

Lighthouse Christian Homeschool Academy Inc

Executive Director / CEO

EIN 263178189
 FL · NTEE B90
 FY ending 2025-05-31
June 9, 2026

This analysis benchmarks the total compensation of **Cristina Vila, Executive Director / CEO** (\$7,802) against **every comparable organization** that fit the selection criteria — **25** in total — drawn systematically from IRS Form 990 filings, not a hand-picked subset.

Compensation sits at approximately the 4th percentile of comparable organizations

below the typical range for comparable organizations

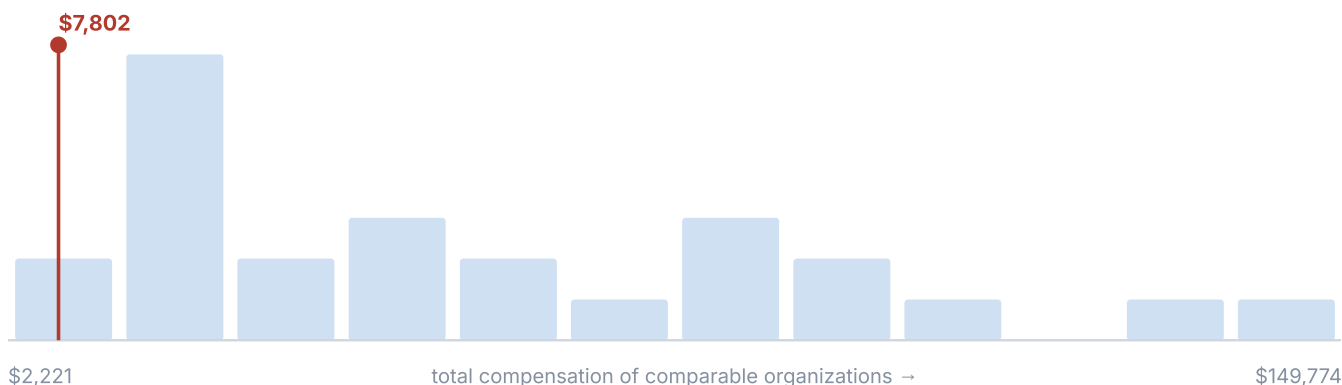
Benchmarked executive: Cristina Vila — reported title "President", a **direct title match** to the Executive Director / CEO role.

How comparable organizations were selected

SECTOR	Organizations sharing the subject's NTEE classification (B90).
BUDGET	Total revenue between \$172,510 and \$386,218 — 0.67x to 1.50x the subject's \$257,479 (the band tightens as size grows).
GEOGRAPHY	Same NTEE sector (B90) + FL + budget 0.67–1.5x revenue.

25 organizations qualified on sector, size, and geography → **25** within the band form the benchmarked peer set.

Distribution of comparable compensation



\$16,266 10TH	\$21,136 25TH	\$47,644 MEDIAN	\$79,422 75TH	\$103,911 90TH	\$7,802 THIS ORG · 4TH
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\$7,802



■ 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 FL 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
Keys Learning Center Inc	FL	\$254,113	Executive Director	\$70,000	\$73,974	2023
Housing Leadership Of Palm Beach County	FL	\$244,400	President & Ceo	\$125,465	\$128,785	2024
True North Academy Inc	FL	\$274,290	Academy Director	\$17,261	\$17,261	2025
Micar Christian University Corp	FL	\$279,543	Director	\$20,000	\$21,136	2023
National Voices For Equality Education And Enlightenment Inc	FL	\$222,277	Executive Director	\$49,510	\$52,321	2023
Lighthouse Academies Inc	FL	\$218,951	Ceo	\$145,913	\$149,774	2024
Miami Beach Education Foundation Inc	FL	\$296,822	Former President/ceo	\$2,164	\$2,221	2024
National Bible Bowl	FL	\$218,089	Executive Director	\$21,538	\$22,761	2023
Miami Dade Urban Debate League	FL	\$217,220	Program Directo	\$45,000	\$46,191	2024
Project Rock South Inc	FL	\$214,815	Program Director	\$46,416	\$47,644	2024
Spectrum Education Inc	FL	\$212,961	President	\$77,375	\$79,422	2024
Stem Xposure	FL	\$211,413	President	\$23,000	\$23,609	2024
Doctors Of Academics Learning Academy	FL	\$208,034	Ceo & President	\$30,186	\$30,985	2024
Gethsemane Ranch Inc	FL	\$204,030	Secretary	\$20,244	\$20,780	2024

ORGANIZATION	STATE	REVENUE	MATCHED TITLE	COMP (REPORTED)	COMP (ADJUSTED)	FY
Grace Education & Business	FL	\$201,797	Director	\$45,757	\$48,355	2023
Better Learning Inc	FL	\$314,284	Executive Director	\$92,350	\$94,793	2024
Seminary For The Third Millennium	FL	\$200,165	President	\$14,765	\$15,603	2023
Peace & Friendship Society Of Central Florida Inc	FL	\$192,244	Director	\$72,773	\$76,905	2023
American Porphyria Foundation	FL	\$335,190	Executive Director	\$59,231	\$60,798	2024
Nat King Cole Generation Hope Inc	FL	\$347,809	Executive Director	\$80,000	\$84,542	2023
International Gay & Lesbian Travel	FL	\$351,119	President &	\$13,478	\$14,243	2023
Collegiate Pathways Inc	FL	\$365,300	Ceo	\$107,154	\$109,989	2024
Compass Outreach And Education Center Inc	FL	\$371,658	President	\$18,267	\$18,750	2024
Edu Inc	FL	\$372,668	President	\$90,000	\$92,381	2024
Watermark Homeschool Enrichment Inc	FL	\$382,427	Director - President	\$35,000	\$35,926	2024

Comp (reported) is the figure on each organization's Form 990 (columns D + F); **Comp (adjusted)** normalizes it to FL cost of living and 2025 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 FL 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.

■ Sample, role match & sensitivity

PEER COUNT 25 organizations. Compensation range \$2,221–\$149,774; filing years 2023–2025.

SIZE BASIS	Matched on total revenue (\$257,479); for reference, expenses \$256,135 and assets \$33,170.
ROLE MATCH	Cristina Vila, reported title <i>"President"</i> , benchmarked as Executive Director / CEO. The title maps directly to this role.
RELATED-ORG PAY	3 peers report related-organization compensation (column E), which the D + F benchmark does not fully capture; review where material.

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

BASIS	SUBJECT PERCENTILE
Total compensation (D + F), cost-of-living + inflation adjusted — the PeerBasis default	4 th
Total compensation (D + F), as reported (no adjustments)	4 th
Reportable pay only (column D), adjusted	12 th
All sources (D + E + F), adjusted	0 th

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 (Cristina Vila) 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 25 similarly situated organizations (Same NTEE sector (B90) + FL + budget 0.67–1.5× revenue).
3. The authorized body determined that total compensation of \$7,802 is reasonable (approximately the 4th 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.