



**THE ASSOCIATES
OF
THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, INC.**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 and 2014

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors and Members
The Associates of the University of Toronto, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Associates of the University of Toronto, Inc. (a New York not-for-profit membership corporation) which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2015 and 2014 and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. 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 financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing audit procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement in the 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 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 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 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 financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Associates of the University of Toronto, Inc. as of December 31, 2015 and 2014 and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Meyers & Capomaggi, LLC

Midland Park, New Jersey
June 16, 2016

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THE ASSOCIATES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, INC.
STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION
DECEMBER 31, 2015 and 2014

ASSETS	2015	2014
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,534,169	\$ 432,901
Contributions receivable	84	2,600
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Total Current Assets	1,534,253	435,501
Other Assets		
Collections	2,075	243,043
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,536,328	\$ 678,544
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LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Current Liabilities	\$ -	\$ -
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	1,535,328	677,544
Permanently restricted	1,000	1,000
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Total Net Assets	<u>1,536,328</u>	<u>678,544</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 1,536,328</u>	<u>\$ 678,544</u>

(See notes to financial statements.)

THE ASSOCIATES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, INC.
STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 and 2014

CHANGE IN UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS	2015	2014
Revenues		
Contributions		
Currency	\$ 1,840,154	\$ 720,342
Collections	2,075	243,043
Securities	110,643	111,764
Interest	622	673
Loss on sale of securities	(941)	(549)
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Total Unrestricted Revenues	<u>1,952,553</u>	<u>1,075,273</u>
Expenses		
Grants for benefit of the University of Toronto	1,079,937	913,616
Administrative expenses	14,832	14,587
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Total Expenses	1,094,769	928,203
Increase in Unrestricted Net Assets	<u>857,784</u>	<u>147,070</u>
Net Assets, beginning of year	678,544	531,474
Net Assets, end of year	<u>\$ 1,536,328</u>	<u>\$ 678,544</u>

(See notes to financial statements.)

THE ASSOCIATES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, INC.
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 and 2014

	2015	2014
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Change in net assets	\$ 857,784	\$ 147,070
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash used by operating activities		
Contributions receivable	2,516	(1,485)
Loss on sale of securities	941	549
	861,241	146,134
Net cash provided by operating activities		
	<u>861,241</u>	<u>146,134</u>
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Acquisition of collections	(2,075)	(243,043)
Collections transferred	243,043	48,523
Securities contributed	(110,643)	(111,764)
Proceeds of securities sold	109,702	111,215
	240,027	(195,069)
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities		
	<u>240,027</u>	<u>(195,069)</u>
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	1,101,268	(48,935)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	<u>432,901</u>	<u>481,836</u>
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	<u>\$ 1,534,169</u>	<u>\$ 432,901</u>

(See notes to financial statements)

THE ASSOCIATES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, INC.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 and 2014

Note 1: Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies

The Associates of the University of Toronto, Inc. (the Organization) was organized on January 14, 1947 as a New York, not-for-profit membership corporation and has been granted and maintains a public charity status as defined by the United States Department of the Treasury. The Organization accepts contributions from alumni and friends of the University of Toronto resident in the United States. All grants paid are for the benefit of the University of Toronto.

Basis of Presentation

The accounting principles used in the preparation of the financial statements of the Organization are the generally accepted accounting principles used in the United States. Amounts shown are denominated in U.S. currency.

Support and Expenses

Contributions received are measured at their fair values and are reported as an increase in net assets. The organization reports gifts of cash and other assets as restricted support if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets, or if they are designated as support for future periods. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activity as net assets released from restrictions. Donor-restricted contributions whose restrictions are met in the same reporting period are reported as unrestricted support. Expenses are recorded when incurred in accordance with the accrual basis of accounting.

Donated Services

A number of unpaid volunteers have made significant contributions of their time to develop the Organization's programs through its Members, Board of Directors, and Executive Committee. The value of this contributed time is not reflected in the financial statements since it is not susceptible to objective measurement or valuation.

Use of Estimates

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

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Note 1: Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash held in checking, money market accounts, and commercial paper with maturities of less than 90 days. At year-end and throughout the year, the Organization's cash and cash equivalent balances were deposited in one financial institution. Management believes the Organization is not exposed to any significant credit risk on cash and cash equivalents.

Investments

Investments in equity securities with readily determinable fair values and all investments in debt securities are measured at fair value in the statement of financial position. Investment income or loss (including gains and losses on investments, interest and dividends) is included in the statement of activities as increases or decreases in unrestricted net assets unless the income or loss is restricted by donor or law.

Concentrations of Credit and Market Risk

Financial instruments that potentially expose the Organization to concentrations of credit risk and market risk consist primarily of cash equivalents and investments. Cash equivalents are maintained at a high-quality financial institution. The Organization's investments do not represent concentrations of market risk since the Organization's investments are sold upon receipt.

Foreign Currency Translation

Foreign currency assets and liabilities of the Organization's activities are translated into U.S. dollars at the year-end exchange rate. Foreign currency revenues and expenses are translated at the exchange rate in effect on the dates of the related transactions. Foreign currency gains and losses are included in income currently.

Contributions Receivable

Management believes that all contributions receivable are collectable. According no allowance has been recorded for uncollectible receivables.

Note 2: Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The carrying amount of cash and cash equivalents and marketable securities approximates fair value of these instruments. The fair value of marketable securities is based on quoted market prices, which is a level one input within the fair value hierarchy.

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Note 3: Investment Management

Endowments funded by the Organization are managed by the University of Toronto Asset Management Corporation (UTAM) in segregated accounts of the university's endowed trust funds, other funds of a permanent or long-term nature, funds of affiliated organizations, and funds where the university is a beneficiary. The investments consist of units of ownership in an investment pool consisting of Canadian, U.S., NAA, and foreign equities, and fixed income instruments. The UTAM engages in derivative transactions for hedging and risk management, including the hedging of foreign currency exposure. At its May 10, 2004 meeting, the Board of Directors authorized the transfer of the balance of the Organization's investments to the University to endow the Directorship of the Centre for the Study of the United States and to create a matching gift fund to encourage U.S. donors to support the University.

Note 4: Income Taxes

The Organization is a nonprofit corporation whose revenue is derived from contributions and investment income, and is not subject to federal or state income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Organization's Forms 990, *Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax*, for the years ended 2012, 2013, 2014, and 2015 are subject to examination by the IRS, generally for three years after they were filed.

Note 5: Permanently Restricted Net Assets

Permanently restricted net assets of \$1,000 are restricted to investments in perpetuity, the income from which is expendable for the operating expenses of the Organization.

Note 6: Collections

The Organization receives works of art, historical manuscripts and letters, literary works, and other memorabilia which are housed at various libraries of the University of Toronto. Such contributions are recorded at appraised value when received. At its May 10, 2004 meeting, the Board of Directors transferred ownership of its collections to the University. Collections received since that date are recorded as an asset of the Organization until management authorizes the transfer of ownership to the University of Toronto. Upon transfer of ownership, collections are removed from the assets of the Organization and recorded as grants paid to the University of Toronto.

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Note 7: Functional Allocation of Expenses

The expenses of the Organization as shown in the Statement of Activities are allocated as follows:

	2015	2014
Program services	\$ 1,081,681	\$ 915,480
General and administrative	11,344	10,862
Fundraising	1,744	1,861

Note 8: Major Contributors

The Organization, from time to time, receives large contributions from various foundations, corporations, and individuals. Contributions from major contributors represented 69% of total contributions for 2015 and 38% for 2014.

Note 9: Subsequent Events

Management has evaluated subsequent events through June 16, 2016, which is the date the financial statements were issued.