

For A NewAmerican University

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** 

June 30, 2020

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### INTRODUCTION

The Arizona State University Foundation for A New American University (Foundation) was incorporated in 1955 to use philanthropy to help meet the needs of Arizona State University (ASU or University), the largest public university in the United States under a single administration, and one ranked as the most innovative by U.S. News & World Report. The University has established itself as the model for a New American University, whose charter describes it as a comprehensive public research university, measured not by whom it excludes, but rather by whom it includes and how they succeed, by advancing research and discovery of public value, and by assuming fundamental responsibility for the economic, social, cultural and overall health of the community it serves.

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#### **FOUNDATION OPERATIONS**

The Foundation funds its operations from four sources: 1) (3 ¶ V 0 D V W H U 6 H U Y L FwithVth& Whithefsith If bQ W development services; 2) asset management fees on the endowment; 3) subsidy from the enterprise reserves; and 4) unrestricted gifts. Between fiscal year 2019 and 2020, contributions measured according to U.S. GAAP remained steady, investment returns were positive, payments for the benefit of the University increased significantly and the Foundation experienced an expected increase in operating expenses.

#### CONCLUSION

The University has continued to increase the number of students enrolled, continues to create new knowledge to address global challenges and works to improve the economic and educational endeavors in Arizona. The Foundation remains



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We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Arizona State University Foundation for A New American University (a nonprofit organization) (the "Organization"), which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2020, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year 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.

#### Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit 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 from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing 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 of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk



#### Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Arizona State University Foundation for A New American University as of June 30, 2020, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### Other matters

#### Other information

The management's discussions and analysis on pages 3 through 6 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has not been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

Report on 2019 summarized comparative information

We have previously audited the Organization's 2019 financial statements (not presented herein), and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those audited financial statements in our report dated August 30, 2019. In our opinion, the accompanying summarized comparative information as of and for the year ended June 30, 2019 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

Phoenix, Arizona August 31, 2020

# for A New American University STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

June 30, 2020 (with comparative totals for June 30, 2019)

	J	une 30, 2020	June 30, 2019			
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	4,796,588	\$	1,702,521		
Receivables						
Pledges receivable, net		165,353,667		156,535,925		
Charitable trusts receivable		1,858,725		1,312,842		
Other receivables		3,353,076		406,967		
Total receivables		170,565,468		158,255,734		
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Investments		1,119,885,582		1,083,513,469		
Land and buildings held for investment		682,280		682,280		
Assets held under split-interest agreements		6,594,526		7,455,838		
Property and equipment, net		4,465		5,954		
Other assets		1,551,064		81,651		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	1,304,079,973	\$	1,251,697,447		
LIABILITIES	•	4 000 000	Φ.	0.505.004		
Accounts payable and other liabilities	\$	4,669,396	\$	2,565,964		
Assets held for other entities		300,796,363		295,809,301		
Obligations under split-interest agreements TOTAL LIABILITIES		2,898,332		2,655,272		
TOTAL LIABILITIES		308,364,091		301,030,537		
NET ASSETS						
Without donor restrictions		2,250,734		5,150,283		
With donor restrictions		,, -		-,,		
Temporarily restricted		389,736,818		377,549,783		
Permanently restricted		603,728,330		567,966,844		
Total with donor restrictions		993,465,148		945,516,627		
TOTAL NET ASSETS		995,715,882		950,666,910		
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	1,304,079,973	\$	1,251,697,447		

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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Year Ended June 30, 2020 (with comparative totals for year ended June 30, 2019)

Year Ended June 30, 2020 Without With Donor Restrictions Dono r Temporaril y Permanentl y Year Ended Restrictions Restricted Restricted Subtotal Total June 30, 2019 SUPPORT AND REVENUES 7,124,974 \$ \$ 121,078,324 43,844,871 164,923,195 172,048,169 188,502,843 Contributions \$ (975,000)Change in estimate for uncollectible pledges (8,000)1,772,000 797,000 789,000 (3,173,000)Change in present value discount (6.000)242.000 523.000 765.000 759.000 (1.592.000)Net investment return (loss) (35,870)32,581,532 (320,033)32,261,499 32,225,629 59,691,829 Service agreement revenue 11,902,819 11,902,819 11,350,467 Asset management fees 2.200.961 2.200.961 1.870.183 Program revenue and memberships (62,985)(62,985)31,021 Other revenue 808,896 808,896 1,549,651 Reclassification of donor intent and transfers 529,644 6,781,708 (7,311,352)(529,644)Net assets released from restriction 150.268.529 (150.268.529) (150.268.529) TOTAL SUPPORT AND REVENUES 172,722,968 12.187.035 35.761.486 47.948.521 220.671.489 258.230.994 **EXPENSES** Payments for the benefit of the University: Directly to the University: Donations and reimbursements 100,691,220 100,691,220 95,251,676 Scholarships - ASU selected 11.631.825 11.631.825 9.537.726 To Vendors on behalf of the University 29.087.035 29.087.035 11.473.318 141,410,080 Subtotal 141,410,080 116,262,720 Scholarships - Non ASU selected 958,585 958,585 162,476 926,076 Payments to other charitable entities 1,246,261 1,246,261 143,614,926 143,614,926 117,351,272 Total payments for the benefit of the University Operating expenses: Salaries and benefits 14.236.078 14.236.078 11.214.943 Depreciation 1,488 2,753 1,488 Professional services 1,464,910 1,464,910 2,268,545 Other expense 6,117,087 6,117,087 6,115,291 10,188,028 9,194,911 Shared services 10,188,028 32,007,591 32,007,591 28,796,443 Total operating expenses **TOTAL EXPENSES** 175,622,517 175,622,517 146,147,715 CHANGE IN NET ASSETS (2,899,549)12,187,035 35,761,486 47.948.521 45.048.972 112.083.279 NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD 5,150,283 377,549,783 567,966,844 945,516,627 950,666,910 838,583,631

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NET ASSETS, END OF PERIOD

	Program	Management & General	Fundraising	Total
EXPENSES				
Payments for the benefit of the University:				
Directly to the University:				
Donations and reimbursements	\$ 100,691,220	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100,691,220
Scholarships - ASU selected	11,631,825	-	-	11,631,825
To vendors on behalf of the University	29,087,035	-	-	29,087,035
Subtotal	141,410,080	-	-	141,410,080
Scholarships - Non ASU selected	958,585	-	-	958,585
Payments to other charitable entities	1,246,261	-	-	1,246,261
Total payments for the benefit of the University	143,614,926	-	-	143,614,926
Operating expenses:				
Salaries and benefits	-	-	14,236,078	14,236,078
Depreciation	-	1,488	-	1,488
Professional services	9,000	363,658	1,092,252	1,464,910

	2020	2019
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Change in net assets	\$ 45,048,972	\$ 112,083,279
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		
Change in present value discount on pledges receivable	(759,000)	1,592,000
Change in estimate for uncollectible pledges	(789,000)	3,173,000
Net realized and unrealized investment (gains) or losses	(32,225,629)	(59,689,027)
Net realized and unrealized investment (gains) or losses on land and buildings held for investment	-	(2,802)
Depreciation	1,488	2,753
Contributions restricted for long-term investment	(43,392,871)	(81,336,123)
(New) or terminated split-interest agreements	(284,040)	(225,917)
Change in present value of split-interest agreements	2,194,828	76,149
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:	, - ,	-,
(Increase) / decrease in:		
Pledges receivable	(1,209,846)	16,172,901
Other receivables	(2,946,109)	506,686
Other assets	(1,469,411)	59,097
Increase / (decrease) in:	(1,405,411)	33,037
Accounts payable and other liabilities	2,103,432	618,017
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(33,727,186)	(6,969,987)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(33,727,100)	(6,969,967)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from sales of investments	374,426,280	1,243,145,332
Purchases of investments	(369,422,916)	(1,411,579,136)
Change in assets held for other entities	(5,515,086)	114,344,879
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(511,722)	(54,088,925)
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CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from contributions restricted for long-term investment	37,332,975	60,198,892
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) FINANCING ACTIVITIES	37,332,975	60,198,892
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	3,094,067	(860,020)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	1,702,521	2,562,541
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF PERIOD	\$ 4,796,588	\$ 1,702,521

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#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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### (1) Operations and animary of ignificant accounting policies continued)

**Invenens** ±Investments are recorded at fair value. Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. U.S. GAAP establishes a framework for measuring fair value, establishes a fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used to measure fair value and enhances disclosure requirements for fair value measurements. This guidance maximizes the use of observable inputs and minimizes the use of unobservable inputs by requiring that the observable inputs be used when available.

Observable inputs are inputs that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability based on market data obtained from independent sources. Unobservable inputs reflect assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability based on the best information available in the circumstances. The hierarchy is broken down into three levels based on the transparency of inputs as follows:

- x LevI 1 Quoted prices are available in active markets for identical assets or liabilities as of the report date. A quoted price for an identical asset or liability in an active market provides the most reliable fair value measurement because it is directly observable in the market.
- x Lev 2 Pricing inputs are other than quoted prices in active markets, which are either directly or indirectly observable as of the report date. The nature of these securities include investments for which quoted prices are available but traded less frequently and investments that Ad649(I)-6(i)5(a)-9(bi) [( )] TJ (t )-O9(c)

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### (1) Operations and animary of significant accounting policies continued)

**Contibtons** ± Contributions received are recorded as without donor restrictions or with donor restrictions depending on the existence and/or nature of any donor restrictions.

**Contibted aetand erices** ±Donations of securities, land, buildings and other non-monetary assets, which can be objectively measured, are recorded at fair value on the date of contribution. Assets that cannot be objectively measured are not included in the accompanying financial statements. Donated services of volunteers are not recorded in the accompanying financial statements since they do not meet the recognition criteria.

Revenue recogniton 
#The Organization previously adopted Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) Topic 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers. ASC 606 prescribes a five-step model that includes: (1) identify the contract; (2) identify the performance obligations; (3) determine the transaction price; (4) allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations; and (5) recognize revenue when (or as) performance obligations are satisfied. All significant revenue streams of the Organization are non-exchange transactions (e.g. contributions) and are not subject to ASC 606.

Revenue from exchange transactions, investment activities, rental and property management activities, management fees, other fees and non-contribution revenue are recognized when the transfer of risks and rewards of ownership and control pass to the customer. The Organization recognizes revenue at the agreed-upon amount

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collecting sufficient revenue to cover all general expenditures.

### (3) Pledgeseceiable, net

Pledges receivable, net, discounted using rates ranging from 1.2% to 6.0%, consist of the following unconditional promises to give:

2020

The Organization had conditional pledges receivable totaling approximately \$73,000,000 and \$69,200,000 at June 30, 2020 and 2019, respectively; no amounts are included in the above pledges receivable balance. Conditional pledges receivable are recorded when the conditions are substantially met.

### (4) Oher receitables

Other receivables include operating receivables generated through a variety of activities and are stated at the amount management expects to collect.

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### (7) Endomentand netastclastications(continued)

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 Organization to retain as a fund of perpetual duration. In accordance with US GAAP, for the year ended June 30, 2020, 238 deficiencies of this nature exist in donor-restricted endowment, with an original gift value of \$108,201,978, a current fair value of \$105,775,252 and a deficiency of \$2,426,726. As of June 30, 2019, there were 168 deficiencies totaling \$1,833,854 from an original gift value of \$39,835,712 and a fair value of \$38,001,858.

The spending policy for the endowment follows the objectives of the investment policy and establishes the amount made available for spending from the endowment. The spending policy is based on a constant growth formula, in

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### (7) Endomentand netastclastications(continued)

Changes in endowment net assets are shown in the following table:

	Wih Donor Reticton							
	WihotDonor		T	emporarily	P	ermanenty		
<u>2020</u>	Retsiction			Rensiced		Retsicted		Total
Endowment net assets, June 30, 2019	\$	-	\$	143,651,065	\$	496,391,365	\$	640,042,430
Adjustment due to restriction reclassifications		-		(176,365)		122,548		(53,817)
Contributions and other additions		-		4,305,392		37,554,719		41,860,111
Investment return:								
Interest and dividends		-		(8,254,808)		1,639,855		(6,614,953)
Net realized and unrealized gains or (losses)		-		43,809,199		(1,778,422)		42,030,777
Assets due to others		_		(12,813,207)	_	194		(12,813,013)
Total investment return	\$	-	\$	22,741,184	\$	(138,373)	\$	22,602,811
Appropriation for expenditure		-		(23,645,749)		(181,660)		(23,827,409)
Reclassification of donor intent		_		(2,912,011)		(7,311,352)		(10,223,363)
Endowment net ssets, June 30, 2020	\$		\$	143,963,516	\$	526,437,247	\$	670,400,763

		Wihotı					
		Donor		Temporarily		Permanenty	
2019	F	Retsiction	Retsicted		Retsicted		Total
Endowment net assets, June 30, 2018	\$	(6,025,264)	\$	124,670,984	\$	434,558,258	\$ 553,203,978
Adjustment due to accounting regulation*		6,025,264		(6,025,264)		-	-
Contributions and other additions		-		1,447,324		60,248,590	61,695,914
Investment return:							
Interest and dividends		-		8,294,900		441,052	8,735,952
Net realized and unrealized gains or (losses)		-		62,517,705		1,191,298	63,709,003
Assets due to others			_	(20,824,761)		<u> </u>	 (20,824,761)
Total investment return	\$	-	\$	49,987,844	\$	1,632,350	\$ 51,620,194

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### (11) Netaets in donor retictions

Temporarily and permanently restricted net assets (within net assets with donor restrictions) are available for the following purposes:

						2019				
	With Donor Reticton					Wih Donor	Reti	<u>cton</u>		
	•	Temporarily	I	Permanenty		Temporarily		Permanenty		
		Reticted	Reticted		Reticted			Reticted		
Academic support	\$	72,425,447	\$	168,596,347	\$	65,892,791	\$	165,363,589		
Athletics		12,906,687		4,340,510		11,540,220		4,071,122		
Capital		28,554,644		-		21,803,236		-		
Discretionary use for ASU		20,320,382		18,672,241		20,278,497		18,638,856		
Faculty		42,651,680		134,156,020		39,912,526		129,429,656		
Financial aid		81,355,941		186,751,128		75,004,948		160,586,937		
Library		1,286,026		3,005,141		1,315,802		1,820,752		
Miscellaneous		4,664,092		137,557		4,835,587		137,557		
Operations and maintenance		1,199,327		-		618,253		-		
Research		54,702,379		43,375,914		60,397,908		43,347,674		
Specific programs		99,289,594		83,350,472		107,711,732		82,653,154		
Pledge reserve and discount		(29,619,381)		(38,657,000)		(31,635,000)		(38,205,000)		
Total restricted net assets	\$	389,736,818	\$	603,728,330	\$	377,676,500	\$	567,844,297		

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Net investment return (loss) consists of:

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Dividends and interest	\$ 6,016	\$ 16,501,533	\$ 434,138	\$ 16,941,687
Change in value of split interest agreements	(9,359)	1,352,300	-	1,342,941
Net realized gain/(loss)	1,606	40,617,216	95,384	40,714,206
Net unrealized gain/(loss)	(34,133)	(12,210,019)	(198,223)	(12,442,375)
Change in assets due to other entities	-	(9,959,361)	(542,786)	(10,502,147)
Investment management fees	 -	 (3,720,137)	(108,546)	(3,828,683)
Total net investment return (loss)	\$ (35,870)	\$ 32,581,532	\$ (320,033)	\$ 32,225,629

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	I	Donor	T	emporarily	Per	manenty		
<u>2019</u>	Retsiction		Retsicted		Retsicted		Toal	
Dividends and interest	\$	-	\$	11,730,552	\$	441,052	\$	12,171,604
Change in value of split interest agreements		20,326		581,776		-		602,102
Net realized gain/(loss)		-		46,158,597		558,365		46,716,962
Net unrealized gain/(loss)		1,459		17,848,353		156,895		18,006,707
Change in assets due to other entities		-		(14,974,357)		-		(14,974,357)
Investment management fees		-		(2,792,310)		(38,879)		(2,831,189)
Total net investment return (loss)	\$	21,785	\$	58,552,611				

### (13) Oher reuna

Other revenue consists of:

	2020			2019		
ASU program support	\$	460,297	\$	498,006		
Services provided to affiliate		40,000		-		
Insurance reimbursement		-		292.330		

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(14) Netaetreleased from retictions

meet the following eligibility criteria: eligible

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	Net assets were released from restriction for the following purposes:						
(15)	<u>Retrementplan</u>						

The Organization sponsors a 401(k) savings plan (Plan) that provides retirement benefits for employees who

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### (16) Related parttanactons

From time to time, the Organization may receive or transfer cash to or from related entities. Contributions from these entities are reflected in contributions and were \$1,896,192 and \$5,250,831 in fiscal years ended 2020 and 2019, respectively. Donations to related entities are reflected in other expense and were \$3,735,000 and 7,735,000

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### (18) Sbeganteens

The Foundation evaluated subsequent events through August 31, 2020, which is the date these financial statements were issued.