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# Noncommercial Broadcast Stations Biennial Ownership Report (FCC Form 323-E)

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Purpose: **Noncommercial Broadcast Stations Biennial Ownership Report** | Status: **Received** | Status Date: **02/27/2018**

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## Section I - General Information

### 1. Respondent

FRN	Entity Name
0009140542	Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
University of Illinois Springfield One University Plaza	Springfield	IL	62703-5407	+1 (217) 206-9847	engage@nprillinois.org

### 2. Contact Representative

Name	Organization
Matt Sporrer	NPR Illinois

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
1 University Plaza WUIS 130	Springfield	IL	62703-5407	+1 (217) 206-6401	mspor2@uis.edu

### 3. Application Filing Fee

Not Applicable

### 4. Control of Respondent

(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent:	
Relationship to stations/permits	Licensee
Is the Respondent's governing board (or other governing entity) directly or indirectly under the control of another entity?	No

(b) Provide the following information about this report:	
Purpose	Biennial
"As of" date	10/01/2017  When filing a biennial ownership report or validating and resubmitting a prior biennial ownership report, this date must be Oct. 1 of the year in which this report is filed.

**5. Licensee(s) and Station(s)**

Respondent is filing this report to cover the following Licensee(s) and station(s):

Licensee/Permittee Name	FRN
Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois	0009140542

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
59011	WIPA	PITTSFIELD	IL	FM
59012	WUIS	SPRINGFIELD	IL	FM

**Section II – Biennial Ownership Information**

**1. 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613 Documents**

Licensee Respondents that hold authorizations for one or more full power television, AM, and/or FM stations should list all contracts and other instruments set forth in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613(a) through (c) for the facility or facilities listed on this report. If the agreement is a network affiliation agreement, check the appropriate box. Otherwise, select "Other." Non-Licensee Respondents should select "Not Applicable" in response to this question.

Not Applicable.

**2. Ownership Interests**

(a) Ownership Interests. This Question requires Respondents to enter detailed information about ownership interests by generating a series of subforms. Answer each question on each subform. The first subform listing should be for the Respondent itself. If the Respondent is not a natural person, also list each of the officers, members of the governing board (or other governing entity), stockholders, and any other persons or entities with a direct attributable interest in the Respondent pursuant to the standards set forth in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555. (A "direct" interest is one that is not held through any intervening companies or entities.) List each interest holder with a direct attributable interest in the Respondent separately.

Leave the percentage of total assets (Equity Debt Plus) field blank for an interest holder unless that interest holder has an attributable interest in the Respondent solely on the basis of the Commission's Equity Debt Plus attribution standard, 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555, Note 2(i).

In the case of vertical or indirect ownership structures, list only those interests in the Respondent that also represent an attributable interest in the Licensee(s) for which the report is being submitted.

Entities that are part of an organizational structure that includes holding companies or other forms of indirect ownership must file separate ownership reports. In such a structure do not report, or file a separate report for, any interest holder that does not have an attributable interest in the Licensee(s) for which the report is being submitted.

Please see the Instructions for further detail concerning interests that must be reported in response to this question.

The Respondent must provide an FCC Registration Number for each interest holder reported in response to this question. Please see the Instructions for detailed information and guidance concerning this requirement.

Ownership Information		
FRN	0009140542	
Entity Name	Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	University of Illinois Springfield
	Street 2	One University Plaza
	City	Springfield
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	62703-5407
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States

<b>Listing Type</b>	Respondent	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Respondent	
<b>Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity</b>	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity	
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	0.0%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	0.0%
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	9990121459	
<b>Name</b>	Ramon Cepeda	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	2329 Dunnore Dr.
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Darien
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	60561
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Banker	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Governor	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	American Indian or Alaska Native, White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	9990121462	
<b>Name</b>	Donald J. Edwards	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	676 N. Michigan Ave
	<b>Street 2</b>	Suite 3300
	<b>City</b>	Chicago
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	60611
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Investor	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Governor	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	9990121463	
<b>Name</b>	Patrick J. Fitzgerald	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	835
	<b>Street 1</b>	
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Chicago
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	60690

	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Attorney	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Governor	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	0008583064	
<b>Name</b>	Stuart C. King	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	1101 West University Ave
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Champaign
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	61821
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Physician	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Governor	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male

	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	9990121470	
<b>Name</b>	Timothy Koritz	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	9274 Finns Crossing
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Roscoe
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	61073
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Officer, Other - ChairMember of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Physician	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Governor	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information	
<b>FRN</b>	9990121487

<b>Name</b>	Lester H. McKeever, Jr.	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	819 South Wabash Ave.
	<b>Street 2</b>	Suite 600
	<b>City</b>	Chicago
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	60605
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Officer, Other - TreasurerMember of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	CPA	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	University of Illinois Board of Trustees	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	Black or African American
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	9990121472	
<b>Name</b>	Edward Lewis McMillan	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	105 North Third Street
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Greenville
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	62246
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	

<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	M and A Consultant	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Governor	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

#### Ownership Information

<b>FRN</b>	9990121474	
<b>Name</b>	Trayshawn Mitchell	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	1406 Bihler Place
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Rantoul
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	61866
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Student	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	University Referenda	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	Black or African American
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values	<b>Voting</b>	0.0%



from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	9990121480	
<b>Name</b>	James D. Montgomery, Sr.	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	5026 S. Greenwood Ave.
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Chicago
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	60615
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Attorney	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Governor	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	Black or African American
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	9990124756	
<b>Name</b>	Bruce V. Rauner	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	Governor's Office

	<b>Street 2</b>	207 State House
	<b>City</b>	Springfield
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	62706-1150
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Governor of the State of Illinois	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Ex-Officio	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

#### Ownership Information

<b>FRN</b>	9990121482	
<b>Name</b>	Karina Reyes	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	238 Roberta Lane
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Chicago Heights
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	60411
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	

<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Student	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	UIC Student Body	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Female
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	Black or African American
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

Ownership Information		
<b>FRN</b>	9990121484	
<b>Name</b>	Edwin Robles	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	1849 S. 55th Ct
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Cicero
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	60804
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	Student	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	UIS Student Body	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Male
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	0.0%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	

	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

**Ownership Information**

<b>FRN</b>	9990121486	
<b>Name</b>	Jill B. Smart	
<b>Address</b>	<b>PO Box</b>	
	<b>Street 1</b>	5420 Challen Place
	<b>Street 2</b>	
	<b>City</b>	Downers Grove
	<b>State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)</b>	IL
	<b>Zip/Postal Code</b>	60515
	<b>Country (if non-U.S. address)</b>	United States
<b>Listing Type</b>	Other Interest Holder	
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
<b>Principal Profession or Occupation</b>	HR	
<b>By Whom Appointed or Elected</b>	Governor	
<b>Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)</b>	<b>Citizenship</b>	US
	<b>Gender</b>	Female
	<b>Ethnicity</b>	Not Hispanic or Latino
	<b>Race</b>	White
<b>Interest Percentages</b> (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	<b>Voting</b>	9.1%
	<b>Equity</b>	0.0%
	<b>Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)</b>	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?</b>		Yes

<b>(b) Respondent certifies that any interests, including equity, financial, or voting interests, not reported in this filing are non-attributable.</b> If "No," submit as an exhibit an explanation.	Yes
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<p><b>(c) Is Respondent seeking an attribution exemption for any officer or director with duties wholly unrelated to the Licensee(s)?</b></p> <p>If "<u>Yes</u>," complete the information in the required fields and submit an Exhibit fully describing that individual's duties and responsibilities, and explaining why that individual should not be attributed an interest.</p>	<p>No</p>
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**3. Organizational Chart (Licensees Only)**

Attach a flowchart or similar document showing the Licensee's vertical ownership structure including the Licensee and all entities that have attributable interests in the Licensee. Licensees with a single parent entity may provide a brief explanatory textual Exhibit in lieu of a flowchart or similar document. Licensees without parent entities should so indicate in a textual Exhibit.

**Non-Licensee Respondents should select "N/A" in response to this question.**

The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois

**Section III - Certification**

**Certification**

Section	Question	Response
<b>Authorized Party to Sign</b>	WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001), AND /OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSE --OR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 503).	
<b>Certification</b>	I certify that I have examined this report and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, all statements in this report are true, correct and complete.	<p>Official Title: <b>Interim Comptroller</b>  Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: <b>The Board of Trustees of The University of Illinois</b>  Name: <b>Avijit Ghosh</b>  Phone: <b>2172650263</b></p> <p>02/27/2018</p>