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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Kintzel JoAnn Issuer Symbol BLUCORA, INC. [BCOR] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title 10900 NE 8TH STREET, SUITE 01/02/2016 below) 800 President, TaxAct, Inc. (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BELLEVUE, WA 98004 Person

(City)	(State)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	on Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)			of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	01/02/2016		F	386	D	\$ 9.8	44,159	D		
Common Stock	01/02/2016		F	437	D	\$ 9.8	43,722	D		
Common Stock	01/02/2016		F	3,228	D	\$ 9.8	40,494	D		
Common Stock (1)	01/04/2016		A	26,758	A	\$ 0	67,511	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.81	01/04/2016		A	218,527	(2)	01/04/2023	Common Stock	218,527

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

President, TaxAct, Inc.

Kintzel JoAnn

10900 NE 8TH STREET

SUITE 800

BELLEVUE, WA 98004

Signatures

/s/ Laura A. Baumann, as Attorney in Fact

01/05/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Includes 259 shares acquired under the Blucora, Inc. 1998 Employee Stock Purchase Plan on July 31, 2015
- The option vests according to the following schedule: 33.33% vests on January 2, 2017, and approximately 16.67% vests at the end of each six-month period thereafter, such that the option will be fully vested on January 2, 2019.

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