



OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION

Consolidated Financial Statements

June 30, 2017 and 2016

(With Independent Auditors' Report Thereon)

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Independent Auditors' Report

The Board of Trustees
Oregon State University Foundation:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Oregon State University Foundation, which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, and the related consolidated statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements 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 entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Oregon State University Foundation as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, and the changes in their net assets and their cash flows for the years then ended, in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

KPMG LLP

Portland, Oregon
October 2, 2017

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Consolidated Statements of Financial Position

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Assets	2017	2016
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 16,778,505	4,494,031
Investments (including assets held for Oregon State University of \$46,046,288 and \$42,475,685, respectively)	618,712,754	573,245,687
Pledges receivable, net	43,263,403	49,081,351
Property and equipment, net	6,051,800	4,824,448
Assets held-for-sale	4,758,627	4,298,827
Assets held under split-interest agreements	54,382,224	52,233,094
Charitable trusts held outside the Foundation	13,480,258	15,706,051
Other assets	2,465,038	2,913,029
Total assets	\$ 759,892,609	706,796,518
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Liabilities:		
Obligations under split-interest agreements	\$ 23,315,087	23,716,178
Endowment assets held for Oregon State University	46,046,288	42,475,685
Other liabilities	12,030,027	7,097,405
Total liabilities	81,391,402	73,289,268
Net assets:		
Unrestricted:		
Other	17,693,505	16,968,414
Underwater endowments	(16,673,529)	(31,004,778)
Total unrestricted	1,019,976	(14,036,364)
Temporarily restricted	278,127,668	262,733,836
Permanently restricted	399,353,563	384,809,778
Total net assets	678,501,207	633,507,250
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 759,892,609	706,796,518

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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Consolidated Statement of Activities

Year ended June 30, 2017

	Unrestricted	Temporarily restricted	Permanently restricted	Total
Revenue, gains, and other support:				
Contributions	\$ 895,156	43,800,601	12,309,336	57,005,093
Interest and dividends	3,656,420	9,533,666	128,606	13,318,692
Other	15,894,094	3,057,997	61,148	19,013,239
Net gains (losses) on investments	15,930,913	43,842,664	(112,748)	59,660,829
Change in value of charitable annuities and trusts	—	416,971	1,861,674	2,278,645
Net assets released from restrictions and other transfers	84,962,298	(85,258,067)	295,769	—
	121,338,881	15,393,832	14,543,785	151,276,498
Expenses:				
Direct university support	70,554,466	—	—	70,554,466
Investment expenses	11,892,061	—	—	11,892,061
Management, general, and development expenses	23,836,014	—	—	23,836,014
	106,282,541	—	—	106,282,541
Change in net assets	15,056,340	15,393,832	14,543,785	44,993,957
Net assets, beginning of year	(14,036,364)	262,733,836	384,809,778	633,507,250
Net assets, end of year	\$ 1,019,976	278,127,668	399,353,563	678,501,207

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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Year ended June 30, 2016

	Unrestricted	Temporarily restricted	Permanently restricted	Total
Revenue, gains, and other support:				
Contributions	\$ 1,046,051	63,842,932	11,510,884	76,399,867
Interest and dividends	3,188,793	10,305,307	130,205	13,624,305
Other	15,546,067	7,498,165	149,431	23,193,663
Net (losses) gains on investments	(12,671,583)	72,743	(51,915)	(12,650,755)
Change in value of charitable annuities and trusts	—	(116,662)	(1,152,363)	(1,269,025)
Net assets released from restrictions and other transfers	73,285,801	(74,292,066)	1,006,265	—
	80,395,129	7,310,419	11,592,507	99,298,055
Expenses:				
Direct university support	64,035,134	—	—	64,035,134
Investment expenses	9,923,249	—	—	9,923,249
Management, general, and development expenses	21,559,193	—	—	21,559,193
	95,517,576	—	—	95,517,576
Change in net assets	(15,122,447)	7,310,419	11,592,507	3,780,479
Net assets, beginning of year	1,086,083	255,423,417	373,217,271	629,726,771
Net assets, end of year	\$ (14,036,364)	262,733,836	384,809,778	633,507,250

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Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

Years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Change in net assets	\$ 44,993,957	3,780,479
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash (used in) provided by operating activities:		
(Gain) or loss on investments	(59,660,829)	12,650,755
Noncash contributions	(9,164,942)	(15,059,679)
Proceeds from sale of noncash contributions	7,540,552	11,776,918
Investment earnings (losses) on charitable gift annuity and remainder trust agreements	(1,224,271)	5,402,600
Depreciation	526,335	318,766
Provision for unfulfilled pledges, net	(47,071)	(37,348)
Change in cash surrender value of life insurance	(42,378)	48,699
Net change in value of charitable gift annuities and trusts	1,814,631	(459,517)
Contributions restricted for permanent endowments	(12,309,336)	(11,510,884)
(Increase) decrease in cash due to changes in assets and liabilities:		
Charitable trusts held outside the Foundation	3,062,676	(499,411)
Endowment assets held for Oregon State University	3,570,603	30,785,552
Pledges receivable	11,059,974	9,813,031
Other assets	490,369	(897,386)
Other liabilities	5,518	(5,185,462)
Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities	(9,384,212)	40,927,113
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Proceeds from sale of investments	397,961,290	73,317,809
Purchase of investments	(388,931,013)	(123,330,170)
Change in note receivable from sale of investments	220,498	404,779
Proceeds from disposal of property, equipment, and assets held-for-sale	18,000	463,163
Purchase of property, equipment, and assets held-for-sale	(1,753,687)	(1,170,593)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	7,515,088	(50,315,012)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Additions to charitable gift annuity and remainder trust agreements	266,500	552,500
Payments on charitable gift annuity and remainder trust agreements	(3,349,342)	(3,945,466)
Contributions and income restricted for permanent endowments	12,309,336	11,510,884
Change in overdrafts payable	4,927,104	—
Net cash provided by financing activities	14,153,598	8,117,918
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	12,284,474	(1,269,981)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	4,494,031	5,764,012
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	\$ 16,778,505	4,494,031
Supplemental schedule of noncash investing and financing activities:		
Receipt of securities transferred from Oregon State University	\$ —	11,690,133

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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(1) Description of Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) General

The Oregon State University Foundation (the Foundation) was incorporated in 1947 to encourage, receive, and administer gifts and bequests for the support of Oregon State University (the University). The Foundation is governed by a Board of Trustees with a membership of 42 at June 30, 2017.

During 1999, the Foundation implemented an agreement with the University to assume all fundraising responsibilities for the University. As a result, the Foundation has added to its investment management and fiduciary responsibilities those fundraising and related services, such as marketing, donor relations, and stewardship.

The Foundation is an organization exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3), 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(a)(iv) of the Internal Revenue Code and is generally not subject to federal or state income taxes. However, the Foundation is subject to income taxes on any net income that is derived from a trade or business, regularly carried on, and not in furtherance of the purposes for which it was granted exemption. No income tax provision has been recorded as the net income, if any, from any unrelated trade or business, in the opinion of management, is not material to the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole.

(b) Basis of Accounting

The consolidated financial statements of the Foundation have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

(c) Basis of Presentation and Principles of Consolidation

The financial statements of the Foundation and operating affiliates and associates have been consolidated and all significant intercompany amounts and transactions have been eliminated. The operating affiliates and associates consist of the Our Beaver Nation Fund, Oregon 4-H Foundation, Trysting Tree Golf Club, Inc., 4238 Research Way, LLC, and 4500 Research Way, LLC.

In the accompanying consolidated financial statements, net assets that have similar characteristics have been combined into similar categories as follows:

- *Permanently Restricted* – Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that they be maintained permanently by the Foundation. Such assets consist primarily of the Foundation's permanent endowment funds. Generally, the donors of these assets permit the Foundation's use of all or part of the investment return on these assets.
- *Temporarily Restricted* – Net assets whose use by the Foundation is subject to donor-imposed stipulations that can be fulfilled by actions of the Foundation pursuant to those stipulations or that expire with the passage of time.
- *Unrestricted* – Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations. Unrestricted net assets may be designated for specific purposes, such as board-designated or quasi-endowments, by action of the Board of Trustees or may otherwise be limited by contractual agreements with outside parties. Unless otherwise designated, unrestricted net assets are used for the support of university programs.

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Revenue is reported as increases in unrestricted net assets unless their use is limited by donor-imposed restrictions. Expenses are generally reported as decreases in unrestricted net assets. Expirations of donor-imposed stipulations are reported as net assets released from restrictions.

(d) Contributions and Pledges

Contributions, including unconditional pledges, are recognized as revenue in the period received. Unconditional pledges that extend beyond one year are recorded at present value, which approximates fair value, and an allowance for doubtful accounts is established based on the prior collection history of pledged contributions. Conditional pledges are not recognized until they become unconditional; that is, when the donor-imposed conditions are substantially met. Contributions of assets other than cash are recorded at their estimated fair value on the date of gift.

All contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Amounts received that are designated for future periods or restricted by the donor for specific purposes are reported as temporarily restricted or permanently restricted support that increases those net asset classes. When a temporary restriction expires, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the consolidated statements of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

(e) Investments

Investments are in marketable debt and equity securities, collateralized mortgage obligations, mutual funds, and investments in partnerships, and are stated at fair value. Real estate is recorded at fair value on the date of the gift. Mortgage notes and contracts are initially recorded at face value and are collateralized by the associated real estate. Interest on mortgage notes receivable is recognized when earned. Mortgage notes and contracts are reviewed annually to assess credit risks. Uncollectible notes are written off upon approval of the Board of Trustees. As of June 30, 2017 and 2016, no mortgage notes or contracts were deemed to be uncollectible; therefore, no allowance for doubtful accounts was established.

Net gains and losses on investments include realized and unrealized gains and losses. Realized gains and losses from the sale of investments are computed based on the difference between the proceeds received and the carrying value of the asset. Unrealized gains and losses result from changes in the fair value of investments.

(f) Pooled Investment Program

The Foundation places certain investments with investment managers who invest the funds in an investment pool (Pooled Investment Program). Investment income and realized gains and losses on these pooled assets are allocated to the participating endowment funds. Each endowment fund is assigned a percentage of its prorated value to the fair value of all assets at the time of entry into or liquidation from the pool.

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(g) Charitable Trusts Held Outside the Foundation

Charitable trusts held outside the Foundation are trusts established and administered by a donor or a third party. These trusts may be a lead, remainder, or perpetual trust. Charitable lead trusts are trusts established and funded by donors that provide distributions to the Foundation over a specified period. Lead trusts are measured at the present value of the future distributions expected to be received by the Foundation. The Foundation is also the recipient for charitable remainder trusts. Upon termination of a charitable remainder trust, the assets of the trust are transferred to the Foundation. These trusts are measured at their fair value. Perpetual trusts provide the Foundation the right, in perpetuity, to the income earned on the assets of the trust. The Foundation's beneficial interest in a perpetual trust is measured at fair value. Donors may restrict the use of lead, remainder, and perpetual trust contributions.

(h) Property, Equipment, and Assets Held-for-Sale

Real property, equipment, and assets held-for-sale are recorded at cost except for donated assets, which are recorded at fair value on the date of donation. Depreciation is computed for purchased operating equipment of the Foundation based on the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the related assets of 3 to 7 years. Real property and equipment held-for-sale or held-for-transfer to the University are not depreciated.

The property and equipment held by the Trysting Tree Golf Club, Inc., 4238 Research Way, LLC, and 4500 Research Way, LLC are depreciated over the estimated useful lives of the related assets.

Management reviews the carrying value of capitalized assets whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value of an asset group may not be recoverable. This review considers, among other factors, (1) the net realizable value of each major classification of assets, (2) the cash flow associated with the asset, and (3) significant changes in the extent or manner in which major assets are used. Management believes the carrying value of assets is less than the estimated fair value.

Realized gains and losses from the sale or disposal of real property, equipment, and other assets are computed based on the difference between the proceeds received and the net carrying value of the asset.

(i) Assets Held under Split-Interest Agreements

Charitable gift annuity and remainder trust agreements require periodic payment of either the income earned or a fixed percentage of the assets to designated beneficiaries and terminate either at a specific time or upon the death of the designated individual. A liability for each gift annuity and remainder trust, where the Foundation is a trustee, is established and calculated as the present value of future payments to be made to the designated beneficiaries. Upon termination, the remaining assets of the annuity or remainder trust are then available for use by the Foundation to be used in accordance with the donor's intent. The Foundation uses an actuarial approach to determine both the contribution and liability amounts to be recognized. For gift annuities and remainder trusts entered into by the Foundation during the year ended June 30, 2017, the discount rate varied between 1.8% and 2.2%; during the year ended June 30, 2016, the discount rate varied between 2.0% and 2.2%. The discount rate varied between 1.2% and 10.6% for the Foundation's entire portfolio of gift annuities and remainder trusts at June 30, 2017 and 2016.

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(j) Other Liabilities

Other liabilities consist of accrued reimbursements payable to the University and payroll and related liabilities and other accrued operational expenses of the Foundation.

(k) Fundraising Costs

Fundraising costs totaled approximately \$15,633,509 and \$14,075,417 for the years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively, and are included in management, general, and development expenses in the consolidated statements of activities.

(l) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

(m) Recently Issued Accounting Standards

In May 2015, the FASB adopted ASU 2015-07, *Disclosures for Investments in Certain Entities That Calculate Net Asset Value per Share (or Its Equivalent)*. This standard eliminates the requirements to categorize investments in the fair value hierarchy if their fair value is measured at net asset value (NAV) per share (or its equivalent) using the practical expedient in FASB's fair value measurement guidance. The Foundation is currently evaluating the impact of ASU 2015-07, which is effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017.

In August 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-14, *Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Entities*, to reduce diversity in reporting practice, reduce complexity, and enhance understandability of Not-for-Profit financial statements. This ASU contains the following key aspects: (A) Reduces the number of net asset classes presented from three to two: *with donor restrictions and without donor restrictions*; (B) Requires all NFPs to present expenses by their functional *and* their natural classifications in one location in the financial statements; (C) Requires NFPs to provide quantitative and qualitative information about management of liquid resources and availability of financial assets to meet cash needs within one year of the balance sheet date; and (D) Retains the option to present operating cash flows in the statement of cash flows using either the direct or indirect method. The Foundation is currently evaluating the impact of ASU 2016-14, including the methods of implementation, which is effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018.

In May 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued ASC 606, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers*. ASC 606 provides a new, single comprehensive model for entities to use in accounting for revenue arising from contracts with customers and supersedes most current revenue recognition guidance, including industry-specific guidance. The Foundation is currently evaluating the impact of ASC 606, including the methods of implementation, which is effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019.

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(2) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents, with original maturities of 90 days or less when purchased, consist of the following at June 30:

	2017	2016
Cash in interest-bearing accounts	\$ 16,726,520	4,457,557
Commercial paper	51,985	36,474
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$ 16,778,505	4,494,031

The Foundation, on occasion, has short-term investments of cash, which may exceed depository insurance limits. The Foundation makes such investments with high credit quality entities and has not incurred any credit-related losses.

(3) Investments

At June 30, 2017 and 2016, the fair and cost values of investments were as follows:

	2017		2016	
	Fair value	Cost or amortized cost	Fair value	Cost or amortized cost
Marketable securities:				
Mutual funds:				
Large cap domestic equities	\$ —	—	22,827,763	20,607,916
Large cap international equities	—	—	70,423,741	70,099,844
Large cap blend	24,091,102	20,908,337	62,985,134	49,191,343
Natural resources	1,106,567	999,948	29,960,575	33,293,851
Intermediate term bonds	23,808,766	23,954,599	50,490,558	49,282,928
High yield bonds	8,929,585	9,165,437	8,750,844	9,401,037
Nontraditional bonds	13,469,434	13,493,395	18,753,082	19,762,169
World bond	4,659,533	4,580,912	—	—
Inflation-protected bond	986,954	1,000,089	—	—
Direct equity holdings:				
Large cap	40,552,615	33,314,741	22,385,180	20,051,029
Other investments:				
Commingled funds:				
Global bonds	46,840,152	49,137,518	53,196,601	56,700,771
International equity	185,840,681	158,299,235	40,574,888	38,137,058
Limited partnerships:				
Hedge funds	90,348,418	78,096,804	80,892,036	70,533,031
Private equity	113,057,486	104,776,010	44,168,934	39,809,582
Real assets	14,723,903	14,407,281	29,090,529	27,832,597
Master limited partnership	11,377,624	11,762,110	13,603,324	13,646,633

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	2017		2016	
	Fair value	Cost or amortized cost	Fair value	Cost or amortized cost
Investment receivable	\$ 7,966,631	7,966,631	—	—
Investment income receivable	218,524	218,524	192,946	192,946
Real estate held for investment	20,643,954	19,501,508	14,939,655	13,797,210
Other	10,090,825	9,697,377	10,009,897	9,886,732
Total investments	<u>\$ 618,712,754</u>	<u>561,280,456</u>	<u>573,245,687</u>	<u>542,226,677</u>

At June 30, 2017 and 2016, the Foundation had \$422,216,672 and \$269,404,023, respectively, in investments with underlying investments that are not readily marketable. These investments, which the Foundation refers to as alternative investments, include diversified arbitrage, distressed and mezzanine debt, real estate, and private equity. Such investments represent approximately 68% and 47% of the total investments and approximately 62% and 43% of net assets at June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively. These investment instruments may contain elements of both credit and market risk. Such risks include, but are not limited to, limited liquidity, absence of regulatory oversight, dependence upon key individuals, emphasis on speculative investments (both derivatives and nonmarketable investments), and nondisclosure of full portfolio composition. Because these investments are not readily marketable, their estimated values are subject to uncertainty and, therefore, may differ from the value that would have been used had a ready market for such investments existed. Such differences could be significant.

The following schedule summarizes the investment return and its presentation in the consolidated statements of activities at June 30, 2017 and 2016:

	2017	2016
Interest and dividends	\$ 13,318,692	13,624,305
Net realized gains	33,247,541	7,138,902
Net unrealized losses	<u>26,413,288</u>	<u>(19,789,657)</u>
Total net realized/unrealized loss	<u>59,660,829</u>	<u>(12,650,755)</u>
Total gain (loss) on investments, net	<u>\$ 72,979,521</u>	<u>973,550</u>

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(4) Endowment and Quasi-Endowment Funds

The Foundation's endowment pool at June 30, 2017 and 2016 consists of 2,176 and 2,121 individual funds established for a variety of purposes, respectively. The Foundation's endowment includes contributed funds to be maintained in perpetuity, donor-restricted funds contributed for a specific purpose or term, and funds designated by the Board of Trustees to function as endowments. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, net assets associated with endowment funds are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

(a) Board Interpretation of Relevant Law

The Board of Trustees of the Foundation has interpreted the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (UPMIFA) as requiring the preservation of the fair value of the original gift as of the gift date of the donor-restricted endowment funds absent explicit donor stipulations to the contrary. As a result of this interpretation, the Foundation classifies as permanently restricted net assets (a) the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the permanent endowment, and (c) accumulations to the permanent endowment made in accordance with the direction of the applicable donor gift instrument at the time the accumulation is added to the fund. The remaining portion of the donor-restricted endowment fund that is not classified in permanently restricted net assets is classified as temporarily restricted net assets until those amounts are appropriated for expenditure by the Foundation in a manner consistent with the standard of prudence prescribed by UPMIFA. In accordance with UPMIFA, the Foundation considers the following factors in making a determination to appropriate or accumulate donor-restricted endowment funds:

- a. The duration and preservation of the fund
- b. The purposes of the Foundation and the donor-restricted endowment fund
- c. General economic conditions
- d. The possible effect of inflation and deflation
- e. The expected total return from income and the appreciation of investments
- f. Other resources of the Foundation
- g. The investment policies of the Foundation

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Endowments by net asset classification by type of fund as of June 30, 2017 are as follows:

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily restricted</u>	<u>Permanently restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Donor-restricted endowment funds	\$ (16,673,529)	161,475,245	359,975,526	504,777,242
Board-designated endowment funds	28,581,938	—	—	28,581,938
Assets held under split-interest agreements	—	—	25,588,741	25,588,741
Charitable trusts held outside the Foundation	—	—	9,886,771	9,886,771
Nonpooled investments	—	—	3,902,525	3,902,525
Total endowment funds	\$ <u>11,908,409</u>	<u>161,475,245</u>	<u>399,353,563</u>	<u>572,737,217</u>

Endowments by net asset classification by type of fund as of June 30, 2016 are as follows:

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily restricted</u>	<u>Permanently restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Donor-restricted endowment funds	\$ (31,004,778)	134,294,484	344,554,130	447,843,836
Board-designated endowment funds	26,425,981	—	—	26,425,981
Assets held under split-interest agreements	—	—	23,313,181	23,313,181
Charitable trusts held outside the Foundation	—	—	8,787,368	8,787,368
Nonpooled investments	—	—	8,155,099	8,155,099
Total endowment funds	\$ <u>(4,578,797)</u>	<u>134,294,484</u>	<u>384,809,778</u>	<u>514,525,465</u>

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Changes in endowments by net asset classification for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016 are as follows:

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily restricted</u>	<u>Permanently restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Endowment net assets, end of the year, June 30, 2015	\$ 10,938,654	150,651,500	373,217,271	534,807,425
Investment return:				
Interest and dividends	—	10,237,738	130,205	10,367,943
Realized and unrealized gains (losses)	(15,519,873)	2,386,562	(51,915)	(13,185,226)
Contributions	779,160	6,210,944	11,510,884	18,500,988
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	(1,167)	(30,118,547)	—	(30,119,714)
Change in value of assets held under split-interest agreements	—	—	(1,152,363)	(1,152,363)
Other changes	(775,571)	(5,073,713)	1,155,696	(4,693,588)
Endowment net assets, end of the year, June 30, 2016	(4,578,797)	134,294,484	384,809,778	514,525,465
Investment return:				
Interest and dividends	—	9,399,452	128,606	9,528,058
Realized and unrealized gains (losses)	16,486,968	41,601,035	(112,748)	57,975,255
Contributions	71,613	7,959,284	12,309,336	20,340,233
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	(315)	(31,383,468)	—	(31,383,783)
Change in value of assets held under split-interest agreements	—	—	1,861,674	1,861,674
Other changes	(71,060)	(395,542)	356,917	(109,685)
Endowment net assets, end of the year, June 30, 2017	\$ <u>11,908,409</u>	<u>161,475,245</u>	<u>399,353,563</u>	<u>572,737,217</u>

Permanently restricted net assets of the Foundation comprise primarily donor-restricted endowment funds. The funds are consolidated under the Pooled Investment Program. In addition to these funds, permanently restricted net assets contain charitable gift annuities and remainder trusts, where the Foundation is the trustee. At the point that these annuities and remainder trusts terminate, the proceeds realized will be transferred to the Pooled Investment Program. Donors may also donate to the Foundation physical assets, such as property or funds held in trust outside the Foundation, for permanently restricted purposes. The Foundation categorizes these assets as nonpooled investments. At the point proceeds are realized from these assets held outside the Foundation, they are transferred either to the Pooled Investment Program or a specific program as designated by the donor.

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(b) Pooled Endowment Funds with Deficiencies (Underwater)

From time to time, the fair value of assets associated with individual donor-restricted endowment funds may fall below the level that the donor or UPMIFA requires the Foundation to retain as a fund of perpetual duration. As a result of the unfavorable financial market conditions over the past several years, the fair value of certain endowment assets was less than the related donor-restricted amounts. These deficiencies were determined to be \$16,673,529 and \$31,004,778 as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively. The reporting of such deficiencies as a reduction of Foundation-controlled unrestricted net assets does not legally create an affirmative obligation of the Foundation to restore the fair value of those funds from Foundation-controlled unrestricted assets.

(c) Return Objectives and Risk Parameters

The Foundation has adopted investment and spending policies for pooled endowment assets that attempt to provide a predictable stream of funding to programs supported by its endowment while seeking to maintain the purchasing power of endowment assets. Endowment assets include those assets of donor-restricted funds that the organization must hold in perpetuity or for a donor-specified period, as well as board-designated funds. Under this policy, as approved by the Board of Trustees, the endowment assets are invested in a manner that is intended to produce above-average, long-term total returns as measured against specific indexes within each investment asset allocation.

(d) Strategies Employed for Achieving Objectives

To satisfy its long-term rate-of-return objectives, the Foundation relies on a total return strategy in which investment returns are achieved through both capital appreciation (realized and unrealized) and current yield (interest and dividends). The Foundation targets a diversified asset allocation that places a greater emphasis monetarily on equity-based investments to achieve its long-term return objectives within prudent risk constraints.

(e) Pooled Investment Program Spending Policy and How the Investment Objectives Relate to Spending Policy

The Foundation has a policy of appropriating for distribution each year 4.5% of its pooled endowment fund's average fair value over the prior 12 quarters through the quarter-end that precedes the quarter in which the distribution occurs. In establishing this policy, the Foundation considered the long-term expected return on its endowment and its objective to maintain the purchasing power of the endowment assets held in perpetuity or for a specified term, as well as to provide additional real growth through new gifts and investment returns. Spending distributions are monitored and potentially limited for individual endowment accounts if the fair value of that account is less than the corpus.

(5) Fair Value Measurements

Investments are reported at estimated fair value as determined by the Foundation, based upon a fair value hierarchy, which prioritizes the input techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to Level 1 measurements and the lowest priority to Level 3 measurements:

Level 1 – Inputs that reflect unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Foundation has the ability to access at the measurement date.

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Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly, including inputs in markets that are not considered to be active.

Level 3 – Inputs that are unobservable.

Inputs are used in applying valuation techniques and broadly refer to the assumptions that market participants use to make valuation decisions, including assumptions about risk. In addition to the underlying reported net asset values (NAV), which generally serve as the primary valuation input, other inputs may include liquidity factors and broad credit data. An investment's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

Specific investments in the Foundation's portfolio have been classified within Level 3 as their values are based on unobservable inputs and they trade infrequently or not at all. When observable prices are not available for these investments, the Foundation primarily uses the NAV as provided by the investment portfolio manager to estimate the fair value of such Level 3 instruments. In addition, where no NAV is available for specific investments, the market approach or the income approach is used to estimate the fair value of such Level 3 instruments. Within Level 3, the use of the market approach generally consists of using comparable market transactions, while the use of the income approach generally consists of net present value of estimated future cash flows, adjusted as appropriate for market and/or other risk factors.

The following table presents the investments included on the consolidated statements of financial position by levels within valuation hierarchy as of June 30, 2017:

	Assets at fair value as of June 30, 2017			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Pooled Investment Program	\$ 138,763,867	11,377,624	372,955,775	523,097,266
Assets held under split-interest agreements	53,335,173	—	1,047,051	54,382,224
Charitable trusts held outside the Foundation	—	—	13,480,258	13,480,258
Investment property	—	—	20,643,954	20,643,954
Mortgages and contracts	—	—	6,125,429	6,125,429
Other nonpooled investments	46,354,590	—	22,491,515	68,846,105
Total nonpooled investments	46,354,590	—	62,741,156	109,095,746
Total investments	\$ 238,453,630	11,377,624	436,743,982	686,575,236

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The following table presents the investments included on the consolidated statements of financial position by levels within valuation hierarchy as of June 30, 2016:

	Assets at fair value as of June 30, 2016			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Pooled Investment Program	\$ 232,160,321	13,603,324	226,632,779	472,396,424
Assets held under split-interest agreements	51,186,043	—	1,047,051	52,233,094
Charitable trusts held outside the Foundation	—	—	15,706,051	15,706,051
Investment property	—	—	14,939,655	14,939,655
Mortgages and contracts	—	—	6,357,380	6,357,380
Other nonpooled investments	58,078,019	—	21,474,209	79,552,228
Total nonpooled investments	58,078,019	—	58,477,295	116,555,314
Total investments	\$ 341,424,383	13,603,324	286,157,125	641,184,832

Charitable trusts held outside the Foundation are carried on the consolidated statements of financial position and are measured at fair value using Level 3 unobservable inputs.

The following table presents a rollforward of the amounts for the year ended June 30, 2017 for the investments classified within Level 3:

Investments of the Foundation:	
Balance at June 30, 2016	\$ 286,157,125
Purchases/issuances	236,147,436
Sales/settlements	(114,826,586)
Total net gains for the period	29,266,006
Balance at June 30, 2017	\$ 436,743,981

The following table presents a rollforward of the amounts for the year ended June 30, 2016 for the investments classified within Level 3:

Investments of the Foundation:	
Balance at June 30, 2015	\$ 254,768,166
Purchases/issuances	43,499,322
Sales/settlements	(7,708,117)
Total net losses for the period	(4,402,246)
Balance at June 30, 2016	\$ 286,157,125

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The following table presents information for investments where the NAV was used as a practical expedient to measure fair value at June 30, 2017 and 2016:

	Fair value		Redemption frequency	Redemption notice period
	2017	2016		
Commingled funds	\$ 165,269,396	93,771,489	Daily—quarterly	6—90 Days
Limited partnerships	168,902,470	111,433,410	Daily—biennially	2—180 Days

The Foundation holds investments in private equity and real estate limited partnerships, where NAV was used as a practical expedient to measure fair value at June 30, 2017 and 2016. These partnerships do not allow for periodic redemptions, but rather liquidate upon the termination date as stated in the partnership agreement. At June 30, 2017, \$53,709,509 of private equity limited partnerships and \$14,723,903 of real asset partnerships had termination dates that ranged from 2017 to 2027. At June 30, 2016, \$44,168,934 of private equity limited partnerships and \$12,152,479 of real asset partnerships had termination dates that ranged from 2016 to 2027.

(6) Pledges Receivable

Unconditional promises are included in the consolidated financial statements as pledges receivable and revenue in the appropriate net asset category. The allowance for uncollectible pledges is charged to net assets in an amount sufficient to maintain the allowance for losses at a level considered adequate to cover estimated credit losses. Pledges are considered past due if payment is not received by the date due. Annual giving pledges are charged off upon the start of the subsequent year's campaign; the need for all other pledges is determined on a case-by-case basis.

Pledges receivable due in excess of one year are discounted between 0.67% and 6.69% depending upon the year and month the pledge receivable was recorded. The discounts on these accounts are computed using the five-year U.S. Treasury Securities interest rate applicable to the year and month in which the pledge is initially received. The schedule of payments at June 30, 2017 and 2016 is as follows:

	2017	2016
In one year or less	\$ 18,378,251	17,856,430
Between one year and five years	24,048,024	29,762,312
More than five years	2,984,750	3,784,200
Total	45,411,025	51,402,942
Less:		
Allowance for uncollectible amounts	(615,994)	(413,065)
Discount to present value of future cash flows	(1,531,628)	(1,908,526)
Total reductions	(2,147,622)	(2,321,591)
Total pledges receivable, net	\$ 43,263,403	49,081,351

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(7) Property and Equipment

Property and equipment consist of the following at June 30:

	2017	2016
Operating assets:		
Land and structures	\$ 8,432,970	6,976,848
Equipment and other	1,667,678	1,690,324
	10,100,648	8,667,172
Less accumulated depreciation	(4,048,848)	(3,842,724)
Total property and equipment, net	\$ 6,051,800	4,824,448
Nonoperating assets:		
Land, structures, and timber held-for-sale	\$ 4,758,627	4,298,827
Total assets held-for-sale	\$ 4,758,627	4,298,827

Depreciation was \$526,335 and \$318,766 for the years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

(8) Lease Commitments

Leases as lessee:

The Foundation leases office space, event space, and land under noncancelable operating leases expiring through October 2038. The Foundation has the option to renew certain leases at various terms and amounts. Future minimum lease payments under these leases are as follows:

Year ending June 30:		
2018	\$	631,168
2019		632,189
2020		295,105
2021		283,587
2022		8,000
Thereafter		128,000
Total lease commitments	\$	1,978,049

Total rent expense amounted to approximately \$596,000 and \$568,000 for the years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively, which is included in either Direct University Support or management, general, and development expense depending on the intended use.

(9) Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

Temporarily restricted net assets are restricted primarily for departmental programs and activities, including capital projects. Charitable gift annuities and remainder trusts may also be temporarily restricted. These

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assets are subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may be or will be met either by the Foundation and/or the passage of time.

Temporarily restricted net assets at June 30, 2017 and 2016 are available for the following:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Facilities and equipment	\$ 23,547,097	31,165,723
Academic program support	105,011,694	101,758,549
Instruction and research	73,923,334	66,296,192
Student aid	<u>65,415,515</u>	<u>54,348,396</u>
Total University-controlled activities	267,897,640	253,568,860
Foundation-controlled activities	<u>10,230,028</u>	<u>9,164,976</u>
Total	<u>\$ 278,127,668</u>	<u>262,733,836</u>

(10) Permanently Restricted Net Assets

Permanently restricted net assets are primarily restricted for endowments, charitable gift annuities, and remainder trusts. These net assets are subject to donor-imposed stipulations that they be maintained permanently by the Foundation. Generally, the donors of these assets permit the Foundation to use all or part of the income earned on related investments for general or specific purposes, such as scholarships or professorships.

Permanently restricted net assets at June 30, 2017 and 2016 are available for the following:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Facilities and equipment	\$ 3,926,786	3,352,459
Academic program support	94,621,277	92,090,745
Instruction and research	135,392,096	131,700,956
Student aid	<u>160,669,557</u>	<u>152,899,358</u>
Total University-controlled activities	394,609,716	380,043,518
Foundation-controlled activities	<u>4,743,847</u>	<u>4,766,260</u>
Total	<u>\$ 399,353,563</u>	<u>384,809,778</u>

(11) Retirement Plan

Employees of the Foundation participate in a money purchase retirement plan covering substantially all employees with at least one year of service, and vest generally after four years of service. The Foundation is obligated to contribute 17% of all eligible employees' salaries, including the six-month period prior to eligibility, up to federal limits. The Foundation's contributions to the employee-directed accounts amounted to approximately \$1,787,000 and \$1,706,000 for the years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

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(12) Assets Held under Split-Interest Agreements

The Foundation receives certain planned gift donations in the form of charitable gift annuities and remainder trusts. A charitable gift annuity is an arrangement between a donor and the Foundation in which the assets contributed by the donor are provided in exchange for a promise by the Foundation to pay a fixed amount for a period of time to the donor or designated beneficiary. Upon completion of the agreed term (usually the beneficiary's death), the remaining value of the gift annuity reverts to the Foundation to be used in accordance with the original annuity agreement.

The Foundation is also a remainderman and trustee to certain charitable remainder trusts. Assets contributed are established in a trust and invested. During the term of the trust, distributions are made to a designated beneficiary or beneficiaries. Upon the death of the beneficiary, the remaining assets revert to the Foundation to be used according to the donor's wishes.

At June 30, 2017 and 2016, the fair value and cost of assets held under split-interest agreements were as follows:

	2017		2016	
	Fair value	Cost	Fair value	Cost
Gift annuities:				
Mutual funds:				
Small cap	\$ 494,749	239,235	472,950	265,792
Large cap	3,969,603	2,846,971	3,790,087	3,122,971
International	1,857,787	1,661,199	1,658,104	1,722,823
Real estate	1,802,624	1,695,606	1,772,410	1,584,794
High-quality/intermediate bonds	4,538,431	4,622,755	4,412,991	4,441,965
Mid-quality/intermediate bonds	1,320,680	1,302,267	1,247,099	1,286,657
Total gift annuities	<u>13,983,874</u>	<u>12,368,033</u>	<u>13,353,641</u>	<u>12,425,002</u>
Remainder trusts:				
Mutual funds:				
Small cap	2,177,204	1,327,456	2,063,317	1,417,982
Large cap	10,792,005	7,790,596	10,075,306	8,365,284
International	5,012,676	4,688,248	4,376,525	4,782,134
Real estate	4,901,277	4,728,436	4,773,885	4,357,470
High-quality/intermediate bonds	12,863,467	12,732,468	12,958,763	12,639,776
Mid-quality/intermediate bonds	3,604,670	3,563,785	3,584,607	3,684,548
Other	1,047,051	1,047,051	1,047,050	1,047,051
Total remainder trusts	<u>40,398,350</u>	<u>35,878,040</u>	<u>38,879,453</u>	<u>36,294,245</u>
Total gift annuities and remainder trusts	<u>\$ 54,382,224</u>	<u>48,246,073</u>	<u>52,233,094</u>	<u>48,719,247</u>

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Obligations to beneficiaries under split-interest agreements at June 30, 2017 and 2016 are as follows:

	2017	2016
Gift annuities	\$ 6,485,775	6,698,464
Remainder trusts	16,829,312	17,017,714
Total obligations under charitable gift annuities and remainder trusts	\$ 23,315,087	23,716,178

(13) Other Liabilities

Other liabilities consist of the following at June 30, 2017 and 2016:

	2017	2016
Accounts payables	\$ 616,023	269,993
Overdrafts payable	4,927,104	—
Accrued expenses	3,890,121	4,225,949
Accrued payroll and related liabilities	1,824,041	1,831,663
Other Foundation operational expenses	772,738	769,800
Total other liabilities	\$ 12,030,027	7,097,405

(14) Commitments

During the year ended June 30, 2002, the Foundation entered into a commitment to invest \$10,000,000 into domestic and international private equity partnerships. The Foundation has continued to make investments in similar vehicles since that time. As of June 30, 2017 and 2016, a total of \$90,274,226 and \$76,384,527, respectively, has been invested and commitments in the amount of \$30,518,784 and \$48,408,483, respectively, are still outstanding. The remaining funds will be invested as calls are made by the partnerships. The Foundation has invested the remaining portion of the commitments, until required, in corporate obligations and marketable securities.

(15) Related Party

The University is a related party of the Foundation. During the years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016, the Foundation recorded \$15,683,580 and \$15,357,434, respectively, as other revenue for fundraising, investment management, and other related services performed for the University.

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Direct University Support, included in expenses, consisted of the following for the years ended June 30:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Awards and scholarships	\$ 9,750,940	9,532,736
Capital programs	20,126,772	15,765,670
Instruction and research support	5,661,952	5,305,133
Other program support	21,498,988	21,445,030
Development support	<u>13,515,814</u>	<u>11,986,565</u>
Total Direct University Support	<u>\$ 70,554,466</u>	<u>64,035,134</u>

The amount payable or "due to" the University, including amounts in accrued expenses, totaled \$3,907,837 and \$4,018,803 as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

(16) Subsequent Events

The Foundation has evaluated subsequent events and transactions that occurred after June 30, 2017 through October 2, 2017, the date the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued.

To strengthen services for alumni and friends and deepen their connection in support of Oregon State University, the Oregon State University Alumni Association's board of directors voted unanimously to pursue strategic alignment with the OSU Foundation. On January 27, 2017 the members of the Oregon State University Alumni Association voted to approve the Oregon State University Foundation becoming the sole member of the Alumni Association as of July 1, 2017. The Alumni Association will maintain its separate Board of Directors who will be approved by the Board of Trustees of the Foundation. The Alumni Association will also maintain its existence as an independent Oregon nonprofit public benefit corporation and continue to hold separate tax exempt status. For financial statement purposes the activities will be consolidated with the Foundation effective July 1, 2017.