

UNITED STATES OFFICE OF
GOVERNMENT ETHICS



February 26, 2016

Thomas Luebke
Secretary and
Designated Agency Ethics Official
U.S. Commission of Fine Arts
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Washington, DC 20001

Dear Mr. Luebke:

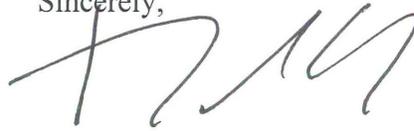
As a result of its inspection of the Commission of Fine Arts (CFA) ethics program, the United States Office of Government Ethics (OGE) issued two recommendations in its May 2015 inspection report. OGE has conducted a follow-up review to assess the implementation of the recommendations. The following table summarizes the results of OGE’s follow-up review.

	Recommendation	Agency Action	Status
1	Ensure non-SGE, annual confidential financial disclosure filers submit their reports in accordance with the due date established by 5 C.F.R. § 2634.903(a).	CFA’s one non-SGE annual confidential financial disclosure filer’s report was submitted by the due date established by 5 C.F.R. § 2634.903(a).	Closed
2	Ensure public and confidential financial disclosure filers complete annual ethics training in accordance with 5 C.F.R. § 2638.704 and 705.	During the follow-up review, OGE found that although CFA’s public and confidential financial disclosure filers completed annual ethics training in 2015, updates to the training content resulted in the content not being fully compliant with 5 C.F.R. § 2638.704 and 705. Upon this issue being identified by OGE, CFA public and confidential financial disclosure filers promptly completed training that contained the required content in February 2016. OGE will perform a second follow-up in late 2016 to ensure CFA’s 2016 annual ethics training is completed in accordance with 5 C.F.R. § 2638.704 and 705.	Open

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Thank you for your assistance during the follow-up review. OGE will coordinate with you later this year to assess the remaining open recommendation. We encourage you to contact your OGE Desk Officer for ethics program support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dale Christopher', written in a cursive style.

Dale Christopher
Deputy Director for Compliance