Account	6,017,734	12,581,362
Total Investments at Fair Value	<u>518,200,936</u>	<u>459,282,673</u>
INVESTMENTS (at Contract Value)		
Fixed Annuity Contracts (Fully Benefit-Responsive)	31,811,545	31,219,650
RECEIVABLES		
Notes Receivable from Participants	866,539	792,767
Dividends Receivable	-	1,290,232
Total Receivables	<u>866,539</u>	<u>2,082,999</u>
Total Assets	550,879,020	492,585,322
LIABILITIES		
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED EXPENSES	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	<u><u>\$ 550,879,020</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 492,585,322</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025**

ADDITIONS:

INVESTMENT INCOME

Net Appreciation in Fair Value of Investments	\$ 54,277,297
Interest and Dividend Income	14,427,284
Other Income	331,704
Total Investment Income	<u>69,036,285</u>

**INTEREST INCOME ON NOTES RECEIVABLE
FROM PARTICIPANTS**

70,335

CONTRIBUTIONS

Employee - Pre-Tax Deferrals	8,899,443
Employee - Roth Deferrals	1,379,876
Employee - Rollovers	3,539,187
Employer - Matching	9,353,510
Total Contributions	<u>23,172,016</u>

Total Additions	92,278,636
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DEDUCTIONS:

BENEFITS PAID TO PARTICIPANTS	33,708,847
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ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	<u>276,091</u>
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Total Deductions	<u>33,984,938</u>
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NET INCREASE	58,293,698
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NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS:

Beginning of Year	<u>492,585,322</u>
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End of Year	<u><u>\$ 550,879,020</u></u>
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FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024

NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The following description of the Fairfield University Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan established to provide retirement benefits in compliance with the Internal Revenue Code (the Code) under Section 403(b) for employees of Fairfield University and Fairfield College Preparatory School (collectively, the University). All employees are eligible, except for students enrolled and attending classes at the University. Adjunct faculty, students, and temporary and seasonal employees who work less than 1,000 hours per year are excluded from University matching contributions. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Plan Amendments

The Plan was amended, effective January 1, 2025, to clarify the University's match and eligibility requirements for the match and nonelective contributions. All other Plan provisions stayed relatively the same.

Contributions

Participants may contribute up to 100% of compensation as pre-tax or Roth contributions, as defined in the Plan. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified retirement plans (rollovers). The University makes discretionary matching contributions. For the year ended December 31, 2025, provided that the participant contributed at least 2.5% of his or her compensation as pre-tax contributions, the discretionary matching contributions were equal to the following percentages of each participant's compensation:

University Faculty, Staff, and Administrators	9%
Preparatory School Staff	10%
Preparatory School Faculty	8.5%

Employees must have completed a year of service and have attained the age of 18 in order to receive matching contributions.

The University may also make a nonelective discretionary contribution. There were no nonelective discretionary contributions made in 2025. All contributions are subject to certain limitations imposed by the Plan and the Code.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and University contributions, and allocations of plan earnings. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses paid by the Plan. Allocations of University contributions, investment income and administrative expenses are based on participants' compensation or account balances, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested accounts.

FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN
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DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024

NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (CONTINUED)

Investment Options

Participants may direct their contributions into any of the funds which are held at Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association of America and College Retirement Equities Fund (TIAA and CREF) and TIAA Trust, N.A.. Effective May 1, 2017, the University elected to freeze Fidelity Management Trust Company (Fidelity) accounts. Participants may continue to hold investments at Fidelity, but future contributions are not permitted to these accounts. These accounts include a variety of investment options with various objectives and degrees of financial risk.

Vesting

Participants are immediately vested in their deferral, rollover and University contributions, including the earnings on those amounts.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or one-half of their pre-tax deferral account balance. Loans may be further limited based on a participant's account balances and restrictions included in annuity contracts and plan provisions. Loan terms range from one to five years except for loans to purchase a primary residence, which may be offered over a term of up to ten years. The loans are secured by the balances in the participants' accounts and bear interest that may be fixed or variable depending on the TIAA and CREF contract. The notes currently bear interest at 4.25% to 9.50%. Participants may only have three loans outstanding at any given time. Generally, principal and interest are paid ratably.

Plan Loans

Participants may borrow funds based on their employee pre-tax deferral accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or one-half of their vested account balance in TIAA and CREF. Loans may be further limited based on a participant's account balances and restrictions included in annuity contracts and plan provisions. Loan terms range from one to five years, except for loans to purchase a primary residence, which may be offered over a term of up to 10 years. The loans are secured by the balances in the participants' accounts. Loans bear interest at rates that may be fixed or variable depending on the TIAA and CREF contract. The loans currently bear interest at 4.00% to 5.85%. Participants may not have more than three loans outstanding at any given time. Loans are issued directly from funds owned by Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association (TIAA) and are administered by TIAA directly with the participant outside of the Plan. Therefore, these loans are not included as assets of the Plan. These outstanding loans were \$53,949 and \$76,232 at December 31, 2025 and 2024, respectively.

Included in these amounts are loans in default at December 31, 2025 and 2024, totaling \$51,460 and \$70,594, respectively. These balances represent situations where the participant has defaulted on the terms of the loan agreement but has not yet incurred a distributable event. Therefore, the investments securing these loans remain plan assets until a distributable event occurs and TIAA may act on the collateral.

FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024

NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (CONTINUED)

Payment of Benefits

The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided by the participant's account. Upon termination of service, death, disability, or reaching normal retirement age, the participant may receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account in various forms of payment, as described in the Plan document. In addition, the Plan also allows for in-service distributions if a participant reaches age 59½ or under certain hardship circumstances. The Plan also provides for automatic cash-out and/or rollover distributions into an individual retirement account for terminated participants whose balance does not exceed certain limits as prescribed by the Plan document and IRC.

Revenue Sharing

The Plan holds assets in a plan expense account which receives deposits as a result of a revenue sharing arrangement with TIAA and CREF. During 2025, deposits to the account totaled \$331,704, which are included in other income on the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits. Funds in the account are used to pay qualified plan expenses. For the year ended December 31, 2025, revenue sharing credits totaling \$278,614 were used to pay plan expenses, and \$70,000 were reallocated to participants. The revenue sharing account totaled \$60,446 and \$73,095 as of December 31, 2025 and 2024 respectively.

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 held by a defined contribution retirement 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. Certain individual contracts included in the Plan's investment in the TIAA Traditional Annuity are considered to be fully benefit-responsive.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Plan administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

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

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition (Continued)

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

Other income represents income received from revenue sharing arrangements with TIAA and CREF.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balances plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income on notes receivable from participants is recorded on the accrual basis. If a participant ceases to make loan repayments and the Plan administrator deems the participant loan to be in default, the participant loan balance is reduced, and a benefit payment is recorded.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits to participants are recorded when paid.

Plan Expenses

Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid directly by the University. Fees related to the administration of notes receivable from participants and distributions are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses. Investment-related expenses are included in net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments.

Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan provides for various investment options in money market and mutual funds, a pooled separate account and fixed annuity contracts. These investments are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investments will occur in the near-term and those changes could materially affect participant account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

Subsequent Events

Subsequent events were evaluated through August 3, 2026, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024

NOTE 3 CERTIFICATION BY THE INVESTMENT CUSTODIANS

Information presented in the accompanying statements and schedule as of December 31, 2025 and 2024, and for the year ended December 31, 2025, for notes receivable from participants, investments, investment income and interest income on notes receivable from participants was derived, from information certified to be complete and accurate by Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association of America and College Retirement Equities Fund, insurance carriers of the Plan, and Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association of America on behalf of TIAA Trust, N.A., a national trust bank, held as a custodian that were recordkept by TIAA or Fidelity Management Trust Company, the custodians, as permitted by the election made by the Plan administrator under 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Investments held as of December 31, 2025, totaled \$508,030,342 and \$42,848,678 at TIAA and CREF, and Fidelity, respectively. Investments held as of December 31, 2024, totaled \$454,613,398 and \$37,971,924 at TIAA and CREF, and Fidelity, respectively.

NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America establish 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 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

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

Level 2 – Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

- quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
- 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 observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. Assets valued using the net asset value practical expedient are not required to be reported within the hierarchy.

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NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value:

Fixed Annuity Contracts: Following guidance provided by TIAA and CREF, management has determined that contract value approximates fair value for its fixed annuity contracts that are not fully benefit-responsive. Contract value represents the accumulation of contributions made under the contract, plus guaranteed and additional interest, less funds used to pay benefits and administrative expenses of the contract.

The conclusion that contract value approximates fair value for the TIAA Traditional Annuity is supported by two approaches: 1) the theoretical transfer of assets owned by a pension plan, and 2) a quantitative model based on assumptions of future interest rates and related discounted cash flows.

Differences in the credit spreads from corporate bonds are assumed to represent the overall illiquidity of the TIAA Traditional Annuity and those associated U.S. Treasury yields represent a credit spread for a highly rated insurance company. Thus, the interest rate used to discount future cash flows under a TIAA Traditional Annuity contract would approximate the contract's crediting rate and the present value would, therefore, approximate current contract value.

Because participants transact at contract value, the fair value approaches and assumptions related to the TIAA Traditional Annuity are only reviewed annually for financial reporting purposes.

Money Market and Mutual Funds: Money market and mutual funds are valued at the quoted price of shares held by the Plan at year-end.

Variable Annuities: Variable annuities are stated at their net asset value as reported by independent pricing sources based on the fair value of the underlying assets and liabilities at the measurement date. The net asset value is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value.

Pooled Separate Account: Pooled separate accounts are stated at their net asset value as reported by the investment manager of the fund based on the fair value of the underlying assets and liabilities at the measurement date. The net asset value is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value.

There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2025 and 2024.

The methods described above 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.

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NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

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

2025					
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Investments Measured at Net Asset Value (a)	Total
Fixed Annuity Contracts (Nonbenefit-Responsive)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 91,804,054	\$ -	\$ 91,804,054
Money Market and Mutual Funds	276,434,184	-	-	-	276,434,184
Variable Annuities	-	-	-	143,944,964	143,944,964
Pooled Separate Account	-	-	-	6,017,734	6,017,734
Investments at Fair Value	<u>\$ 276,434,184</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 91,804,054</u>	<u>\$ 149,962,698</u>	<u>\$ 518,200,936</u>

2024					
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Investments Measured at Net Asset Value (a)	Total
Fixed Annuity Contracts (Nonbenefit-Responsive)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 91,422,853	\$ -	\$ 91,422,853
Money Market and Mutual Funds	224,005,482	-	-	-	224,005,482
Variable Annuities	-	-	-	131,272,976	131,272,976
Pooled Separate Account	-	-	-	12,581,362	12,581,362
Investments at Fair Value	<u>\$ 224,005,482</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 91,422,853</u>	<u>\$ 143,854,338</u>	<u>\$ 459,282,673</u>

(a) Certain investments that are measured using the net asset value per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in these tables are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

There were no transfers between levels of investments during the year ended December 31, 2025.

Additional information regarding investments that report fair value based on net asset value per share as of December 31, 2025 and 2024 is as follows:

	Fair Value		Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period	Liquidity or Other Restrictions
	2025	2024			
Bonds (i)	10,028,270	9,666,257	Daily	Daily	None
Equities (ii)	28,685,229	24,687,479	Daily	Daily	None
Growth (iii)	16,365,933	14,732,026	Daily	Daily	None
Stocks (iv)	68,041,580	62,880,776	Daily	Daily	None
Social Choice (v)	8,967,739	17,213,659	Daily	Daily	None
Money Market (vi)	11,856,213	2,092,779	Daily	Daily	None
Real Estate (vii)	6,017,734	12,581,362	Daily	Daily	None

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NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

- i. Bonds - Bond funds seek a favorable long-term rate of return, primarily through high current income consistent with preserving capital that outpace inflation.
- ii. Equities - Equity funds seek to track the overall stock market with options for both domestic and global indexes.
- iii. Growth - Growth funds seek favorable long-term rates of return, mainly through capital appreciation through a diversified portfolio of growth stocks.
- iv. Stocks - Stock funds invest in a broadly diversified portfolio of common stocks, both domestic and global, targeting companies of all sizes across both growth and value stocks.
- v. Social Choice – Social Choice funds seek to provide a diversified portfolio of stocks and bonds that align with Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) criteria.
- vi. Money Market - Money Market funds seek a fixed rate of return while maintaining liquidity and preserving capital.
- vii. Real Estate – Real Estate funds seek to provide high current income and capital appreciation through investing in diversified sectors of U.S. commercial real estate with an emphasis on real estate investment trusts (REITs).

The following table sets forth a summary of certain changes in the fair value of the Plan's Level 3 assets for the year ended December 31, 2025:

	Fixed Annuity Contracts (Nonbenefit- Responsive)
Purchases	\$ 8,907,610
Issuances	-
Transfer In	-
Transfer Out	-

The following table presents information about significant unobservable inputs related to the Plan's investment in Level 3 assets at December 31:

Instrument	Fair Value 2025	Principal Valuation Technique	Unobservable Inputs	Range of Significant Input Values
TIAA Traditional Annuity	\$ 91,804,054	Discounted Cash Flow Theoretical Transfer (Exit Value)	Risk-Adjusted Discount Rate Applied	RA - 3.55% - 6.50% RC - 3.80% - 6.75%

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NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

Instrument	Fair Value 2024	Principal Valuation Technique	Unobservable Inputs	Range of Significant Input Values
TIAA Traditional Annuity	\$ 91,422,853	Discounted Cash Flow Theoretical Transfer (Exit Value)	Risk-Adjusted Discount Rate Applied	RA - 3.65% - 6.50% RC - 3.90% - 6.75%

RA = Retirement Annuity
RC = Retirement Choice

NOTE 5 FIXED ANNUITY CONTRACTS

The TIAA Traditional Annuity consists of guaranteed fixed annuity contracts that, during the accumulation phase, provide a guarantee of principal, a guaranteed minimum interest rate and the potential for additional discretionary interest if declared by TIAA. Additionally, the discretionary rate applied to contributions received during a reporting period may differ from the discretionary rate applied to account balances at the end of the prior reporting period. Such contracts may be converted to an annuity based on the accumulation in the account. Participants who elect to direct their contributions to this account enter into individual contracts with TIAA that provide various options.

As a result, the TIAA Traditional Annuity consists of certain individual participant contracts that are considered to be fully benefit-responsive and others that are not considered to be fully benefit-responsive because provisions in the contract contain liquidity restrictions that can limit the participant's ability to make withdrawals from the contract. The portion of the TIAA Traditional Annuity that is fully benefit-responsive is presented on the face of the statements of net assets available for benefits at contract value. The portion of the TIAA Traditional Annuity that is not considered to be fully benefit-responsive is presented on the face of the statements of net assets available for benefits at fair value, which management has determined to approximate contract value.

Certain events might limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include (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 Plan sponsor or other Plan sponsor events (for example, divestitures or spinoffs of a subsidiary) that cause a significant withdrawal from the Plan, (4) the failure of the trust to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes or any required prohibited transaction exemption under ERISA, or (5) premature termination of the contract. No events are probable of occurring that might limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the contract issuers and that also would limit the ability of the plan to transact at contract value with the participants.

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NOTE 5 FIXED ANNUITY CONTRACTS (CONTINUED)

As of December 31, 2025 and 2024, the portions of the TIAA Traditional Annuity that were fully benefit-responsive and nonbenefit-responsive were as follows:

	2025	2024
Fully Benefit-Responsive	\$ 31,811,545	\$ 31,219,650
Nonbenefit-Responsive	91,804,054	91,422,853
Total	<u>\$ 123,615,599</u>	<u>\$ 122,642,503</u>

The crediting interest rate is based on a formula agreed upon with the issuer, minimums by contract vary from 1%-3%. Such interest rates are reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting.

NOTE 6 PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Certain Plan investments are shares of money market and mutual funds, a pooled separate account and fixed annuity contracts managed by affiliates of TIAA and CREF or Fidelity. TIAA and CREF, and Fidelity are custodians as defined by the Plan, and, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions. Other parties-in-interest include professional service firms who provide services to the Plan. Administrative expenses paid by the Plan to parties in interest totaled \$276,091 for the year ended December 31, 2025. Certain employees of the University who participate in the Plan perform administrative services to the Plan at no cost to the Plan. Notes receivable from participants are also party-in-interest transactions.

NOTE 7 INCOME TAX STATUS

The Plan has adopted a preapproved plan document that received a favorable opinion letter from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that it was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Code. The Plan administrator believes that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Code. Therefore, the Plan administrator believes the Plan was compliant and the related trust was tax exempt as of the financial statement date.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

NOTE 8 PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the University has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA.

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NOTE 9 RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

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

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Net Assets Available for Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 550,879,020	\$ 492,585,322
Deemed Loans	<u>(13,387)</u>	<u>(12,657)</u>
Net Assets Available for Benefit per Form 5500	<u>\$ 550,865,633</u>	<u>\$ 492,572,665</u>
 Change in Net Assets per Financial Statements	 \$ 58,293,698	
Change in Deemed Loans	<u>(730)</u>	
Change in Net Assets per Form 5500	<u>\$ 58,292,968</u>	

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*	TIAA Traditional Annuity Nonbenefit-Responsive	Fixed Annuity Contracts	**	\$ 91,804,054
*	TIAA Traditional Annuity Fully Benefit-Responsive	Fixed Annuity Contracts	**	31,811,545
		Total Fixed Annuity Contracts		123,615,599
<u>Pooled Separate Account:</u>				
*	TIAA Real Estate	Pooled Separate Account	**	\$ 6,017,734
<u>Variable Annuities:</u>				
*	CREF Total Global Stock R2	Variable Annuity	**	\$ 47,095,545
*	CREF Total Global Stock R4	Variable Annuity	**	20,946,035
*	CREF Global Equities R2	Variable Annuity	**	19,012,312
*	CREF Growth R2	Variable Annuity	**	16,365,933
*	CREF S&P 500 Index R2	Variable Annuity	**	9,672,917
*	CREF Responsible Balanced R4	Variable Annuity	**	9,635,544
*	CREF Responsible Balanced R2	Variable Annuity	**	8,967,739
*	CREF Core Bond R2	Variable Annuity	**	6,067,303
*	CREF Inflation-Linked Bond R2	Variable Annuity	**	3,960,967
*	CREF Money Market R2	Variable Annuity	**	2,220,669
		Total Variable Annuities		143,944,964
<u>Money Market and Mutual Funds:</u>				
	Vanguard Inst Idx Inst	Mutual Fund	**	\$ 36,104,236
	Vanguard Target Retire 2040	Mutual Fund	**	26,283,026
	Vanguard Ttl Intl Stk Idx Inst	Mutual Fund	**	17,736,767
	Vanguard Target Retire 2030	Mutual Fund	**	16,608,763
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	Vanguard Target Retire 2050	Mutual Fund	**	12,277,072
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	Vanguard Target Retire 2025	Mutual Fund	**	10,924,155
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	PGIM High Yield R6	Mutual Fund	**	3,687,441
	Vanguard Target Retire 2060	Mutual Fund	**	3,461,909
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*	FID FREEDOM 2035 K	Mutual Fund	**	1,405,396
*	FID GOVT MMRK PRM	Money Market	**	1,300,572
*	FID GROWTH CO K	Mutual Fund	**	1,144,201
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*	FID SM CAP IDX	Mutual Fund	**	507,396
*	FID ASSET MGR 70%	Mutual Fund	**	465,784
*	FID US BOND IDX	Mutual Fund	**	443,515
*	FID DIVERSIFD INTL K	Mutual Fund	**	441,384
*	FID SEL BIOTECH	Mutual Fund	**	426,422
*	FID FREEDOM 2010 K	Mutual Fund	**	391,632

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Money Market and Mutual Funds:				
<u>(Continued):</u>				
*	FID MAGELLAN K	Mutual Fund	**	\$ 377,383
*	FID STOCK SELECTOR K	Mutual Fund	**	326,880
*	FID VALUE K	Mutual Fund	**	319,224
*	FID SEL GOLD	Mutual Fund	**	284,931
*	FID WORLDWIDE	Mutual Fund	**	265,032
*	FID SMALL CAP VALUE	Mutual Fund	**	260,352
*	FID LOW PRICED STK K	Mutual Fund	**	260,152
*	FID FREEDOM 2055 K	Mutual Fund	**	250,070
*	FID EQUITY INCOME K	Mutual Fund	**	248,684
*	FID GOVT MMKT	Money Market	**	239,610
*	FID SM CAP DISCOVERY	Mutual Fund	**	236,088
*	FID ASSET MGR 60%	Mutual Fund	**	234,450
*	FID BLUE CHIP VALUE	Mutual Fund	**	233,476
*	FID STKSEL LGCAP VAL	Mutual Fund	**	231,675
*	FID INTERMED BOND	Mutual Fund	**	218,289
*	FID MID CAP STOCK K	Mutual Fund	**	209,344
*	FID VALUE STRAT K	Mutual Fund	**	201,371
*	FID PURITAN K	Mutual Fund	**	200,351
*	FID TREASURY ONLY MM	Money Market	**	198,528
*	FID SEL PHARMACEUTCL	Mutual Fund	**	194,828
*	FID SEL SEMICONDUCT	Mutual Fund	**	194,018
*	FID CAPITAL & INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	191,995
*	FID INTL INDEX	Mutual Fund	**	188,791
*	FID GROWTH & INC K	Mutual Fund	**	179,148
*	FID CHINA REGION	Mutual Fund	**	172,303
*	FID NASDAQ COMP INDX	Mutual Fund	**	171,127
*	FID GOV CASH RESERVE	Money Market	**	159,497
*	FID SEL LEISURE	Mutual Fund	**	157,264
*	FID LEVERGD CO STK K	Mutual Fund	**	148,731
*	FID CANADA	Mutual Fund	**	146,163
*	FID TOTAL INTL EQ	Mutual Fund	**	142,384
*	FID ENV ALT ENERGY	Mutual Fund	**	141,837
*	FID GLOBAL EQ INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	135,061
*	FID TOTAL BOND	Mutual Fund	**	133,828
*	FID SMALL CAP GROWTH	Mutual Fund	**	123,855
*	FID INTL VALUE	Mutual Fund	**	120,511

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Money Market and Mutual Funds:				
(Continued):				
*	FID MULTI ASSET IDX	Mutual Fund	**	\$ 116,779
*	FID REAL ESTATE IDX	Mutual Fund	**	113,774
*	FID REAL ESTATE INVS	Mutual Fund	**	110,421
*	FID SEL UTILITIES	Mutual Fund	**	103,158
*	FID FUND K	Mutual Fund	**	101,054
*	FID SEL CONS STAPLES	Mutual Fund	**	92,694
*	FID EMERGING MKTS K	Mutual Fund	**	90,486
*	FID LARGE CAP STOCK	Mutual Fund	**	87,697
*	FID INVST GR BD	Mutual Fund	**	86,844
*	FID SEL DEFENSE	Mutual Fund	**	86,289
*	FID INFL PR BD IDX	Mutual Fund	**	75,823
*	FID STRATEGIC INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	73,725
*	FID FOCUSED HIGH INC	Mutual Fund	**	73,394
*	FID SEL TRANSPORT	Mutual Fund	**	72,541
*	FID EUROPE	Mutual Fund	**	72,244
*	FID INTL DISCOVERY K	Mutual Fund	**	70,809
*	FID HIGH INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	69,468
*	FID GROWTH STRAT K	Mutual Fund	**	59,375
*	FID SEL HEALTHCARE	Mutual Fund	**	57,936
*	FID STK SEL SM CAP	Mutual Fund	**	54,832
*	FID DIVIDEND GR K	Mutual Fund	**	44,243
*	FID LT TR BD IDX	Mutual Fund	**	43,615
*	FID SMALL CAP STOCK	Mutual Fund	**	40,881
*	FID GLB COMDTY STK	Mutual Fund	**	40,165
*	FID EMERGING ASIA	Mutual Fund	**	36,593
*	FID SEL COMM SERV	Mutual Fund	**	36,477
*	FID FLOAT RT HI INC	Mutual Fund	**	36,455
*	FID TELECOM & UTIL	Mutual Fund	**	35,997
*	FID EXTD MKT IDX	Mutual Fund	**	35,717
*	FID EMRG MKTS IDX	Mutual Fund	**	33,867
*	FID EQ DIV INCOME K	Mutual Fund	**	33,222
*	FID CORPORATE BOND	Mutual Fund	**	31,756
*	FID INTL CAP APPR	Mutual Fund	**	27,127
*	FID INTL GROWTH	Mutual Fund	**	25,913
*	FID OVERSEAS K	Mutual Fund	**	22,872
*	FID SEL CONSTR/HOUSE	Mutual Fund	**	20,427
*	FID NATURAL RES	Mutual Fund	**	18,571
*	FID ASSET MGR 20%	Mutual Fund	**	18,198

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*	FID GROWTH DISC K	Mutual Fund	**	\$ 17,515
*	FID ASSET MGR 50%	Mutual Fund	**	16,460
*	FID INTM TR BD IDX	Mutual Fund	**	15,378
*	FIDELITY FINANCIALS	Mutual Fund	**	15,011
*	FID CAP APPREC K	Mutual Fund	**	14,999
*	FID GNMA	Mutual Fund	**	12,729
*	FID PACIFIC BASIN	Mutual Fund	**	10,732
*	FID SEL TEC HARDWARE	Mutual Fund	**	10,619
*	FID MID CAP VALUE	Mutual Fund	**	9,367
*	FID NEW MARKETS INC	Mutual Fund	**	8,978
*	FID SEL ENERGY	Mutual Fund	**	8,681
*	FID SEL CHEMICALS	Mutual Fund	**	8,570
*	FID MORTGAGE SEC	Mutual Fund	**	8,433
*	FID DISCIPLND EQ K	Mutual Fund	**	7,550
*	FID SEL MED TECH&DV	Mutual Fund	**	4,852
	Vanguard Target Retire 2070	Mutual Fund	**	4,372
*	FID SHORT TERM BOND	Mutual Fund	**	4,063
*	FID SEL TELECOMM	Mutual Fund	**	3,342
*	FID FREEDOM 2060 K	Mutual Fund	**	3,020
*	FID EMERG MKTS DISC	Mutual Fund	**	2,746
*	FID SEL CONS DISCR	Mutual Fund	**	2,710
*	FID SEL WIRELESS	Mutual Fund	**	2,660
*	FID INTL SMALL CAP	Mutual Fund	**	2,417
*	FID INTM GOVT INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	2,289
*	FID NORDIC	Mutual Fund	**	2,183
*	FID ST TR BD IDX	Mutual Fund	**	1,657
		Total Money Market and Mutual Funds		276,434,184
*	Participant Loans	Interest Rates of 4.25% to 9.50%		853,152
		Total		<u>\$ 550,865,633</u>

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*	FID SEL BIOTECH	Mutual Fund	**	426,422
*	FID FREEDOM 2010 K	Mutual Fund	**	391,632

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Money Market and Mutual Funds:				
<u>(Continued):</u>				
*	FID MAGELLAN K	Mutual Fund	**	\$ 377,383
*	FID STOCK SELECTOR K	Mutual Fund	**	326,880
*	FID VALUE K	Mutual Fund	**	319,224
*	FID SEL GOLD	Mutual Fund	**	284,931
*	FID WORLDWIDE	Mutual Fund	**	265,032
*	FID SMALL CAP VALUE	Mutual Fund	**	260,352
*	FID LOW PRICED STK K	Mutual Fund	**	260,152
*	FID FREEDOM 2055 K	Mutual Fund	**	250,070
*	FID EQUITY INCOME K	Mutual Fund	**	248,684
*	FID GOVT MMKT	Money Market	**	239,610
*	FID SM CAP DISCOVERY	Mutual Fund	**	236,088
*	FID ASSET MGR 60%	Mutual Fund	**	234,450
*	FID BLUE CHIP VALUE	Mutual Fund	**	233,476
*	FID STKSEL LGCAP VAL	Mutual Fund	**	231,675
*	FID INTERMED BOND	Mutual Fund	**	218,289
*	FID MID CAP STOCK K	Mutual Fund	**	209,344
*	FID VALUE STRAT K	Mutual Fund	**	201,371
*	FID PURITAN K	Mutual Fund	**	200,351
*	FID TREASURY ONLY MM	Money Market	**	198,528
*	FID SEL PHARMACEUTCL	Mutual Fund	**	194,828
*	FID SEL SEMICONDUCT	Mutual Fund	**	194,018
*	FID CAPITAL & INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	191,995
*	FID INTL INDEX	Mutual Fund	**	188,791
*	FID GROWTH & INC K	Mutual Fund	**	179,148
*	FID CHINA REGION	Mutual Fund	**	172,303
*	FID NASDAQ COMP INDX	Mutual Fund	**	171,127
*	FID GOV CASH RESERVE	Money Market	**	159,497
*	FID SEL LEISURE	Mutual Fund	**	157,264
*	FID LEVERGD CO STK K	Mutual Fund	**	148,731
*	FID CANADA	Mutual Fund	**	146,163
*	FID TOTAL INTL EQ	Mutual Fund	**	142,384
*	FID ENV ALT ENERGY	Mutual Fund	**	141,837
*	FID GLOBAL EQ INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	135,061
*	FID TOTAL BOND	Mutual Fund	**	133,828
*	FID SMALL CAP GROWTH	Mutual Fund	**	123,855
*	FID INTL VALUE	Mutual Fund	**	120,511

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*	FID MULTI ASSET IDX	Mutual Fund	**	\$ 116,779
*	FID REAL ESTATE IDX	Mutual Fund	**	113,774
*	FID REAL ESTATE INVS	Mutual Fund	**	110,421
*	FID SEL UTILITIES	Mutual Fund	**	103,158
*	FID FUND K	Mutual Fund	**	101,054
*	FID SEL CONS STAPLES	Mutual Fund	**	92,694
*	FID EMERGING MKTS K	Mutual Fund	**	90,486
*	FID LARGE CAP STOCK	Mutual Fund	**	87,697
*	FID INVST GR BD	Mutual Fund	**	86,844
*	FID SEL DEFENSE	Mutual Fund	**	86,289
*	FID INFL PR BD IDX	Mutual Fund	**	75,823
*	FID STRATEGIC INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	73,725
*	FID FOCUSED HIGH INC	Mutual Fund	**	73,394
*	FID SEL TRANSPORT	Mutual Fund	**	72,541
*	FID EUROPE	Mutual Fund	**	72,244
*	FID INTL DISCOVERY K	Mutual Fund	**	70,809
*	FID HIGH INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	69,468
*	FID GROWTH STRAT K	Mutual Fund	**	59,375
*	FID SEL HEALTHCARE	Mutual Fund	**	57,936
*	FID STK SEL SM CAP	Mutual Fund	**	54,832
*	FID DIVIDEND GR K	Mutual Fund	**	44,243
*	FID LT TR BD IDX	Mutual Fund	**	43,615
*	FID SMALL CAP STOCK	Mutual Fund	**	40,881
*	FID GLB COMDTY STK	Mutual Fund	**	40,165
*	FID EMERGING ASIA	Mutual Fund	**	36,593
*	FID SEL COMM SERV	Mutual Fund	**	36,477
*	FID FLOAT RT HI INC	Mutual Fund	**	36,455
*	FID TELECOM & UTIL	Mutual Fund	**	35,997
*	FID EXTD MKT IDX	Mutual Fund	**	35,717
*	FID EMRG MKTS IDX	Mutual Fund	**	33,867
*	FID EQ DIV INCOME K	Mutual Fund	**	33,222
*	FID CORPORATE BOND	Mutual Fund	**	31,756
*	FID INTL CAP APPR	Mutual Fund	**	27,127
*	FID INTL GROWTH	Mutual Fund	**	25,913
*	FID OVERSEAS K	Mutual Fund	**	22,872
*	FID SEL CONSTR/HOUSE	Mutual Fund	**	20,427
*	FID NATURAL RES	Mutual Fund	**	18,571
*	FID ASSET MGR 20%	Mutual Fund	**	18,198

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*	FID GROWTH DISC K	Mutual Fund	**	\$ 17,515
*	FID ASSET MGR 50%	Mutual Fund	**	16,460
*	FID INTM TR BD IDX	Mutual Fund	**	15,378
*	FIDELITY FINANCIALS	Mutual Fund	**	15,011
*	FID CAP APPREC K	Mutual Fund	**	14,999
*	FID GNMA	Mutual Fund	**	12,729
*	FID PACIFIC BASIN	Mutual Fund	**	10,732
*	FID SEL TEC HARDWARE	Mutual Fund	**	10,619
*	FID MID CAP VALUE	Mutual Fund	**	9,367
*	FID NEW MARKETS INC	Mutual Fund	**	8,978
*	FID SEL ENERGY	Mutual Fund	**	8,681
*	FID SEL CHEMICALS	Mutual Fund	**	8,570
*	FID MORTGAGE SEC	Mutual Fund	**	8,433
*	FID DISCIPLND EQ K	Mutual Fund	**	7,550
*	FID SEL MED TECH&DV	Mutual Fund	**	4,852
	Vanguard Target Retire 2070	Mutual Fund	**	4,372
*	FID SHORT TERM BOND	Mutual Fund	**	4,063
*	FID SEL TELECOMM	Mutual Fund	**	3,342
*	FID FREEDOM 2060 K	Mutual Fund	**	3,020
*	FID EMERG MKTS DISC	Mutual Fund	**	2,746
*	FID SEL CONS DISCR	Mutual Fund	**	2,710
*	FID SEL WIRELESS	Mutual Fund	**	2,660
*	FID INTL SMALL CAP	Mutual Fund	**	2,417
*	FID INTM GOVT INCOME	Mutual Fund	**	2,289
*	FID NORDIC	Mutual Fund	**	2,183
*	FID ST TR BD IDX	Mutual Fund	**	1,657
		Total Money Market and Mutual Funds		276,434,184
*	Participant Loans	Interest Rates of 4.25% to 9.50%		853,152
		Total		<u>\$ 550,865,633</u>

* Indicates party-in-interest

**Cost omitted for participant-directed accounts