

# Ormao Dance Company Inc

Executive Director / CEO

EIN 202793024

CO · NTEE A6E

FY ending 2024-12-31

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This analysis benchmarks the total compensation of **Janet Johnson, Executive Director / CEO** (\$34,600) against **every comparable organization** that fit the selection criteria — **39** in total — drawn systematically from IRS Form 990 filings, not a hand-picked subset.

Compensation sits at approximately the **33<sup>rd</sup>** percentile of comparable organizations within the typical range

**Benchmarked executive:** Janet Johnson — reported title “EXE/ARTISTIC”, selected as the organization's **highest-paid individual** — no exact title match, so confirm this is a comparable role.

## How comparable organizations were selected

**SECTOR** Organizations sharing the subject's NTEE classification (A6E).

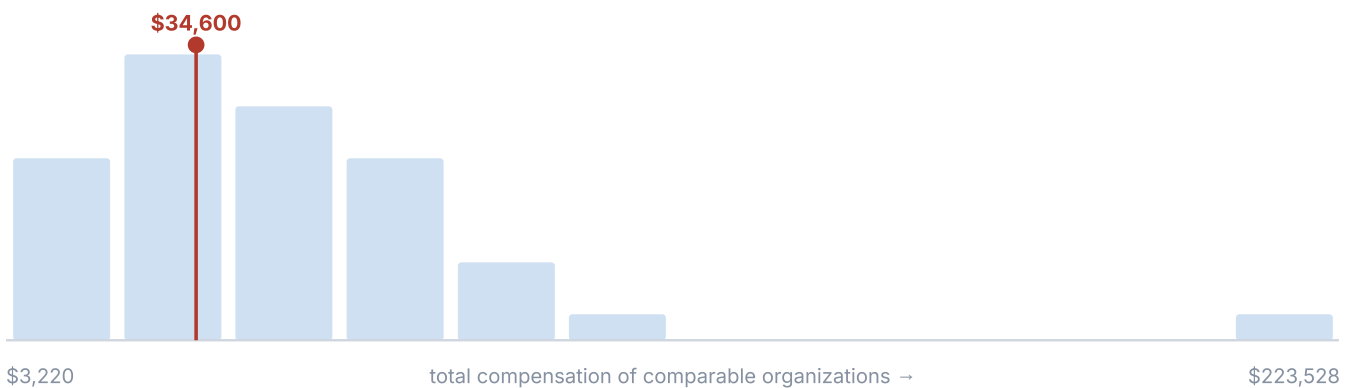
**BUDGET** Total revenue between \$197,110 and \$441,292 — 0.67x to 1.50x the subject's \$294,195 (the band tightens as size grows).

**GEOGRAPHY** Same NTEE sector (A6E), nationwide + budget 0.67–1.5x revenue.

**39** organizations qualified on sector, size, and geography

→ **39** within the band form the benchmarked peer set.

## Distribution of comparable compensation



\$12,750	\$27,965	\$45,312	\$62,625	\$82,389	\$34,600
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## ● Comparable organizations

Each figure is Form 990 Part VII columns D + F (reportable pay plus other compensation and benefits; column F may include amounts from related organizations), normalized to CO cost of living (BEA RPP, 2023) and to its filing year (CPI-U); the reported amount is on each linked 990.

ORGANIZATION	STATE	REVENUE	MATCHED TITLE	COMP (REPORTED)	COMP (ADJUSTED)	FY
<a href="#">Kapena School Of Music</a>	HI	\$290,575	Executive Dir.	\$3,350	<b>\$3,220</b>	2023
<a href="#">Alma</a>	NM	\$285,234	Outreach Dir	\$14,000	<b>\$15,704</b>	2024
<a href="#">State Street Academy Of Music At St Lawrence</a>	PA	\$303,596	Treasurer	\$4,520	<b>\$4,579</b>	2025
<a href="#">Junior Chamber Music</a>	CA	\$281,240	Director	\$14,800	<b>\$13,328</b>	2024
<a href="#">Resonance Vocal Ensemble</a>	OR	\$279,404	Secretary	\$11,063	<b>\$10,438</b>	2025
<a href="#">The Community Music School Of The</a>	VA	\$310,390	Executive Director	\$62,500	<b>\$62,934</b>	2024
<a href="#">Performing Arts School Of Worcester Inc</a>	MA	\$310,983	Executive Director	\$72,189	<b>\$69,650</b>	2023
<a href="#">Gaston School Of The Arts</a>	NC	\$311,220	Executive Di	\$36,302	<b>\$39,118</b>	2024
<a href="#">Music In Schools Today</a>	CA	\$312,240	Executive Dir.	\$105,900	<b>\$95,366</b>	2024
<a href="#">Crystal Theatre Inc</a>	CT	\$313,678	President, Artistic Director	\$29,140	<b>\$29,336</b>	2023
<a href="#">Shubanjali School Of Performing Arts</a>	NJ	\$269,769	President	\$86,667	<b>\$83,082</b>	2023
<a href="#">The Ballet School Of Stamford</a>	CT	\$265,615	Executive Dir.	\$70,000	<b>\$66,683</b>	2025
<a href="#">Suffolk County Music Educators</a>	NY	\$261,461	Treasurer	\$6,000	<b>\$5,654</b>	2024
<a href="#">Aerial Dance Chicago</a>	IL	\$259,429	Board Member / Artistic Director	\$55,200	<b>\$58,267</b>	2023
<a href="#">Community School Of The Arts</a>	TN	\$253,244	Executive Director	\$80,738	<b>\$88,506</b>	2024

ORGANIZATION	STATE	REVENUE	MATCHED TITLE	COMP (REPORTED)	COMP (ADJUSTED)	FY
<a href="#">Youth Inspirations Theatre</a>	IN	\$250,899	President	\$47,371	<b>\$52,098</b>	2024
<a href="#">Balmoral School Of Highland Piping</a>	PA	\$250,031	Exec Directo	\$35,000	<b>\$36,400</b>	2024
<a href="#">Nebraska Music Education</a>	NE	\$338,431	Executive Di	\$56,650	<b>\$63,543</b>	2024
<a href="#">Girls Write Nashville</a>	TN	\$249,272	Pres. & E.d.	\$75,000	<b>\$82,216</b>	2024
<a href="#">Flying Gravity Circus Inc</a>	NH	\$345,186	Exec Director/trustee	\$53,000	<b>\$51,037</b>	2024
<a href="#">The Music Academy</a>	PA	\$242,962	Director	\$32,984	<b>\$34,303</b>	2024
<a href="#">Sacramento Preparatory Music Academy</a>	CA	\$234,926	Ceo	\$52,000	<b>\$48,211</b>	2023
<a href="#">American Dance Institute</a>	NY	\$231,550	Executive Director	\$230,390	<b>\$223,528</b>	2023
<a href="#">Bandwagon Institute For The Arts</a>	HI	\$230,121	President	\$27,665	<b>\$26,594</b>	2023
<a href="#">Arconet</a>	PA	\$226,915	President And Artistic Dir	\$44,114	<b>\$44,696</b>	2025

**Comp (reported)** is the figure on each organization's Form 990 (columns D + F); **Comp (adjusted)** normalizes it to CO cost of living and 2024 dollars. Click any organization to verify the figure on ProPublica.

## ■ Methodology

Comparable organizations were drawn from electronically filed IRS Form 990 returns and matched on sector (NTEE code), budget (a size-adaptive revenue band that tightens as the organization grows), and geography (same-state first, broadening only when too few peers qualify); every organization within the band forms the peer set. To compare fairly across regions and years, peer compensation is normalized to CO cost of living (BEA Regional Price Parities, 2023) and to the subject's filing year (CPI-U). The figure benchmarked is Form 990 Part VII, Section A, columns D + F — reportable pay plus other compensation, benefits, and deferred amounts (column F may include amounts from related organizations) — with the chief executive matched by role. Related-organization amounts (column E) and institutional trustees are excluded. Full methodology: [peerbasis.org/methodology](https://peerbasis.org/methodology).

## ■ Sample, role match & sensitivity

**PEER COUNT** 39 organizations. Compensation range \$3,220–\$223,528; filing years 2023–2025.

**SIZE BASIS** Matched on total revenue (\$294,195); for reference, expenses \$302,764 and assets \$27,960.

**ROLE MATCH** Janet Johnson, reported title *"EXE/ARTISTIC"*, benchmarked as Executive Director / CEO. **Selected as the organization's highest-paid individual without an exact title match — the board should confirm this is a comparable role.**

**OUTLIERS** 1 peer fall outside 1.5× the interquartile range — consider whether any reflect one-time payments (severance, deferred-comp payouts).

Sensitivity — the subject's percentile under alternative compensation definitions:

BASIS	SUBJECT PERCENTILE
Total compensation (D + F), cost-of-living + inflation adjusted — the PeerBasis default	33 <sup>rd</sup>
Total compensation (D + F), as reported (no adjustments)	31 <sup>st</sup>
Reportable pay only (column D), adjusted	33 <sup>rd</sup>
All sources (D + E + F), adjusted	33 <sup>rd</sup>

If the percentile moves materially across these definitions, the result is sensitive to methodology choices, and the board should weigh which basis best fits its facts.

### ● Rebuttable presumption of reasonableness · 26 CFR 53.4958-6

Compensation paid by a tax-exempt organization is presumed reasonable — shifting the burden to the IRS — when three requirements are met. This report supplies the comparability data for the second. The board should record the following in its minutes *concurrently* with its decision:

#### Draft board minutes – executive compensation

1. The compensation of the Executive Director / CEO (Janet Johnson) was approved in advance by [the Board / Compensation Committee], composed of members with no conflict of interest with respect to the arrangement.
2. Prior to its determination, the authorized body obtained and relied upon appropriate comparability data, namely the PeerBasis Compensation Comparability Determination dated June 9, 2026, comparing compensation against 39 similarly situated organizations (Same NTEE sector (A6E), nationwide + budget 0.67–1.5× revenue).
3. The authorized body determined that total compensation of \$34,600 is reasonable (approximately the 33<sup>rd</sup> percentile of comparable organizations) and documented the basis for this determination concurrently, on [date], by a vote of [\_\_ for / \_\_ against].

Sources: IRS Form 990 e-file data (apps.irs.gov); IRS Business Master File (NTEE classification). Every figure traces to an original public filing — click any organization above to verify it on ProPublica. PeerBasis is a service of Prismind Analytics; its [methodology is published](#), was commissioned for independent adversarial review, and discloses its own limitations. This report is comparability data to support a board's good-faith determination under IRC 4958; it is not legal or tax advice. Generated by PeerBasis on June 9, 2026.