

## **Kedma Fundraising Committee Charter**

We are a standing committee whose goal is to raise funds from the community in order to run community events.

Our mission is to provide services for the Kedma community through which we can raise funds in order to run events to benefit our community. These services are things that enhance the Orthodox Jewish community on the University of Maryland campus.

Members may join at any time. There is no limit to the number of people who may serve on the committee. We encourage community members to get involved when a fundraising event is occurring as well as throughout the semester.

That being said, there are two types of members of the fundraising committee: standing members and ad hoc members. Standing members' functions include attending all meetings and communicating in a timely fashion as well as involvement in all ad hoc events. Ad hoc members may be involved in certain one-time fundraisers. Only standing members may run for committee chair.

Elections will be held at the end of every fall semester within the committee. We will hold a meeting where candidates will be nominated by their peers or self-nominated followed by a second meeting of speeches addressing why the candidate is good for the job. At the second meeting committee members will vote and determine their chair for the next year.

The committee must run at least one fundraising event every semester: the *lulav* and *etrog* as well as a *menorah* sale in the fall and the *michloach manot* fundraiser in the spring. For the *lulav* and *etrog* sale two freshmen will be chosen to lead the project, but it is the job of the fundraising committee to assist in promoting the event as well as the logistics and sale of the *lulavim*. An annual appeal must also be sent out once a year in partnership with Hillel.