



**ETHICS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
CONFLICTS OF INTEREST – DECISIONS AND VOTING**
State Form 55860 (R / 10-15)
OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL
IC 4-2-6-9

In accordance with IC 4-2-6-9, you must file your disclosure with the State Ethics Commission no later than seven (7) days after the conduct that gives rise to the conflict. You must also include a copy of the notification provided to your agency appointing authority and ethics officer when filing this disclosure. This disclosure will be posted on the Inspector General's website.

Name (last) Jenetopulos	Name (first) Matthew	Name (middle)
Name of office or agency Indiana Arts Commission		Job title Grant Reviewer (Special State Appointee)
Address of office (number and street) 100 N Senate Ave., N505		City Indianapolis
Office telephone number (317) 232-1269		ZIP code 46204
Office e-mail address (required) grantsadmin@iac.in.gov		
Describe the conflict of interest: Mr. Jenetopulos serves as a Grant Reviewer for the Indiana Arts Commission (IAC) FY26-27 Arts Organization Support (AOS) Grant Program and is considered a Special State Appointee, as defined in IC 4-2-6-1 (18).		
Mr. Jenetopulos has disclosed to the IAC that he has a conflict of interest with four (4) organizations who are applying for the FY26-27 AOS Grant Program:		
A) Valparaiso Creative Council (Valparaiso, IN) - Mr. Jenetopulos is a Board Member of this organization. This was disclosed to the IAC via its Conflict of Interest Form.		
B) South Shore Chamber Orchestra (Valparaiso, IN) - Mr. Jenetopulos is a Board Member of this organization. This was disclosed to the IAC via its Conflict of Interest Form.		
C) Indiana Ballet Theatre NW, Inc. (Merrillville, IN) - Mr. Jenetopulos serves as a partner for this organization in his Board Member capacity at Valparaiso Creative Council. This was disclosed to the IAC via email after Mr. Jenetopulos was assigned a list of all the grant applications to be reviewed.		
D) Community Theater Guild/Chicago Street Theatre (Valparaiso, IN) - Mr. Jenetopulos' immediate family is an active participant of this organization. This was disclosed to the IAC via email application assignment.		

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Describe the screen established by your ethics officer. (Attach additional pages as needed.)

Ethics Screen for Mr. Jenetopulos:

1) Mr. Jenetopulos has disclosed to the IAC about the four (4) conflict of Interest. Per the IAC's Grant Reviewer's Conflict of Interest Standard Operating Procedure (IAC-OPS-007) the following screenings have been established by the IAC:

A) Valparaiso Creative Council (Valparaiso, IN)

B) South Shore Chamber Orchestra (Valparaiso, IN)

C) Indiana Ballet Theatre NW, Inc. (Merrillville, IN)

D) Community Theater Guild/Chicago Street Theatre (Valparaiso, IN)

Ethics Screen C was applied to all the organizations aforementioned, the Grant Reviewer was removed from the discussion and scoring of the grant application review during the Grant Review Zoom Meeting that took place on Monday, April 28, 2025.

AFFIRMATION

Your signature below affirms that your disclosures on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of your knowledge and belief. In addition to this form, you have attached a copy of your written disclosure to your agency appointing authority and ethics officer.

Signature of state officer, employee or special state appointee

Matthew Jenetopulos

Date signed (month, day, year)

May 4, 2025

Printed full name of state officer, employee or special state appointee

Matthew Jenetopulos

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Your signature below affirms that you have reviewed this disclosure form and that it is true, complete, and correct to the best of your knowledge and belief. You also attest that your agency has implemented the screen described above.

Signature of ethics officer

André Zhang Sanera

Date signed (month, day, year)

05/05/25

Printed full name of ethics officer

André Zhang Sanera

Zhang Sonera, André

Tuesday, May 6, 2025 at 10:46:02 AM Eastern Daylight Time

Subject: [Ethics Notice] Jenetopulos, Matthew - Conflict of Interest - Valpo Creative Council; South Shore Chamber Orchestra; and Indiana Ballet Theatre NW, Inc.
Date: Monday, May 5, 2025 at 2:10:53 PM Eastern Daylight Time
From: Zhang Sonera, André <AZhangsonera@iac.IN.gov>
To: Anne Penny Valentine <indypenny@yahoo.com>
CC: Michaelson, Miah <MMichaelson@iac.IN.gov>
Attachments: Jenetopulos, Matthew- COI Disclosure Form.pdf

Dear Chair Valentine,

As the Indiana Arts Commission's appointing authority, this email serves as notice of Matthew Jenetopulos' conflict of interest under IC 4-2-6-9.

Mr. Jenetopulos is a Grant Reviewer for the FY26-27 Arts Organization Support Grant Program.

An ethics screen has been established and described in the attached Ethics Disclosure Form and will be filed with the State Ethics Commission.

Respectfully,

André

André Zhang Sonera, MPA

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