

990-PF

Form
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Private Foundation

or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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2023

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2023, or tax year beginning 01-01-2023 , and ending 12-31-2023

Name of foundation THE CONRU FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 82-1387085
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 200 W MERCER STREET E300	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (206) 285-7242
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code SEATTLE, WA 98119		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐
G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here..... ☐ 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ... ☐
H Check type of organization: ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶\$ <u>39,044,485</u>	J Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions).)		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	10,513	10,513		
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	918,499	912,534		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	475,192			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a _____ 15,046,330				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		475,192		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications			5,000	
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances _____				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	b Less: Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)				
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	1,404,204	1,398,239	5,000	
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	0	0		0
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)	615	0		615
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	25,754	12,877		12,877
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)	51,088	51,088		0
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	25,207	7,822		0
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	68,759	46		68,713
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	171,423	71,833		82,205
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	1,590,000			1,590,000
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	1,761,423	71,833		1,672,205
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-357,219			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		1,326,406		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				5,000	

Part II		Balance Sheets	Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only. (See instructions.)	Beginning of year	End of year	
				(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing				
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	1,322,554	1,024,843	1,024,843	
	3	Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	4	Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	5	Grants receivable				
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	8	Inventories for sale or use				
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
	10a	Investments—U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	1,022,868	0	0	
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)				
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶ _____ Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____				
	12	Investments—mortgage loans				
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	34,386,310	35,373,227	37,879,514	
	Liabilities	14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶ 99,382 Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____	99,382	99,382	99,382
15		Other assets (describe ▶ _____)	29,635	40,746	40,746	
16		Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	36,860,749	36,538,198	39,044,485	
17		Accounts payable and accrued expenses				
18		Grants payable				
Net Assets or Fund Balances	19	Deferred revenue.				
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)				
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)	32,131	61,799		
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22).	32,131	61,799		
Foundations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here ☐ and complete lines 24, 25, 29 and 30.	24	Net assets without donor restrictions				
	25	Net assets with donor restrictions				
	Foundations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here ☒ and complete lines 26 through 30.	26	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0	0	
		27	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0	0	
	28	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	36,828,618	36,476,399		
	29	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	36,828,618	36,476,399		
	30	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions) .	36,860,749	36,538,198		

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances		
1	Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 29 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1 36,828,618
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2 -357,219
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3 5,000
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4 36,476,399
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	5 0
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 29.	6 36,476,399

Part IV

Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)		(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1 a PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES				
b PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES				
c PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES - BASIS ADJUSTMENT				
d CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS		P		
e				

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a 8,523,461		8,515,109	8,352
b 6,309,405		6,055,289	254,116
c			-740
d 213,464			213,464
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69

(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col.(h))
a			8,352
b			254,116
c			-740
d			213,464
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)

3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6):
If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions). If (loss), enter -0-
in Part I, line 8

If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7
If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7

2

3

475,192

Part V

Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see instructions)

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)		
b	All other domestic foundations enter 1.39% (0.0139) of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% (0.04) of Part I, line 12, col. (b)	1	18,437
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	2	0
3	Add lines 1 and 2.	3	18,437
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4	0
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-.	5	18,437
6	Credits/Payments:		
a	2023 estimated tax payments and 2022 overpayment credited to 2023	6a	15,917
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b	0
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	10,000
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d	0
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	25,917
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☒ if Form 2220 is attached.	8	0
9	Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid.	10	7,480
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2024 estimated tax Refunded	11	0

Part VI-A

Statements Regarding Activities

1a	During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		Yes	No
1a				No
b	Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes? See the instructions for the definition.			No
	<i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.</i>			
c	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?.	1c		No
d	Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. ▶ \$ 0 (2) On foundation managers. ▶ \$ 0			
e	Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ▶ \$ 0			
2	Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>	2		No
3	Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>	3		No
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	4a		No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	4b		
5	Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>	5		No
6	Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: ● By language in the governing instrument, or ● By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	6	Yes	
7	Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XIV.</i>	7	Yes	
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ▶WA			
b	If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i> .	8b	Yes	
9	Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2023 or the taxable year beginning in 2023? See the instructions for Part XIII. <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIII</i>	9		No
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.</i>	10		No
11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," attach schedule. See instructions.</i>	11		No
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? <i>If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions</i>	12		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶WWW.CONRU.ORG	13	Yes	
14	The books are in care of ▶EIDE BAILLY LLP Telephone no. ▶(206) 285-7242 Located at ▶200 W MERCER STREET STE E300 SEATTLE WA ZIP+4 ▶98119			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 —check here ▶ and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15			
16	At any time during calendar year 2023, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. <i>If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country</i> ▶	16	Yes	No
				No

Part VI-B **Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required**

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		Yes	No
(1)	Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?	1a(1)		No
(2)	Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?	1a(2)	Yes	
(3)	Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	1a(3)		No
(4)	Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	1a(4)		No
(5)	Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?	1a(5)		No
(6)	Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.)	1a(6)		No
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6); did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions	1b		No
c	Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here.  			
d	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2023?	1d		No
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):			
a	At the end of tax year 2023, did the foundation have any undistributed income (Part XII, lines 6d and 6e) for tax year(s) beginning before 2023? If "Yes," list the years  20____, 20____, 20____, 20____	2a		No
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions.)	2b		
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here.  20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?	3a		No
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2023 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period?(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2023.)	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2023?	4b		No

Part VI-B

Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)

5a

During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

(1)

Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?

5a(1)

No

(2)

Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?

5a(2)

No

(3)

Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?

5a(3)

No

(4)

Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions

5a(4)

No

(5)

Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?

5a(5)

No

b

If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5); did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions

5b

No

c

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check

d

If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?

5d

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).

6a

Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?

6a

No

b

Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

6b

No

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

7a

At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?

7a

No

b

If "Yes", did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

7b

8

Is the foundation subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment during the year?

8

No

Part VII

Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1

List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation. See instructions

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
ANDREW CONRU 200 W MERCER ST SUITE E300 SEATTLE, WA 98119	CHAIR., PRES., V.P., TREAS. 20.00	0	0	0
JONATHAN BUCKHEIT 200 W MERCER ST SUITE E300 SEATTLE, WA 98119	SECRETARY 0.05	0	0	0

2

Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

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

Total

number of other employees paid over \$50,000.

0

Part VII

Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE".

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
AMERICAN ENTERPRISE INVESTMENT SERVICES INC 10 AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL CENTER MINNEAPOLIS,MN 55474	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	51,088

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

Part VIII- Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 PROMOTION OF FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND RELIGION THROUGH AN ONLINE COMMUNITY FACILITATING OPEN DISCUSSIONS ON DIVERSE PHILOSOPHICAL TOPICS WITH GOAL OF FOSTERING ENLIGHTENMENT VALUES OF TRUTH, EVIDENCE, AND FREE INQUIRY.	68,502
2	
3	
4	

Part VIII- Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.	Amount
1 NONE	0
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
3	0
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	0

Part IX Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities.	1a	36,821,617
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	700,185
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	5,414
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	37,527,216
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation).	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	37,527,216
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1.5% (0.015) of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	562,908
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3.. . . .	5	36,964,308
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% (0.05) of line 5.	6	1,848,215

Part X Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here ☐ and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part IX, line 6.	1	1,848,215
2a	Tax on investment income for 2022 from Part V, line 5.	2a	18,437
b	Income tax for 2022. (This does not include the tax from Part V.).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	18,437
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	1,829,778
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	1,829,778
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	0
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XII, line 1. . . .	7	1,829,778

Part XI Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26.	1a	1,672,205
b	Program-related investments—total from Part VIII-B	1b	0
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes.	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part XII, line 4.. . . .	4	1,672,205

Part XII

Undistributed Income (see instructions)

		(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2022	(c) 2022	(d) 2023
1 Distributable amount for 2023 from Part X, line 7					1,829,778
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2022:					
a Enter amount for 2022 only.				0	
b Total for prior years: 20____, 20____, 20____			0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2022:					
a From 2018.					
b From 2019.					
c From 2020.					
d From 2021.					110,150
e From 2022.					
f Total of lines 3a through e.		110,150			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2023 from Part XI, line 4: ▶ \$ 1,672,205					
a Applied to 2022, but not more than line 2a				0	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions).			0		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions).		0			
d Applied to 2023 distributable amount					1,672,205
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus		0			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2023. (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)		110,150			110,150
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:					
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5		0			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b.			0		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed			0		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount—see instructions.			0		
e Undistributed income for 2022. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions.				0	
f Undistributed income for 2023. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2024					47,423
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions).		0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2018 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)		0			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2024. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a		0			
10 Analysis of line 9:					
a Excess from 2019					
b Excess from 2020					
c Excess from 2021.					
d Excess from 2022					
e Excess from 2023					

a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2023, enter the date of the ruling

Part	Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see instructions.)
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a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000). (See section 507(d)(2).)

b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.

Check here ☐ if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

c Any submission deadlines:

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other

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Part

Supplementary Information (continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
ALASKA ENDEAVOUR PO BOX 2124 CORDOVA,AK 99574	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000
AMERICAN CONSERVATION COALITION 520 E SONGBIRD LANE APPLETON,WI 54913	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000
AMERICAN LANDS PROJECT 1904 THIRD AVENUE SUITE 406 SEATTLE,WA 98101	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	100,000
ART CORPS 4550 VIA PALABRA SAN DIEGO,CA 92124	N/A	POF	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
ARTE NOIR 2301 EAST UNION UNIT H SEATTLE,WA 98122	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
ARTIST TRUST 1835 12TH AVENUE SEATTLE,WA 98122	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000
ARTS IMPACT 4052 SW COLLEGE ST SEATTLE,WA 98116	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
ARTSFUND PO BOX 19780 SEATTLE,WA 98109	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
BELONG PARTNERS 3250 AIRPORT WAY SOUTH SUITE 225 SEATTLE,WA 98134	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	50,000
CASCADIA ART MUSEUM 23426 WOODWAY PARK RD WOODWAY,WA 98020	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
CENTER ON CONTEMPORARY ART 6413 SEAVIEW AVE NW SEATTLE,WA 98107	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
CHARLES & EMMA FRYE FREE PUBLIC ART MUSEUM INC TESTAMENTARY TRUST 704 TERRY AVENUE SEATTLE,WA 98104	N/A	POF	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
COYOTE CENTRAL 2300 E CHERRY ST SEATTLE,WA 98122	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
DEAF SPOTLIGHT PO BOX 98102 SEATTLE,WA 98102	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
EQUINOX STUDIOS COG 6555 5TH AVE S SEATTLE,WA 98108	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000

EVERGREEN ASSOCIATION OF FINE ARTS PO BOX 50712 BELLEVUE,WA 98015	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	3,000
GAGE ACADEMY OF ART 1122 E PIKE STREET 1026 SEATTLE,WA 98122	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	50,000
KIRKLAND ARTS CENTER 620 MARKET STREET KIRKLAND,WA 98033	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
KITTITAS COUNTY FRIENDS OF ANIMALS PO BOX 1239 ELLENSBURG,WA 98926	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	7,000
NATIONAL PROGRESS ALLIANCE 685 UPPER CACHE CREEK DRIVE 13485 JACKSON,WY 83001	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	300,000
NORTHWEST AFRICAN AMERICAN MUSEUM INC 2300 MASSACHUSETTS ST SEATTLE,WA 98144	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
NW CREATIVE & EXPRESSIVE ARTS INSTITUTE 159 WESTERN AVE W SEATTLE,WA 98119	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	20,000
ONE REEL 1122 E PIKE STREET 1016 SEATTLE,WA 98122	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
PAN EROS FOUNDATION PO BOX 4475 SEATTLE,WA 98194	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	20,000
PATH WITH ART PO BOX 9218 SEATTLE,WA 98109	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
PILCHUCK GLASS SCHOOL 240 SECOND AVENUE SOUTH 100 SEATTLE,WA 98104	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
POST CARBON INSTITUTE 800 SW WASHINGTON AVE SUITE 5 CORVALLIS,OR 97333	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000
PRATT FINE ARTS CENTER 1902 SOUTH MAIN STREET SEATTLE,WA 98144	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000
QUEEN ANNE LUTHERAN CHURCH PO BOX 17029 SEATTLE,WA 98127	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	60,000
ROSE-HULMAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY INC 5500 WABASH AVENUE TERRE HAUTE,IN 47803	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	150,000
SANCTUARY ART CENTER 1604 NE 50TH ST SEATTLE,WA 98105	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
SEATTLE ART MUSEUM	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000

1300 FIRST AVENUE SEATTLE,WA 98101				
SEATTLE RECREATIVE 8408 GREENWOOD AVE N SEATTLE,WA 98103	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
SEATTLE THEATRE GROUP 911 PINE STREET SEATTLE,WA 98101	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	50,000
SEWARD PARK CLAY STUDIO 5900 LAKE WASHINGTON BLVD S SEATTLE,WA 98118	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
SHUNPIKE 7330 20TH AVE NE SEATTLE,WA 98115	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
ST PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH IN INDIANA 3932 MICASA AVE INDIANAPOLIS,IN 46237	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	280,000
THE GOOD FOOT ARTS COLLECTIVE 4913 S PILGRIM ST SEATTLE,WA 98118	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
THE VERA PROJECT 305 HARRISON STREET SEATTLE,WA 98109	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
THIRD STONE PO BOX 9757 SEATTLE,WA 98109	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	20,000
URBAN ARTWORKS 815 SEATTLE BLVD S B7 SEATTLE,WA 98134	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000
VASHON CENTER FOR THE ARTS PO BOX 576 VASHON,WA 98070	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
WALKING STRONG FOUNDATION 6520 PLATT AVE 374 WEST HILLS,CA 91307	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	50,000
WE HEART SEATTLE 2324 1ST AVE STE 503 SEATTLE,WA 98121	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	100,000
WING LUKE MUSEUM PO BOX 3025 SEATTLE,WA 98114	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	10,000
YOUTH IN FOCUS 2100 24TH AVENUE S 310 SEATTLE,WA 98144	N/A	P C	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
Total			3a	1,590,000
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				

Total				▶ 3b 0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e).	13	<u>1,404,204</u>
(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)		

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Part XVI Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

1 Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?

a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:

(1) Cash.

(2) Other assets.

b Other transactions:

(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization.

(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization

(3)* Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets.

(4) Reimbursement arrangements.

(5) Loans or loan guarantees. . . .

(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations.

c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees.

d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column **(b)** should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column **(d)** the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.

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2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

Sign Here

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

	2024-09-23
Signature of officer or trustee	Date

Title

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below?
See instructions. ☐ Yes ☐ No

**Paid
Preparer
Use Only**

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's Signature	Date	Check if self-employed ☐	PTIN
	RICK A STARKENBURG CPA		2024-09-23		P00043131
	Firm's name ▶ EIDE BAILLY LLP				Firm's EIN ▶ 45-025095
	Firm's address ▶ 200 W MERCER ST STE E300 SEATTLE, WA 981193958				Phone no. (206) 285-7242

Additional Data

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Software Version:

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Special Condition Description

TY 2023 IRS 990 e-File Render

Name: THE CONRU FOUNDATION
EIN: 82-1387085

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING FEES	25,754	12,877		12,877

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Name: THE CONRU FOUNDATION

EIN: 82-1387085

Category	Amount
NONE	0

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Name: THE CONRU FOUNDATION

EIN: 82-1387085

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
REG SECTION 1.263(A)-1(F) DE MINIMIS SAFE HARBOR ELECTION	FORM 4562	UNDER IRC REGULATION SECTION 1.263(A)-1(F), THE TAXPAYER HEREBY ELECTS TO APPLY THE DE MINIMIS SAFE HARBOR ELECTION FOR TAX YEAR 2023.

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Name: THE CONRU FOUNDATION
EIN: 82-1387085

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
AMERIPRISE #1551	AT COST	35,373,227	37,879,514

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Name: THE CONRU FOUNDATION

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Category / Item	Cost / Other Basis	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
WEBSITE DOMAIN	60,534	0	60,534	
WEBSITE DOMAIN	18,000	0	18,000	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	20,848	0	20,848	

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Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
LEGAL FEES	615	0		615

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Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Fair Market Value
DIVIDEND RECEIVABLE	29,635	40,746	40,746

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Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES	68,502	0		68,502
TELECONFERENCING	165	0		165
MARKETING	46	0		46
BANK FEES	46	46		0

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Description	Amount
ADJUSTMENT FOR RETURNED GRANT	5,000

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EIN: 82-1387085

Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value
CREDIT CARDS PAYABLE	2,189	671
ADVANCE	29,942	61,128

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Name: THE CONRU FOUNDATION
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Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES	51,088	51,088		0

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EIN: 82-1387085

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FOREIGN TAX	7,822	7,822		0
FEDERAL TAX	17,000	0		0
STATE & LOCAL TAXES	385	0		0