

A Cost-Effective Solution to Raise Funds in the U.S.

An American Friends Fund provides foreign nonprofit organizations with a cost-effective solution to receive tax-deductible gifts from supporters in the United States. Avoid the trouble and expense of setting up your own U.S.-based charity. Myriad USA handles donor support and back-office administration, including tax receipts.

A Cost-Effective Solution

- No need to establish a 501(c)(3) public charity
- No need for annual audits, and no need to file annual U.S. tax returns (Form 990)
- No need to demonstrate substantial support from the general public
- No need for a U.S.-based board of directors (although you can organize your own advisory board)

A Personal Touch

- Enjoy a dedicated fund manager for any questions you or your donors may have
- Plan your meetings or events at our Manhattan convening space, at no charge
- Use our portable card readers for contributions during fundraising events

A Flexible Fundraising Platform

- Name your fund as you wish, then promote it among your networks in the U.S.
- Solicit tax-deductible donations of any amount via credit card, check, or wire transfer
- Receive gifts of securities and cryptocurrency, as well as charitable bequests and other planned gifts
- Accept gifts from individuals, donor-advised funds, foundations, and corporations
- Customize your dedicated U.S. giving webpage and link it from your site and on social media
- View donations and donor information on our web portal, and request online a distribution from your fund

Reach a Global Audience

- Expand your base of support by opening additional Friends Funds in other geographies through our partners in Myriad - the alliance for borderless giving

Fee Structure

MANAGEMENT FEE:

(charged on total gifts received in a calendar year)

5% of the first \$100,000

3% of the next \$400,000

1% of the next \$500,000

0.5% of total contributions received in excess of \$1 million

Max. fee: Any single donation greater than \$3 million will be assessed a fee capped at \$3 million.

SET-UP FEE: \$1,500

No legal fees or annual fees

No minimum balance requirement

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