

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2016

Report Required by the Ethics
in Government Act of 1978
(5 U.S.C. app. §§ 101-111)

1. Person Reporting (last name, first, middle initial) Ashford, Tamara W.	2. Court or Organization United States Tax Court	3. Date of Report 11/03/2017
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Active Article I Judge	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☒ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2016 to 12/31/2016
7. Chambers or Office Address 400 Second Street, NW Washington, DC 20217		
IMPORTANT NOTES: The instructions accompanying this form must be followed. Complete all parts, checking the NONE box for each part where you have no reportable information.		

I. POSITIONS. (Reporting individual only; see pp. 9-13 of filing instructions.)

☐ NONE (No reportable positions.)

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY</u>
1. Officer-Director	SMASH Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Foundation
2. Member	Advisory Board, Don Cornelius Foundation
3.	
4.	
5.	

II. AGREEMENTS. (Reporting individual only; see pp. 14-16 of filing instructions.)

☒ NONE (No reportable agreements.)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>PARTIES AND TERMS</u>
1.	
2.	
3.	

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III. NON-INVESTMENT INCOME. *(Reporting individual and spouse; see pp. 17-24 of filing instructions.)***A. Filer's Non-Investment Income**NONE *(No reportable non-investment income.)*

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SOURCE AND TYPE</u>	<u>INCOME</u> (yours, not spouse's)
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		

B. Spouse's Non-Investment Income - *If you were married during any portion of the reporting year, complete this section.**(Dollar amount not required except for honoraria.)*NONE *(No reportable non-investment income.)*

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SOURCE AND TYPE</u>
1.	
2.	
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4.	

IV. REIMBURSEMENTS *— transportation, lodging, food, entertainment.**(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 25-27 of filing instructions.)*NONE *(No reportable reimbursements.)*

<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>	<u>ITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED</u>
1.				
2. Florida Tax Institute	March 30-31, 2016	Tampa, Florida	Annual conference of the Florida Tax Institute (speaker)	Travel expenses (airfare, lodging, transportation)
3. American Bar Association, Tax Section	December 6-9, 2016	Las Vegas, Nevada	ABA Annual National Institute on Criminal Tax Fraud and Tax Controversy (speaker)	Travel expenses (airfare, lodging, transportation, parking)
4.				
5.				

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V. GIFTS. *(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 28-31 of filing instructions.)*NONE *(No reportable gifts.)*

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE</u>
1.			
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VI. LIABILITIES. *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 32-33 of filing instructions.)*NONE *(No reportable liabilities.)*

	<u>CREDITOR</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE CODE</u>
1.	Delta Skymiles American Express	Credit Card	K
2.	Chase Bank United Mileage Visa	Credit Card	J
3.	Bank of America Mastercard	Credit Card	K
4.	Best Egg	Personal loan	K
5.			

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VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS -- income, value, transactions (Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 34-60 of filing instructions.)

☐ NONE (No reportable income, assets, or transactions.)

A. Description of Assets (including trust assets) Place "(X)" after each asset exempt from prior disclosure	B. Income during reporting period		C. Gross value at end of reporting period		D. Transactions during reporting period				
	(1) Amount Code 1 (A-H)	(2) Type (e.g., div., rent, or int.)	(1) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(2) Value Method Code 3 (Q-W)	(1) Type (e.g., buy, sell, redemption)	(2) Date mm/dd/yy	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
1. Bank of America -- cash accounts	A	Interest	J	T					
2. Merrill Lynch IRA (H)	C	Int./Div.	M	T					
3. --Bank of America NA Money account	A	Interest	J	T					
4. --JP Morgan Large Cap Growth Fund Class C	A	Dividend	J	T	Sold	12/30/16	J	D	
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1. Income Gain Codes: (See Columns B1 and D4)	A --\$1,000 or less F --\$50,001 - \$100,000	B --\$1,001 - \$2,500 G --\$100,001 - \$1,000,000	C --\$2,501 - \$5,000 H1 --\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	D --\$5,001 - \$15,000 H2 --More than \$5,000,000	E --\$15,001 - \$50,000
2. Value Codes (See Columns C1 and D3)	J --\$15,000 or less N --\$250,001 - \$500,000 P3 --\$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000	K --\$15,001 - \$50,000 O --\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	L --\$50,001 - \$100,000 P1 --\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000 P4 --More than \$50,000,000	M --\$100,001 - \$250,000 P2 --\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	
3. Value Method Codes (See Column C2)	Q --Appraisal U --Book Value	R --Cost (Real Estate Only) V --Other	S --Assessment W --Estimated	T --Cash Market	

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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS. *(Indicate part of report.)*

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IX. CERTIFICATION.

I certify that all information given above (including information pertaining to my spouse and minor or dependent children, if any) is accurate, true, and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that any information not reported was withheld because it met applicable statutory provisions permitting non-disclosure.

I further certify that earned income from outside employment and honoraria and the acceptance of gifts which have been reported are in compliance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. app. § 501 et. seq., 5 U.S.C. § 7353, and Judicial Conference regulations.

Signature: s/ **Tamara W. Ashford**

NOTE: ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILLFULLY FALSIFIES OR FAILS TO FILE THIS REPORT MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL AND CRIMINAL SANCTIONS (5 U.S.C. app. § 104)

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