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DOCTORAL EDUCATION
UB-SSW 685 BALDY HALL
BUFFALO, NY 14260-1050

Employer Identification Number:
43-1222852

DLN:

17053229305011

Contact Person:

REGINA M PARKER

ID# 31274

Contact Telephone Number:

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Accounting Period Ending:

December 31

Public Charity Status:

509(a)(2)

Form 990 Required:

Yes

Effective Date of Exemption:

November 15, 2010

Contribution Deductibility:

Yes

Addendum Applies:

Yes

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

Sincerely,



Lois G. Lerner

Director, Exempt Organizations

Enclosure: Publication 4221-PC

Letter 947 (DO/CG)

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We considered and approved your request for retroactive reinstatement under
Notice 2011-43.