

Give for the youth Help them shape their future... Together we spread hope

FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGNS USJ - HDF

2020-2021





Fédération des Associations des Anciens Université Saint-Joseph





"WE EDUCATE AND TEACH FOR EXCELLENCE. PARTNER WITH US"

Pr Salim Daccache s.j., Rector of USJ and President of USJ Foundation

The Saint Joseph University Foundation (USJ foundation), established in 2015, is a organization within the University and its hospital, dedicated to helping its students and developmental projects. Being a nonprofit, USJ relies on donations and grants to pursue its mission. For this reason, we consider our donors, whether from the generations of alumni or friends, as partners. We have been committed to excellence and values since 1875. Your support will sustain and boost our impact on a Lebanon and a world in dire need of excellence and values, now more than ever.

The principle of accountability shapes the governance and operations of the Foundation. USJ Foundation operates through a governing council, steering committee, and executive team. The governance council, composed of external auditors, has been established to articulate the fundraising strategy and monitor the ethical conduct of its activities. The steering committee accompanies the operational team on a regular basis and support the team in achieving their goal. The Foundation is committed to the practice of transparency. Donors receive detailed reports of the use and impact of their donations.

It is true that fundraising activities have been more successful at Anglo-American than French speaking universities. Our alumni community may not be used to contribute

back to their alma mater. Nonetheless, the generous heart and spirit of solidarity need not training. Partner with us in educating and teaching for excellence in Lebanon.

Yes, Lebanon needs you now and you can make a difference. I write these words in a time of tragedy. But it is not a time devoid of hope and light. We are determined to provide the best care to our patients, to help young people stay and grow up in their country. With your help, we want to remain masters of our future. Thank you for your testimony and your friendship. Your donations are precious to us. Recognition is part of our humanistic and spiritual culture.

Pr Salim Daccache

USJ FOUNDATION

The rector, Professor Salim Daccache, S.J., in 2015, established the USJ Foundation to be the financial backing of major projects at Saint Joseph University of Beirut and its affiliated hospital, Hôtel-Dieu de France.



Vision

The USJ Foundation aims to support academic excellence at USJ and HDF, boost their influence, and fulfill their social and medical mission.

Mission

The mission of the USJ Foundation lies in:

- Raising funds fund for financial aid to students
- Establishing scholarships and fellowships promoting entrepreneurship, creativity, and innovation.
- Enabling state-of-the-art capabilities for the university and hospital.
- Funding research projects and chairs for research programs.
- Fostering philanthropic initiatives with in the USJ-HDF Community.

Values

The USJ Foundation is committed to the values of equality, solidarity, commitment and transparency which are clearly reflected in its actions, projects and fundraising campaigns.



Objectives

- To provide scholarships to students in financial difficulty.
- To establish prizes to value and encourage entrepreneurship, creativity and innovation among outstanding students.
- To meet Schools' needs, and to ensure infrastructure and equipment modernization of the University and Hospital.
- To support research projects and funds, as well as the establishment of Chairs for specific topics.
- To raise awareness and develop a philanthropic culture within the USJ-HDF Community.

Mapping of the USJ Foundation Partners

Antennas

Privileged Partners

- United States of America: North America
 USJ Office
- France: Administrative Office in Paris

The Federation of USJ Alumni Associations

aims to bring together and organize the activities of the USJ Alumni Community. It brings together 21 Alumni Associations in Lebanon and 17 abroad in a network that is developing and growing on an institutional level. The Federation has recently acquired a new digital platform www.alumniusj.org to connect more than 100,000 graduates since the foundation of the university and create a force to robustly support the university and hospital. To support the ever growing financial difficulties affecting a large number of students, the Federation has committed to creating and funding the USJ Alumni Scholarship Fund. Additionally, dedicated and generous alumni members in Lebanon and abroad, such as in the United States, Canada, Great Britain, France, Switzerland, Ivory Coast, United Arab Emirates, Qatar, Kuwait, Bahrain, and Sultanate of Oman, have been launching fundraising campaigns to support their alma mater.

- Federation of Alumni Associations
- Alumni Office
- Department of Social Services

The Department of Social Services accompanies students seeking financial assistance and counseling. It ensures confidentiality, creates a safe space for students, and support students as they navigate their education at USJ.

The Department of Social Services has a range of financial aid options:

- Financial aid based on socio-economic background of students.
- Interest-free loans.
- Bank loans for which interests are covered by USJ.
- Tuition deferment at no extra charges for several months.



Governance

To ensure transparency and good governance, the USJ Foundation operates through three entities:

- A governance council composed of wellestablished and renown personalities from the social and economic spheres.
- A steering committee composed of select members of the USJ-HDF Community, who are renown for their integrity and deviation to the well-being of the institution.
- An operational team composed of qualified staff to support the director of the Foundation in running fundraising activities and looking after logistics.



Governance Council Geening Committee USJ Foundation



Support the USJ Foundation

A donation to the USJ Foundation makes educational excellence accessible to all talents, fosters social and cultural diversity on campus, and maintains the leading status of USJ in the field of research and education, both regionally and internationally.

USJ stands by its students, offering them unconditional support. To this effect, an annual budget of 20 million dollars is earmarked for enabling more than 3,000 students to pursue quality higher education.

USJ needs your support to withstand the socioeconomic crisis ravaging the country nowadays and continue to educate the leaders of tomorrow despite all odds.

For any donation made to the USJ Foundation, we commit ourselves to:

- Inform the donor about the impact of their donation.
- Recognize donors whenever the supported program is mentioned in USJ communications and publications and through all USJ channels.
- Invite you to the scientific and cultural highlights of the University and its Hospital, Hôtel-Dieu de France (HDF).
- Allow you to have direct contact with beneficiaries of your donation, if you so wish.

THE PROGRAMS OF THE USJ FOUNDATION

HEALTH SECTOR

- HDF Support (patients,
- medical needs, etc.)
- Health care centers
- Public health projects

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

- Scholarship Fund (annual scholarships)
- Endowment Fund (capitalized funds)
- Achievement Awards Fund (awards and honors)



SOCIAL AND CULTURAL ENVIRONMENT

- Humanitarian projects
- Socio-cultural projects (Museums, Theaters, USJ Choir, etc.)
- Heritage preservation (Libraries, etc.)

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

- Research projects
- Research funds
- Chairs
- Experts and expertise

CAMPAIGNS AND PROJECTS OF THE USJ FOUNDATION

Following the Beirut Port quasi-atomic explosion on August 4, 2020, USJ and its hospital, Hôtel-Dieu de France, suffered massive damages and launched the "USJ/ HDF Emergency And Solidarity Fund" which combines 4 fundraising campaigns:

- "Donate to Educate": in support of USJ students.
- 2. "Donate to Rebuild": dedicated to the restoration of devastated campuses.
- 3. "USJ en mission": humanitarian project to support disadvantaged families.
- 4. "Donate to Heal": in support of HDF.

Donate to Educate

In collaboration with the USJ Foundation and the Federation of USJ Alumni Associations, USJ launched **the 2020 Campaign "les uns pour les autres": Donate to Educate.** The goal of this fundraising campaign is to raise 2020 scholarships.

The total amount raised to date: \$5,920,864 USD. Amount to be raised: \$4,179,136 USD.



Emergency Fund for Students Affected by the Beirut Double-Blast Launched by the USJ Foundation and the Federation of USJ Alumni Associations

After the Beirut Port explosion, the urgency has increased exponentially: more than 1,528 students have been affected by the recent events and 125 will require additional financial aid, while the resources of the University are dwindling due to the inflation. The danger of a lost generation is looming. We are hereby launching a call for solidarity. Partner with us to safeguard a plural Lebanon, renowned for its human capital. Earning respectable degrees secures financial autonomy of future citizens, safeguards democracy, and prepares agents of socio-political change.

Our goal is to collect **125 SCHOLARSHIPS** to meet urgent needs. Please find below the donation options:

- Sponsor one or more students by paying their tuition fees (1 tuition = \$15,000 USD per year and per student).
- Participate in sponsoring part of a student's tuition fees.

Donate to Rebuild

The estimated cost for the restoration of our 5 Campuses, as well as our other university and heritage buildings (the Oriental Library, the Monnot Theater, the Museum of Prehistory, the University for All, etc.) all located within a few meters of the explosion stands at more than **\$2,000,000 USD**.



USJ en Mission

More than **300,000 families** have been affected by the explosion. This humanitarian project aimed to provide for the needs of **750 families** by sending them food boxes and hot meals every month until the end of December 2020. We continue to support the reconstruction works of about **77 houses** of USJ students, staff and teachers, located in the affected zone of Beirut.

Project Estimate: \$800,000 USD.



Donate to Heal

Hôtel-Dieu de France, the USJ Hospital, which took in more than **800 wounded on the evening of the explosion,** has launched its **"Disaster Recovery Plan"** and its teams have, as always, been on the front line since the outset, in spite of the material damage suffered at the hospital.

Initial estimates for reconstruction work amount to \$2,000,000 USD.

Estimates of HDF requirements for 2021:

- Biomedical equipment: \$3,000,000 USD.
- HDF Social Fund (Patient Support): \$2,000,000 USD.



Hôtel-Dieu de France Hospital (HDF)

In 1923, the University created its university hospital, Hôtel-Dieu de France (HDF), one of the first non-profit French-speaking hospitals in the region.

Today, HDF has 377 beds, 264 doctors, 432 nurses and 400 medical interns. Per year, the hospital manages approximately 19,000 admissions, performs approximately 11,000 surgeries and supervises 30,000 consultations in emergency rooms.

HDF is a hospital center of reference at the national and regional level and is valued for its highest quality of care.



OUR RECOGNITION

By supporting one or more of our campaigns, you become a member of one of our **6 Donor** Circles.

DIAMOND CIRCLE from \$500,000 to \$999,999

1875 CIRCLE more than \$1,000,000

PLATINUM CIRCLE from \$100,000 to \$499,999

GOLD CIRCLE from \$20,000 to \$99,999

SILVER CIRCLE from \$5,000 to \$19,999

BRONZE CIRCLE from \$1 to \$4,999

All your donations are accumulated over time, allowing you to move on to higher Circles.

All donors, unless otherwise requested, will have their names listed in the List of Donors in the USJ Foundation Annual Report and on the Wall of Donors on the USJ Foundation website.



FOR YOUR DONATIONS

Alumni, students, staff, friends, and partners of USJ: everyone can support this philanthropic drive according to their means and through different payment methods (bank transfer, check, or online payment).

DONATIONS BY BANK TRANSFER	DONATIONS BY CHECK	ONLINE DONATIONS
Beneficiary: Université Saint-Joseph de Beyrouth Fondation Bank: Bank Audi SAL Agency: Achrafieh Corporate, Sofil Center, Beirut, Lebanon Swift Code: AUDBLBBX LBP Account Number: 000871580078 IBAN: LB82 0056 0000 0000 0008 7158 0078 USD Account Number: 000871580083 IBAN: LB44 0056 0000 0000 0008 7158 0083 Euros Account Number: 000871580082 IBAN: LB71 0056 0000 0000 0008 7158 0082	 Payable to: Université Saint-Joseph de Beyrouth Address: USJ Foundation, USJ Rectorate, Damascus Road, Beirut, Lebanon CASH DONATION Address: USJ Foundation, USJ Rectorate, Damascus Road, Beirut, Lebanon 	USJ Foundation Website https://www.usj.edu.lb/idonate
Beneficiary: Université Saint-Joseph de Beyrouth Bank: Crédit Industriel et Commercial Agency: CIC PARIS BAC, 2 Boulevard Raspail 75007, Paris, France Swift Code: CMCIFRPP Sort Code: 10041 Account Number: 00010576701 IBAN: FR76 3006 6100 4100 0105 7670 146	Tax Deductible Payable to: Œuvre des Missions Catholiques Françaises d'Asie et d'Afrique (OMCFAA) Address: Université Saint-Joseph de Beyrouth, Bureau Administratif de Paris, 42 Rue de Grenelle, 75343 Paris Cedex 07, France	Tax Deductible CEuvre des Missions Catholiques Françaises d'Asie et d'Afrique (OMCFAA) https://www.omcfaa.org/nous- soutenir-faire-un-don-en-ligne, php. Choose one of USJ projects
Beneficiary: Friends of St Joseph's University (Scholarship) Bank: Interaudi Bank Agency: 19 East 54th Street, New York, NY 10022, USA ABA: 026006237 Swift Code: AUSAUS33 Account Number: 622712-401-01	Tax Deductible 501(c)(3) Payable to: Saint Joseph University Foundation Beirut Inc. Address: 555 Turnpike Street, Suite 55, USA North Andover, MA 01845	Tax Deductible 501(c)(3) PayPal https://www.usj.edu.lb/idonate

By supporting the USJ Foundation, you also benefit from tax deductions:

• In France, via OMCFAA

FRANCE

UNITED-STATES

- Contact : usjparis@orange.fr
- In the United States of America, via Saint Joseph University Foundation Beirut Inc. Contact: northamerica@usjbeirut.org Phone: +1 832 360 6951

Phone: +33 1 45 49 12 11





www.usj.edu.lb/donations



www.usj.edu.lb/fondationusj



Fédération des Associations des Anciens Université Saint-Joseph

alumniusj.org



www.hdf.usj.edu.lb