

Christos Collective

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Christos Collective



📍 Littleton, CO
🌐 <http://www.christoscollective.org>
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MISSION

Christos Collective exists to cultivate artists to reclaim God's Voice in art.

EIN

36-4924287

RULING YEAR

2019

IRS SUBSECTION

501(c)(3) Public Charity

FOUNDING YEAR

2014

MAIN ADDRESS

8340 W Massey Dr
Littleton, CO
80128-6238

AFFILIATION TYPE

Independent Organization

CONTACT

Sandra Ceas, President/CEO
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FOUNDER/PRESIDENT/CEO

Sandra Ces

SUBJECT AREA

Arts and culture

Religion

NTEE Code

Visual Arts Organizations (A40)

PROGRAMS

1. Arts Engaged

Population(s) served: Religious groups

POPULATIONS SERVED

1. Religious groups

2. Social and economic status

3. Work status and occupations

COMPLIANCE

✓ IRS Pub 78 Verified as of April 2026

✓ IRS BMF 509(a) (1) as of April 14, 2026

Section 509(a)(1) organization as referred to in Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

TRANSPARENCY MEASURES

✓ Board Practices Reported?

✓ Diversity Data Reported?

Programs & Results

PROGRAMS

Source: Self-Reported by Organization,
January 2026

Arts Engaged

Population(s) Served: n/a

Christos Collective's programming includes artists professional development through art exhibitions, artist panels and talks, and arts-based community engagement offered to the public.

Financials

Source: Self-Reported by Organization, January 2026

FISCAL YEAR START: Jan/01

FISCAL YEAR END: Dec/31

Revenue & Expenses

Revenue	2022
Contributions, gifts, and grants	\$33,670
Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	\$0
Membership Dues	\$0
Net Income from Special Events	\$0
Other Revenue Amount	\$0
Total Revenue	\$39,000
Expenses	
Program	\$14,500
Administration	\$4,500
Fundraising	\$0
Payments to Affiliates	\$0
Other Expense	\$0
Total Expenses	\$18,000
ASSETS AND LIABILITIES	
Total Assets	\$3,700
Total Liabilities	\$1,200
Net Assets or Fund Balance at the end of year	\$2,500

Operations

Source: Self-Reported by Organization, January 2026

FOUNDER/PRESIDENT/CEO

Sandra Ces

[🔗 LinkedIn profile](#)

Sandra Jean Ces is a professional social practice artist engaging communities for justice and spiritual well-being. Ces has a long global history of public engagement through the arts. She is also a Professor at Colorado State University in the LEAP Master's Program for Art Leadership. Ces is the founder of Christos Collective with a calling to cultivate artists to be agents for social change.

BOARD MEMBERS

Jessica Jacobson

Phoenix Museum of Art

Michael Porter

Edge of Faith magazine

Richard Niezen

Music Professor/Colorado Christian University

Sandra Ces

Artist/Self employed

STAFF

Staff Type	Name	Title
Volunteer	Tierra Lalk	Program Manager
Volunteer	Melissa Pape	Artist Cultivation Program Manager
Volunteer	Karin Soderholm	Social Media Manager
Senior Staff	Sandra Ceas	Founder & CEO

BOARD LEADERSHIP PRACTICES

GuideStar worked with BoardSource, the national leader in nonprofit board leadership and governance, to create this section, which enables organizations and donors to transparently share information about essential board leadership practices.

BOARD ORIENTATION & EDUCATION

Does the board conduct a formal orientation for new board members and require all board members to sign a written agreement regarding their roles, responsibilities, and expectations? yes

CEO OVERSIGHT

Has the board conducted a formal, written assessment of the chief executive within the past year? yes

ETHICS & TRANSPARENCY

Have the board and senior staff reviewed the conflict-of-interest policy and completed and signed disclosure statements in the past year? yes

BOARD COMPOSITION

Does the board ensure an inclusive board member recruitment process that results in diversity of thought and leadership? yes

BOARD PERFORMANCE

Has the board conducted a formal, written self-assessment of its performance within the past three years? Not Applicable

Organizational Demographics

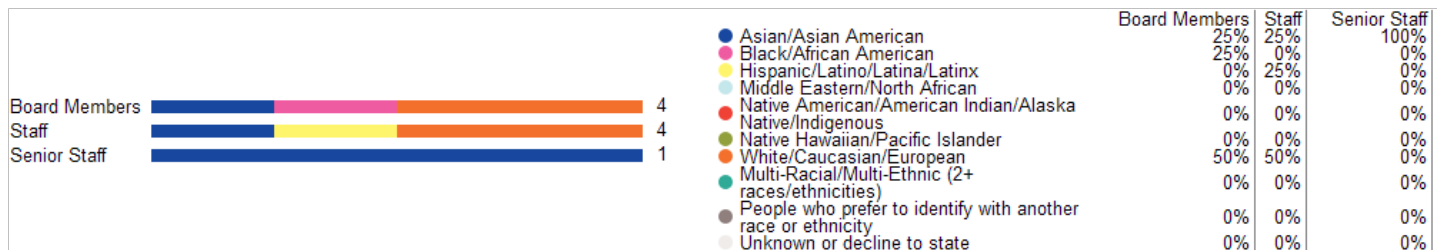
Who works and leads organizations that serve our diverse communities? This organization has voluntarily shared information to answer this important question and to support sector-wide learning. GuideStar partnered on this section with CHANGE Philanthropy.

Leadership

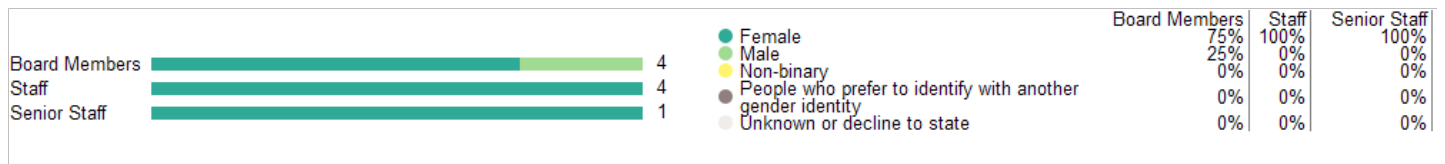
The organization's leader identifies as:

Race & Ethnicity	White/Caucasian/European
Gender Identity	Female
Sexual Orientation	Heterosexual or Straight
Disability Status	Person with a disability

Race & Ethnicity

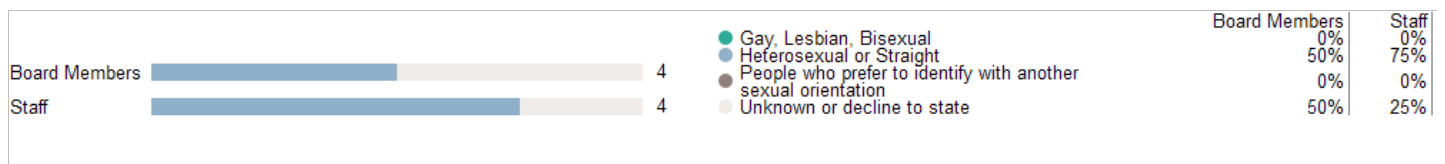


Gender Identity

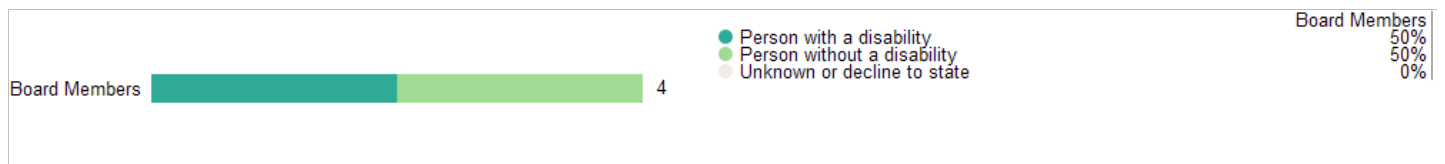


Transgender Identity

Sexual Orientation



Disability



We do not display staff or senior staff disability information for organizations with fewer than 15 staff.

Appendix

Key Documents

IRS Forms 990

Not Available

IRS Forms 990T

Not Available

Audited Financial Statements

[2024 Audited Financial Statement](#)

Key Organization Documents

[Letter of Determination](#)

[Form 1023/1024](#)

[2023 Annual Report](#)

[2022 Annual Report](#)

GuideStar Charity Check

Christos Collective

8340 W Massey Dr
Littleton, CO 80128-6238

- ✓ Foundation Status Code: PC*
- ✓ Public charity described in section 509(a)(1) or (2)

IRS Publication 78 Details



Organization name	Location	Most recent IRS Publication 78
Christos Collective	Littleton, CO	April 2026
EIN	Deductibility status description	Verified with most recent Internal Revenue Bulletin
36-4924287	A public charity (50% deductibility limitation).	April 27, 2026

IRS Business Master File Details



Organization name	Most recent IRS BMF	Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status
CHRISTOS COLLECTIVE	April 14 2026	Section 509(a)(1) organization as referred to in Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
EIN	IRS subsection	Ruling date
36-4924287	This organization is a 501(c)(3) Public Charity	08/2019
Foundation Code	Foundation Code Description	
15	Organization which receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or the general public	
This organization was not included in the Office of Foreign Assets Control Specially Designated Nationals (SDN) list.		

On September 8, 2011, the IRS issued [regulations](#) which eliminated the advance ruling process for a section 501(c)(3) organization. [Learn more](#)

* The Foundation Status Code is the code that foundations are required to provide for each grantee annually on part XV of Form 990PF. Note that this code cannot be derived in some cases (e.g., supporting organizations for which 'type' can't be determined).

[IRS Revenue Procedure 2011-33](#) allows grantors to rely on third-party resources, such as GuideStar Charity Check, to obtain required Business Master File (BMF) data concerning a potential grantee's public charity classification under section 509 (a) (1), (2) or (3).

GuideStar Charity Check Data Sources

-GuideStar acquires all IRS data directly from the Internal Revenue Service.

-[IRS Publication 78 \(Cumulative List of Organizations\)](#) lists organizations that have been recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as eligible to receive tax-deductible contributions.

-The [IRS Internal Revenue Bulletin \(IRB\)](#) lists changes in charitable status since the last Publication 78 release. Between the release of IRS Publication 78 and the subsequent IRS Internal Revenue Bulletin, the IRB date will reflect the most recent release date of IRS Publication 78.

-The [IRS Business Master File](#) lists approximately 1.7 million nonprofits registered with the IRS as tax-exempt organizations.

-The [IRS Automatic Revocation of Exemption List](#) contains organizations that have had their federal tax-exempt status automatically revoked for failing to file an annual return or notice with the IRS for three consecutive years.

-The Foundation Status Code is a value derived by mapping the codes found on the [990PF filing instructions](#) to the corresponding codes in the IRS BMF. Note that not all codes are able to be mapped due to insufficient data.

-The Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) [Specially Designated Nationals \(SDN\) list](#) organizations that are owned or controlled by targeted individuals, groups, and entities, such as terrorists or narcotics traffickers. Their assets are blocked and U.S. persons are generally prohibited from dealing with them.