



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2020

FPF EDUCATION AND INNOVATION FOUNDATION

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Independent Auditors' Report

Board of Directors
FPF Education and Innovation Foundation
Washington, D.C.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of FPF Education and Innovation Foundation (FPF EIF), which comprise the statement of financial position as of December 31, 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.

Auditors' 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 auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditors consider 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 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 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 FPF EIF as of December 31, 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.

Board of Directors
FPF Education and Innovation Foundation

Report on Summarized Comparative Information

We have previously audited FPF Education and Innovation Foundation's 2019 financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those audited financial statements in our report dated August 26, 2020. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended December 31, 2019, is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

Councilor, Buchanan + Mitchell, P.C.

Bethesda, Maryland
August 3, 2021

Certified Public Accountants

FPF EDUCATION AND INNOVATION FOUNDATION
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
DECEMBER 31, 2020
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2019)

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
Assets		
Current Assets		
Cash	\$ 5,014,249	\$ 4,303,052
Contributions Receivable	2,068,168	360,000
Grants Receivable	120,480	223,906
Prepaid Expenses	<u>100,636</u>	<u>52,040</u>
Total Current Assets	7,303,533	4,938,998
Contributions Receivable, Net of Current Portion	-	1,323,462
Property and Equipment		
Furniture and Equipment	2,707	62,140
Website Development	142,140	11,775
Computers and Software	15,310	-
Less Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization	<u>(65,564)</u>	<u>(55,899)</u>
Net Property and Equipment	94,593	18,016
Deposit	<u>-</u>	<u>3,840</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 7,398,126</u>	<u>\$ 6,284,316</u>
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	\$ 531,742	\$ 421,067
PPP Refundable Advance	622,200	-
Due to Future of Privacy Forum	<u>-</u>	<u>1,338,865</u>
Total Current Liabilities	1,153,942	1,759,932
Net Assets		
Without Donor Restrictions	2,326,712	1,398,137
With Donor Restrictions	<u>3,917,472</u>	<u>3,126,247</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>6,244,184</u>	<u>4,524,384</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 7,398,126</u>	<u>\$ 6,284,316</u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

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**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019)**

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	2020 Total	2019 Total
Revenue				
Contributions	\$ 1,291,508	\$ -	\$ 1,291,508	\$ 3,073,654
Grants	194,881	2,358,567	2,553,448	464,915
Membership Dues	5,087,395	-	5,087,395	3,926,286
Event Sponsorship	167,714	-	167,714	83,305
Training Revenue	8,000	-	8,000	-
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	1,567,342	(1,567,342)	-	-
Total Revenue	8,316,840	791,225	9,108,065	7,548,160
Expenses				
Program	5,187,768	-	5,187,768	3,874,597
General and Administration	1,589,620	-	1,589,620	1,163,296
Fundraising	610,877	-	610,877	540,246
Total Expenses	7,388,265	-	7,388,265	5,578,139
Change in Net Assets	928,575	791,225	1,719,800	1,970,021
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	1,398,137	3,126,247	4,524,384	2,554,363
Net Assets, End of Year	\$ 2,326,712	\$ 3,917,472	\$ 6,244,184	\$ 4,524,384

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

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**STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019)**

	Program	General and Administration	Fundraising	2020 Total	2019 Total
Salaries, Taxes, and Benefits	\$ 2,611,359	\$ 991,832	\$ 449,556	\$ 4,052,747	\$ 2,748,585
Consultants	1,321,694	-	3,625	1,325,319	1,497,940
Events Expense	107,422	113,450	306	221,178	401,832
Professional Fees	505,719	266,124	128,487	900,330	126,757
Rent Expense	237,970	34,248	15,147	287,365	270,071
Office Expense	46,820	22,653	338	69,811	108,929
Marketing	-	-	-	-	111,759
Depreciation and Amortization	29,838	5,787	4,827	40,452	6,655
Miscellaneous	1,254	5,645	75	6,974	967
Travel	76,202	17,919	2,328	96,449	250,411
Insurance	1,840	1,680	298	3,818	3,534
Bank Fees	2,104	392	340	2,836	1,091
Grants and Contributions	40,578	-	-	40,578	3,007
Communication Charges	-	-	-	-	36,235
Information Technology	188,568	91,603	3,664	283,835	-
Dues and Subscription	4,899	31,973	25	36,897	9,481
Equipment Rental and Fees	11,501	6,314	1,861	19,676	-
Staff Development	-	-	-	-	885
Totals	\$ 5,187,768	\$ 1,589,620	\$ 610,877	\$ 7,388,265	\$ 5,578,139

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

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**STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019)**

	2020	2019
Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Change in Net Assets	\$ 1,719,800	\$ 1,970,021
Adjustments to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities		
Depreciation and Amortization	9,664	6,655
<u>(Increase) Decrease in Assets</u>		
Contributions Receivable	(384,706)	(351,600)
Grants Receivable	103,426	(139,378)
Prepaid Expenses	(48,596)	(43,475)
Deposit	3,840	(2,040)
<u>Increase (Decrease) in Liabilities</u>		
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	110,675	51,166
Deferred Revenue	-	(10,343)
PPP Refundable Advance	622,200	-
Due to Future of Privacy Forum	(1,338,865)	588,185
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	797,438	2,069,191
Cash Flows from Investing Activities		
Purchases of Property and Equipment	(86,241)	(17,003)
Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	(86,241)	(17,003)
Net Increase in Cash	711,197	2,052,188
Cash, Beginning of Year	4,303,052	2,250,864
Cash, End of Year	\$ 5,014,249	\$ 4,303,052

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

FPF EDUCATION AND INNOVATION FOUNDATION

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2020

1. ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization

FPF Education and Innovation Foundation (FPF EIF) was incorporated in 2011. FPF EIF is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

FPF EIF is supported primarily by grants, contributions, and membership dues.

The following is a description of FPF EIF's Programs.

Education: FPF EIF's Education program aims to ensure that student privacy is protected, and that education technology and student data are used to help students succeed. The program equips and connects advocates, industry, policymakers, and practitioners in the areas of higher education and K-12 education, providing training, resources, and guidance to address education privacy challenges.

Other Consumer Privacy: FPF EIF brings together industry, academics, civil society, policymakers, and other stakeholders to explore the challenges posed by emerging technologies and develop privacy protections, ethical norms, and workable best practices. FPF EIF convenes working groups to develop best practices, engage with public policy, and share insights; provides expert testimony and comments to Congress, federal agencies, Congressionally chartered commissions, and legislatures in U.S. states and around the world; and shares research and insights through reports and events.

International Law and Regulation: FPF EIF's International Law and Regulation Program aims to engage stakeholders in industry, academia, and regulation to facilitate the exchange of ideas and to foster understanding between the American privacy culture and data protection regimes around the world. The program focuses on tracking and analyzing policy and legal developments in Europe and the Middle East. FPF EIF has built strong partnerships across Europe through its convenings and trainings for policymakers and regulators. This transatlantic engagement helps regulators, policymakers, and EU data protection authorities better understand the technologies at the forefront of data protection law and helps bridge the gap between European privacy culture and U.S. privacy culture to build a common data protection language.

Connected Cars: FPF EIF's Connected Car program aims to advance privacy practices and understanding as new in-vehicle technologies and advanced mapping techniques come to market. The program helps ensure responsible practices are in place so that the benefits of technologies will be well received by consumers. As a leading advocate for business practical approaches to consumer privacy, FPF EIF's Connected Car program has been at the vanguard of policy and discussion related to data use in connected cars, autonomous vehicles, smart transportation, and modern mapping technologies.

Smart Communities: FPF EIF's Smart Communities program aims to help individuals, local communities, and technology providers leverage the benefits of a data-rich society while minimizing threats to individual privacy and civil liberties. Through this program, the organization works collaboratively with public, private, and civil society leaders to develop best practices and to

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1. ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Organization (Continued)

Smart Communities (Continued): help guide how cities and local communities collect, manage, and use personal data to improve services for citizens. In addition, the program seeks to promote fair and transparent data uses, provide practical guidance to help local governments navigate complicated privacy-related issues, and help individuals better understand and engage with data-driven programs in their communities.

De-Identification and Big Data: FPF EIF's De-Identification and Big Data program aims to develop models that improve transparency and terminology around and advance practical measures of data de-identification, research ethics, and algorithmic decision-making. The program focuses on applying a combination of practical strategies and high-level thought leadership to address new opportunities and privacy risks presented by novel uses of personal information.

Location and Advertising Technology: FPF EIF's Location and Advertising Technology program aims to explore new and evolving advertising technologies and provide guidance on potential privacy issues that may emerge. The program helps bring stakeholders together to discuss commercial benefits of advertising technologies as well as the need to address related privacy issues to build and maintain consumer trust.

Artificial Intelligence: FPF EIF's Artificial Intelligence program aims to address the unique privacy impacts resulting from the expanded use of machine learning and artificial intelligence systems. The program brings together corporate and academic stakeholders to discuss privacy issues in this evolving field.

Health: FPF EIF's Health program explores issues at the intersection of health, data, and privacy, with a primary focus on the privacy challenges related to the collection, use, and sharing of both medical data and data outside of HIPAA regulations. The Health program brings together stakeholders to analyze how new technologies and data practices in the health ecosystem can impact individual privacy and promote the more effective and ethical use of data.

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements are presented on the accrual basis of accounting. Consequently, revenue is recognized when earned and expenses when incurred.

Use of Estimates

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported revenues and expenses. Actual results could vary from the estimates that were assumed in preparing the financial statements.

Cash

Cash consists of amounts in checking accounts.

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1. ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Grants and Contributions Receivable

Grants and contributions receivable are considered to be fully collectible by management and, accordingly, no allowance for doubtful accounts is considered necessary. Grants and contributions receivable are recorded after being discounted to the anticipated net present value of the future cash flows.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost, if purchased or fair market value at date of donation, if contributed. FPF EIF capitalizes all expenditures for property and equipment in excess of \$1,000. Depreciation and amortization expense is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets.

Revenue Recognition

FPF EIF 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. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or the purpose restriction is accomplished, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

Conditional grants and contributions are not recorded as revenue until the related conditions have been satisfied. Assets received in a conditional contribution are reported as a refundable advance until the conditions have been substantially met or explicitly waived by the donor. Conditional contributions of approximately \$226,703 as of December 31, 2020, will be recognized as revenue when the conditions are met.

Income Taxes

FPF EIF is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). In addition, FPF EIF has been determined by the Internal Revenue Service not to be a private foundation within the meaning of Section 509(a) of the Code. No provision for income taxes is required for the year ended December 31, 2020, as FPF EIF had no net unrelated business income.

FPF EIF requires that a tax position be recognized or derecognized based on a “more-likely-than-not” threshold. This applies to positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. FPF EIF does not believe its financial statements include, or reflect, any uncertain tax positions. FPF EIF’s Form 990, *Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax*, is subject to examination by the taxing authorities for three years after filing.

Allocation of Functional Expenses

The costs of providing the various programs and supporting services have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of functional expenses. Expenses that relate directly to a program or supporting service are charged to that program or supporting service. Certain supporting services expenses have been allocated among the program benefited based on employee time

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1. ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Allocation of Functional Expenses (Continued)

records and ratios determined by management. The remaining general and administrative expenses include those expenses that are not directly identifiable with or allocable to any other specific function but provide for the overall support and direction of FPF EIF.

Classification of Net Assets

The financial statements of FPF EIF have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (U.S. GAAP), which requires FPF EIF to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to the following net asset classifications:

Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions: Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions and may be expended for any purpose in performing the primary objectives of FPF EIF. These net assets may be used at the discretion of FPF EIF's management and the Board of Directors.

Net Assets With Donor Restrictions: Net assets subject to stipulations imposed by donors and grantors. Some donor restrictions are temporary in nature; those restrictions will be met by actions of FPF EIF or by the passage of time. Other donor restrictions are perpetual in nature, whereby the donor has stipulated the funds be maintained in perpetuity.

Reclassifications

Certain 2019 amounts have been reclassified for comparative purposes.

2. LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF RESOURCES

FPF EIF's cash flows have variations during the year due to seasonal concentrations of grants, contributions, and membership dues. FPF EIF manages its liquidity to meet general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations as they become due.

As of December 31, 2020, the following financial assets and liquidity sources were available for general operating expenditures in the year ending December 31, 2021:

Financial Assets

Cash	\$ 5,014,249
Contributions Receivable	2,068,168
Grants Receivable	120,480
Total	<u>7,202,897</u>
Less Donor Restricted Net Assets	<u>(3,917,472)</u>
Total Financial Assets and Liquid Resources Available within One Year	<u><u>\$ 3,285,425</u></u>

3. CONCENTRATIONS

For the year ended December 31, 2020, 69% of all grants and contributions revenue was received from two donors and 94% of grants receivable and contributions receivable was due from two donors.

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3. CONCENTRATIONS (CONTINUED)

FPF EIF maintains a cash balance at a financial institution in the Washington, D.C., metropolitan area. The account at this institution is insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) up to certain limits. At times during the year, the FPF EIF's cash balance exceeded the FDIC insurance amount. Management believes the risk in these situations to be minimal.

4. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

During the year ended December 31, 2020, FPF EIF shared employees and office space with the Future of Privacy Forum (FPF), a not-for-profit organization exempt under Section 501 (c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). FPF EIF reimbursed FPF for a certain general and administrative expenses under a formal cost-sharing agreement. During the year, FPF EIF owed FPF approximately \$1,240,000 for various expenses. At the end of 2020, FPF decided to forgive and write off the full amount owed from FPF EIF. The balance is included as contributions on the statement of activities. FPF recorded the same amount as grants and contributions expense in the year ended December 31, 2020.

5. PPP REFUNDABLE ADVANCE

During 2020, FPF EIF received payment of a Small Business Administration (SBA) loan under the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) of approximately \$622,000. PPP provides cash-flow assistance through 100% federally guaranteed loans to eligible recipients to maintain payroll during the COVID-19 public health emergency and cover certain other expenses. If FPF EIF maintains its workforce and meets certain requirements, up to 100% of the loan may be forgiven by the SBA. No more than 40% of the forgiven amount may be for non-payroll costs. Loans under PPP have an interest rate of 1% and may negotiate to a five-year maturity date, if not forgiven. Management believes FPF EIF will meet the criteria for loan forgiveness. However, at December 31, 2020, FPF EIF is accounting for this SBA loan as a conditional contribution since repayment has not yet been waived, and as such, the loan proceeds are included in the PPP refundable advance on the statement of financial position.

6. NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS

As of December 31, 2020, net assets with donor restrictions were available for the following purposes:

<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Building and Equipping Trusted Validators on Student Privacy Issues	\$ 1,364,103
Ensuring a Balanced Approach to Education Data Privacy	308,057
Fellowship	56,894
Corporate-Academic Data Stewardship Research Alliance	67,484
Best Practices	1,311,365
Train the Trainers	377,502
Beyond IRBs	250,000
Ensuring Equity and Considering Societal Risks in Implementation and Operationalization of Digital Contact Tracing Technology	182,067
Total Net Assets With Donor Restrictions	<u>\$ 3,917,472</u>

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6. NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS (CONTINUED)

Net assets were released from donor restrictions by incurring expenses satisfying the purpose restrictions specified by donor for the year ended December 31, 2020, as follows:

<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Building and Equipping Trusted Validators on Student Privacy Issues	\$ 802,532
Ensuring a Balanced Approach to Education Data Privacy	511,157
Fellowship	47,810
Corporate-Academic Data Stewardship Research Alliance	44,709
Best Practices	88,635
Train the Trainers	<u>72,499</u>
Total Net Assets Released from Donor Restrictions	<u>\$ 1,567,342</u>

7. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The spread of COVID-19 (coronavirus disease) has had a disruptive impact on the daily life and operations of individuals, businesses, and not-for-profits around the world. There is uncertainty about financial and economic impacts in all sectors of the economy. The financial markets have experienced significant volatility, and this may continue for an extended period of time. In light of these circumstances, management continues to assess how best to adapt to changed circumstances.

FPF EIF has entered into contracts with hotels to reserve space for future meetings. The contracts call for differing charges should FPF EIF fail to hold the contracted meetings or meet minimums in the contracts.

During 2020, FPF EIF moved its 2020 Annual Advisory Board meeting from an in-person event to a virtual meeting due to safety concerns arising from COVID-19. As part of the 2020 cancellation, FPF EIF and the hotel agreed to book its 2021 Annual Advisory Board meeting at the same location and apply a \$30,000 deposit toward the 2021 meeting.

8. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent events were evaluated through August 3, 2021, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.