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As the vehicle for a multi-faceted ambition, the Fondation du Judaïsme Français / French Judaism Foundation is focused firstly on sheltering individualised foundations and promoting their philanthropic actions. I am delighted that their initiatives in the domains of social action, culture, outreach to enhance public knowledge and awareness, education, and harmonious communal coexistence and social integration, so effectively enable Jewish culture and thought to shine brightly in our country. As a manifestation of the dynamism of our institution, in 2012, the number of sheltered foundations rose from 59 to 67.

The awards from our sheltered foundations continue to gain greater recognition and renown with each passing year, and I would like to pay tribute to the memory of Antoine Bernheim, who passed away in June 2012, whose generosity makes it possible to present the Awards for the Arts, Humanities and Sciences to deserving remarkable personalities.

Being Jewish and good corporate citizens, the French Judaism Foundation is also keenly interested in encouraging continued efforts in Jewish cultural outreach to enhance knowledge and awareness, recalling the presence of Jews in France through the millennia and their contribution to the history of the nation. Our commitment in the cultural field was strengthened in 2012, in particular through grants, scholarships and renewed support to the publishing house Éditions de l’Éclat and to the Institut Européen des Musiques Juives / European Institute of Jewish Music.

Finally, our Foundation is equally concerned about the present. The world is undergoing profound changes. The French Judaism Foundation is paying careful attention to these changes and to the questions being raised in the process. With this in mind, the decision was taken to encourage the creation of a club of young intellectuals.

Investing in the future is, of course, at the heart of our mission and vision.

Pierre Besnainou
President

The French Judaism Foundation was founded by the Fonds Social Juif Unifié (Unified Jewish Social Fund), the Oeuvre d’Assistance Sociale à l’Enfance Juive (Social Assistance Initiative for Jewish Children), the Action Sociale par l’Habitat (Social Action in Housing) and private individuals and entities: Jan Aron Samuel, Diane Benvenuti, Antoine Bernheim, Maurice de Botton, Régine Choucron, Paul Curtay, Alain de Gunzburg, Joseph Khaida, André Meyer, Joseph Nahmias, David de Rothschild, Edmond de Rothschild, Elie de Rothschild, Guy de Rothschild, Arthur Rubinstein, Gilbert Salomon Lambert, Les Fils de Joseph Weil (Sarl Besançon).

Excerpt from the Articles of Association (Article 1)

The purpose and objective of the establishment called the “Fondation du Judaïsme Français (French Judaism Foundation)” is to provide moral support and material assistance to the works, services and institutions of the Jewish community in France, with respect to the socio cultural, educational, scientific and artistic fields.

The French Judaism Foundation promotes in particular the implementation of new programmes, and the creation of general interest institutions working to meet social needs at the individual, family, group or community level, such as: social housing; providing assistance to seniors, to displaced families, and to children and adolescents in moral danger; medical and medico psychological aid.

As a general rule, it contributes to ensuring that its actions and interventions are positioned so as to be in harmony with the new socio-cultural experiences that have been gained through the successes achieved within France and beyond its borders, and especially with those that are geared towards better integration of the arts and sciences in the lives of individuals and communities.

The French Judaism Foundation’s actions and interventions may be extended to all national and international solidarity undertakings of an urgent or exceptional nature as defined in the preceding paragraphs.

It aims, in accordance with the conditions provided for in the present Articles of Association to create, under its auspices, individualised foundations and to receive disbursements to support the works or organisations mentioned in I of Article 238 bis of the Code Général des Impôts (French General Tax Code), who are committed to a similar purpose.
French Judaism Foundation is doing well and indeed one would be tempted to say very well. 2012 was a pivotal year that saw the Foundation grow and develop under the impetus of their Executive Committee and their Board of Directors.

Operating expenses were strictly controlled and have declined whereas programmes have increased considerably, with a significant evolutionary change in the Centre Français des Musiques Juives / French Centre for Jewish Music, which has reinforced its autonomy by becoming the Institut Européen des Musiques Juives / European Institute of Jewish Music. The support to the actions of the Fonds Social Juif Unifié / Unified Jewish Social Fund has been strengthened in order to respond to emergencies involving urgent social needs and security concerns.

The success of the 2012 fundraising campaign related to the ISF (impôt de solidarité sur la fortune / solidarity tax on wealth) and the payment of an extraordinary dividend by the SCIPA helped finance up to € 832,000 in additional programmes and encouraged the development of the Fédération Israélienne Francophone / Israeli Francophone Federation.

The sheltered foundations rolled out a remarkable level of activities, including presentation of Awards, and the granting of scholarships and grants.

The French Judaism Foundation continues to grow and develop reflecting strength and equanimity, in the spirit of serving and listening to all sectors of society. It endeavours to consolidate an image of intellectual openness and moral exigency. It seeks to provide the sheltered foundations with increasingly efficient services and to continue to invest in culture and the arts, as well as in harmonious communal coexistence.

Patrick Chasquès, Managing Director
The French Judaism Foundation is involved in implementing programmes financed through their own equity capital and supports the actions of individualised foundations.

Equity capital funded undertakings and activities are dependent on the following resources:

1. Dividends paid by the SCIPA, a real estate company, of which the Foundation itself holds 99% of the shares, these revenues providing coverage for their operation.

2. Allocation of Operating Income from management of up to 5% of the incoming financial flows, with a ceiling with respect to bequests.

3. Contributions in the form of gifts, donations or testamentary gifts.

Total income for the fiscal year 2012 amounted to €15.6 million, as compared to €15.2 million in 2011 while total expenses at €15.2 million remained virtually unchanged from the previous fiscal year.

Profit from revenues generated amounted to €408 thousand against a loss of €54 thousand.

The balance sheet of the French Judaism Foundation remains extremely strong with equity of €11.9 million, showing an increase of €0.4 million, as compared to 2011 and net cash of €12.3 million showing a slight decrease as compared to 2011.

As at the end of 2012, the French Judaism Foundation counted 67 sheltered foundations under its auspices, against 59 in 2011; 9 new foundations joined the French Judaism Foundation in 2012 and one foundation was closed.
2/ CHANGE IN RESOURCES

Remarks:
- There has been very significant change in the Foundation’s resource position since 2008 with a steady increase in gifts, donations and bequests in particular the increasing share from ISF related fundraising (a drop of 19%, although it should be noted that the tool for statistical monitoring of this specific fundraising programme does not offer a satisfactory level of comparison).
- Financial income dominated by the dividend received from the SCIPA (€ 1.4 M per year including extraordinary dividend of € 0.8 M for the years 2011, 2012 and 2013), and by write backs of provisions for impairment of securities constituted mainly in 2011.

3/ INFORMATION REGARDING GRANTS

Consolidated Account 2012
Grants disbursed or committed

- 30% security and facilities
- 19% education and youth
- 42% social
- 9% culture

total: € 12 025*

*Not including dedicated funds at € 1.7 M

Fondation mère 2012
Subventions versées ou engagées

- 29% culture
- 18% education and youth
- 13% security and facilities
- 40% social

total: € 1 155 K

Fondations individualisées 2012
Subventions versées ou engagées

- 31% security and facilities
- 19% education and youth
- 8% culture
- 42% social

total: € 10 870 K
The activity of the French Judaism Foundation was marked in 2012 by the establishment of a new management team who was charged with the mission and objectives of improving the Foundation’s financial structure, infusing dynamic momentum, strengthening the confidence of the committees of individualised foundations, as well as consolidating their position and modernising their image.

In 2012, there were some changes in the composition of the Board of directors with the appointment of Régine Konckier as representative for the ODASEJ - Œuvre d’Assistance Sociale à l’Enfance Juive / Social Assistance Initiative for Jewish Children. Régine Konckier is a film producer and, in particular, a member of the Executive Committee of the Board of the Fonds Social Juif Unifié / Unified Jewish Social Fund. During the year, the Foundation also strengthened their relationship with the Musée d’Art et d’Histoire du Judaïsme / Museum of Jewish Art and History by welcoming Pierre Saragoussi to their Board of Directors.

Finally, the tragedy in Toulouse has also left its profound mark on the year, and has resulted in the Foundation’s decision to invest in a video surveillance system, in order to improve their own security.
FINANCIAL STABILITY

The resources of the French Judaism Foundation are derived from two major revenue streams that are the supporting pillars enabling them to ensure stable and ongoing funding sources: dividends from the SCIPA, portfolio of residential properties, and allocation of operating income from management of 5% of the financial inflows received by the foundations.

The target adopted in 2012 had been to bring the recurrent expenses closer to the level of equivalent expenses and for them to fall within the ball park of the 1 million euro mark as of 2013.

The measures taken have provided the ability to significantly improve the Foundation’s operating ratios whereby the programmes supported are close to the operating costs. The financial position of the Foundation also was consolidated by the development of the sheltered foundation Aide à l’Enfance / Save the Children, which receives high monthly donations from a French company listed on the stock exchange.

As detailed in the financial report from the Treasurer, the Consolidated Income of the Foundation reached € 400 thousand and that of the Parent Foundation, in line with expectation, was balanced after providing an extraordinary grant of € 300 thousand to the Unified Jewish Social Fund.

STRENGTHENED RIGOUR

The standard operating policies and procedures for sheltered foundations were reaffirmed. It was reiterated that the management committee is their decision making body, under the control of the Foundation’s Board of Directors, and that they decide, based on availability of funds, the grants to be awarded, and that when an appeal for public donations is made, their choices have to be aligned with and in compliance with the actions declared at the beginning of the year to the Prefecture.

With regard to the financial management of the Foundation, a step towards greater professionalization has been taken with the establishment of consolidated budgets, a projected cash management framework and tools for monitoring committees and grants, on a foundation by foundation basis.

RELATIONSHIP WITH INDIVIDUALISED FOUNDATIONS

The Foundation’s relationship with the individualised foundations is nurtured through four channels:

- Regular periodic dissemination of a newsletter which provides information on the goings on and developments at the Foundation, their calendar of events and common issues of interest or concern such as changes in taxation or the issue of territoriality as it pertains to the deductibility of donations whose destination is outside the European Economic Area.
- The Founders’ Cocktail, which has become an annual event, was attended by 80 founders and committee members in a friendly and welcoming atmosphere.
- The presentation of the Bernheim Awards for the Arts, Humanities and Sciences.
- The regular convening of management committees.

The ISF related fundraising campaign 2012 unfolded perfectly, providing satisfaction to all of the sheltered foundations. For the Fondation OSE-MES (Oeuvre de secours aux enfants - Mémoire, de l’Enfance et de la Solidarité / Jewish Children’s Aid Organisation - Memory, Childhood and Solidarity) a system for regular monitoring of cash flows was set up with a monthly update of changes in its banking positions.

NEW AGREEMENTS

The model of the agreement between the French Judaism Foundation and the individualised foundations has evolved so as to appropriately respond to new requirements. Two new articles now provide for the authorisation of changes in the nature of the concerned foundation:

- The transformation of a foundation with irrevocable endowment fund to expendable endowment fund, if this was not originally planned, shall fall under the purview of the foundation committee based on a decision to be unanimously agreed by its members. An amendment to the present agreement shall include mention thereof. The Board of Directors of the French Judaism Foundation must also approve the same.
- The transformation of a foundation with endowment to a foundation with annuity stream (fondation de flux), by decision of the foundation committee to be unanimously agreed by its members and upon approval by the Board of Directors of the French Judaism Foundation shall take effect by means of an amendment to the agreement, subject to review and consideration of the arguments justifying such transformation.
ONGOING ACTIVITIES AND LONG TERM SUPPORT OF THE FOUNDATION

The Foundation provides long term support for priority programmes:

- The French Centre for Jewish Music, which became the European Institute of Jewish music, moved out of the Rue de Bellechasse premises in September 2012, and has relocated to better suited facilities in the 13th arrondissement. The Institute’s Articles of Association and Bylaw have been amended and the relationship with the French Judaism Foundation has been strengthened with the inclusion on its Board of Directors of three representatives of the Foundation, namely Patrick Chasquès as vice chair, Jean-Daniel Lévy as secretary general and Claude-Gerard Marcus.

- The publishing house Éditions de l’éclat experienced cash flow difficulties in 2012 which led the Board of Directors to grant them a loan. A double edition book was published in 2012: La Civilisation du Judaïsme / Jewish Civilisation edited by Shmuel Trigano.

- The Festival of Jewish Cultures in Paris entered in the official event catalogue of the City of Paris, representing the fruit of a partnership with the local councils of the 3rd and 4th arrondissements, the Festival, organised by the Unified Jewish Social Fund, has become increasingly popular and successful. It is supported by the French Judaism Foundation, its first funder.

- The Auerbach Award is presented annually by the French Judaism Foundation. The Award alternates between recognising achievements in medical research on asthma and rheumatoid arthritis. In 2012, the award was presented for arthritis research.

- The Elie Wiesel Institute receives an annual grant which beyond its monetary value reflects the Foundation's support for an establishment of higher education, which is an important player in the communication and propagation of Jewish thought in France.

- The René Cassin Seminar brings together a panel of young intellectuals. It has established as its objective the provision of a forum for promoting Jewish reflection and discussion on contemporary social issues.
SHELTERED FOUNDATIONS

It signals the dynamism of the French Judaism Foundation that 67 foundations were sheltered in 2012. They express through their diversity the openness of the French Judaism Foundation towards all cultural facets, and the solidarity and educational aspects of the Jews of France and beyond, the Christian world being represented by the Fondation Monnier. The Fondation ADIAM (Association Juive pour le Maintien à Domicile / Jewish Home Health Care and Aid Services Association) was closed in 2012.

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INDIVIDUALISED FOUNDATIONS

- **IMMAJ (Institut Méditerranéen Mémoire et Archives du Judaïsme / Mediterranean Institute Memory and Archives of Judaism):** Development of initiatives that are of an artistic, literary and educational nature common to the universality of Jewish cultures; moral support and material assistance towards the establishment and operation of the Mediterranean House of Jewish Cultures in Marseille.
- **Eretz:** Moral and material support for francophone students in Israel, including in particular, assistance in the domain of emergency medical care
- **Haya Mouchka:** Promotion, support and development of educational and social actions consistent with the universal values of Judaism
- **RHP 26:** Awarding of scholarships, support for disadvantaged families; development of Jewish culture through the teaching of the ancient texts.
- **Hanna:** Promotion, support and development of all appropriate educational or social actions in conformity with the universal values of Judaism, by the funding of projects related to the construction or operation of educational institutions.
- **Armand et Janet Sibony pour l’éducation/Armand and Janet Sibony Foundation for Education:** Financial support to deserving students who desire mainly to pursue scientific studies.
- **Anne-Marie et Philippe Benech:** Regular support to recognised and accredited centres for Jewish studies for the development of their programmes.
- **Connaissance des Religions du Livre / Knowledge of Religions of the Book:** Supporting Hebrew university academic centres as well as doctoral candidates nearing the completion of their programme of study.
- **Halévy Jeunesse et famille / Halévy Youth and family:** Support to actions in the educational, social and cultural fields intended to benefit Youth and Families.

Two other individualised foundations have been accepted by the Board of Directors, but have not at the present time completed the formalities and processes necessary for their opening including the settlement of costs related to foundation establishment and initial financial flows:
- **Maimonide Ibn Rushed:** Support to initiatives that provide opportunities for Jews and Muslims to exchange meaningful dialogue, interact and work together to create better mutual understanding.
- **Tlemcen:** Preservation and promoting awareness, propagating knowledge of the cultural, spiritual and liturgical heritage of Judaism based in North Africa and particularly in Tlemcen.

GRANTS AWARDED BY THE SHELTERED FOUNDATIONS

Overall, in 2012, the individualised foundations funded up to nearly 12 million € in programmes run by non-profits, voluntary agencies and associations*, in alignment with their various different objects. The main grant awarding foundations were the Fondation FSJU, the Fondation du Patrimoine Juif de France / Jewish Heritage Foundation of France, the Fondation OSE-MES. The grants were distributed among programmes related to solidarity, education, heritage, and Francophonie. They provided the means to support a significant level of economic activity while often coming to the aid of people in need. A special effort was made in 2012 to ensure the security, safety and development of facilities and premises with a total of € 3 765 882 in grants, accounting for 35.6% of the total grants from individualised foundations.

* Not including dedicated funds amounting to € 1.7 M
MANAGEMENT REPORT
In our two previous management reports on the financial statements for fiscal years 2010 and 2011, we had reported to you that the Board of Directors of the French Judaism Foundation had, at their meeting held on 14 December 2010, decided unanimously to cancel the transaction for acquisition of 602 housing units from the SA HLM Maisons Saines ± Air et Lumières / SA HLM Healthy Homes ± Air and Light that had been initiated on 17 December 2009, and to undertake the necessary measures to cancel this operation by judicial means. By summons dated 24 December 2010, the SA HLM Maisons Saines ± Air et Lumières brought an application for annulment of the sale of 602 housing units before the Tribunal de Grande Instance de Paris / High Court in Paris.

On 25 May 2012, the Tribunal de Grande Instance de Paris ordered the annulment of the transaction for acquisition of 602 housing units by the French Judaism Foundation from the SA HLM Maisons Saines ± Air et Lumières dated 17 December, 2009.

This decision had the effect of cancelling the accounts of sundry debtors and sundry creditors in which all the assets and liabilities relating to these 602 units were posted. In addition, the registration fees paid following this purchase amounting to € 240 thousand have been returned to the French Judaism Foundation. On the other hand, the legal and documentation related fees could not be recovered resulting in the recognition of an extraordinary charge of € 157 thousand at the end of 2012.

Finally, a Memorandum of Understanding detailing the transactions between 17 December 2009 and the date of return of the properties is being finalised between our foundation and the SA HLM Maisons Saines – Air et Lumières.
INCOME

Consolidated resources continued to rise in 2012, to reach € 15.6 M, an increase of 2.8% as compared to 2011. These revenues do not take into account the invoicing for costs related to creation and management by the parent Foundation to the individualised foundations amounting to € 743 thousand in 2012 (€ 701 thousand in 2011). These amounts are eliminated in the consolidation due to the fact that they are included in reciprocal transactions (resources at head office and uses in the FI).

The revenue items are mainly comprised of donations (in particular associated with the ISF related fund raising) and financial income, including the proceeds from real property assets held by the French Judaism Foundation (dividends paid by the SCIPA) and write backs of provisions for impairment of financial assets. The resources (excluding management fees charged by the head office) are distributed as follows:

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The following points should however be noted:

This year again, the French Judaism Foundation had to manage through the individualised foundations that they shelter, a major fund raising effort initiated under the framework of legal provisions relative to the TEPA law concerning the ISF wealth tax. This fund raising campaign undertaken by 7 foundations under FJF aegis (Fondation FSJU, Fondation OSE-MES, Fondation du Patrimoine Juif de France / Jewish Heritage Foundation of France, Fondation Moses Mendelsohn / Moses Mendelsohn Foundation, Fondation pour le Mémorial de la Shoah / Foundation for the Memorial of the Shoah, Fondation Scopus UHJ / Scopus Foundation supporting the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and Wizo Foundation) by making an appeal for public donations reached a significant level of nearly € 7.7 million but saw a downturn of about 19% as compared to 2011 (€ 9.5 million). All of these donations have been earmarked for specific programmes. Since March 2012, the Fondation Aide à l’Enfance / Save the Children Foundation has been receiving a significant level of support from a French company listed on the stock exchange.

- Nine new individualised foundations were created during the fiscal year, upon receiving authorisation by our Board of Directors. Another point to be noted is the closure on 24 April, 2012, of the Fondation ADIAM (Association Juive pour le Maintien à Domicile / Jewish Home Health Care and Aid Services Association).

Thus, as at the end of 2012, a total of 67 foundations were sheltered under the aegis of the French Judaism Foundation as compared to 59 at the end of 2011, amongst which 30 are foundations with endowments (4 with expendable endowment) and 37 are the foundations with annuity streams (fondations de flux).

- The dividend received through our stake in the SCIPA remained stable at € 1 386 thousand.

This increase in revenues has provided the resources for the Parent Foundation in particular to expand their support for programmes appraised and operated by our partner, the Unified Jewish Social Fund.
EXPENSES

The expenses for the year remained stable finishing at €15.2 million (against €15.3 million in 2011). The breakdown of these expenses is presented here below.

Expense items consist, up to 90% (similar proportion to that in 2011), of financial support to programmes that have been completed or are yet to be undertaken, with 10% attributed to operating costs and personnel costs as well as financial / interest expenses (approximately €89 thousand).

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<td>- Individualised Foundations share</td>
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<td>6 934</td>
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The financial stability of the total overall expenses of the French Judaism Foundation masks an operational reality that has been very dynamic during the year 2012.

- Since coming on board in January 2012, the Foundation’s new Managing Director, has been charged with a multi-pronged mission and the responsibility for streamlining the operational team, introducing new management tools and administrative systems in order to improve the services provided to the foundations under our aegis, to strengthen control and develop the leadership capacities of the committees of the foundations under our aegis and enhance the image and positioning of our institution;
- The reconfiguration of the operational team of the Foundation which led to the reorganisation and redefinition of the roles and responsibilities of the entire team, the effects of which are to become evident in 2013;
- Assumption of independent status by the European Institute of Jewish Music (formerly CFMJ) and the transfer of the Foundation’s Musical Heritage Department to the Institute, with the Foundation retaining an important role, accompanied by continued support and substantial control over the Institute.
NET INCOME

The consolidated net income of the French Judaism Foundation reflected a net operating surplus of €408 thousand as compared to a loss of €54 thousand for the fiscal year 2011.

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<tr>
<td>- French Judaism Foundation share</td>
<td>-92</td>
<td>321</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>146</td>
<td>436</td>
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<tr>
<td>- Individualised Foundations share</td>
<td>500</td>
<td>-375</td>
<td>-423</td>
<td>484</td>
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The Parent Foundation achieved excellent performance results over a year that saw the changeover of their Corporate Management, the implementation of rationalisation and reorganisation measures involving non-recurring costs (consulting fees, severance related payouts for departing employees, etc.), completion of the process for assumption of independent legal status by the European Institute of Jewish Music and the creation of 9 new foundations under FJF aegis. The net loss of €92 thousand (against a surplus of €321 thousand in 2011) includes an extraordinary charge of €157 thousand corresponding to legal and related documentation fees paid during the transaction for purchase of 602 housing units that could not be recovered at the time of the court’s decision voiding the transaction.

As for the foundations under FJF aegis, they posted a surplus of €500 thousand (against a loss of €375 thousand in 2011 due mainly to a negative financial result). This surplus was generated by a positive financial result of €295 thousand (one third of net gains on asset disposals and two thirds comprising write backs of provisions for impairment) and by a share of donations not yet allocated to programmes amounting to a total of €205 thousand.
The balance sheet of the French Judaism Foundation became considerably lighter with total assets decreasing to €15 million due to the cancellation of the transaction related to the 602 housing units, against €21.4 million at the end of 2011.

**ASSETS**

**Fixed Assets**
These remained stable at €2.1 million.

**Other receivables**
Other receivables totalled €0.5 million as at the end of 2012 against €6.7 thousand at the end of 2011, these accounts are those used in the past to neutralise the operation related to the 602 housing units.

**Marketable Securities**
A decline of 3.5% as compared to year end 2011, the value of marketable investment securities totalled €11.6 million against €12 million at year end 2011. They may be broken down in the following manner:

An amount of €2.7 million for the Parent Foundation, which is a decrease of €1 million compared to the end of 2011,

An amount of €8.9 million for the individualised foundations, an increase of €0.6 million compared to end 2011.

**Cash and Cash Equivalents**
Cash and cash equivalents totalled €789 thousand (including €186 thousand for the Parent Foundation and €603 thousand for individualised foundations) against €643 thousand at the end of 2011.

**LIABILITIES**

**Equity**
The total equity of the French Judaism Foundation amounted to €11.9 million at the end of 2012 against an amount of €11.5 million at the end of the previous financial year. They may be broken down as follows:

€3.5 million for the parent Foundation, which is a decrease of €92 thousand over the previous financial year;

€8.4 million for the foundations under FJF aegis, which is an increase of €500 thousand compared to year end 2011.

**Dedicated Funds**
These funds correspond to the commitments made by the French Judaism Foundation on behalf of some of their individualised foundations towards specific programmes, but which had not yet been disbursed as at 31 December 2012. The total amount of dedicated funds at €2,080 thousand represented a decrease of €687 thousand compared to the previous financial year. The Foundation OSE-MES on its own, accounted for more than half of the commitments made, amounting to €1.2 million.

**Debts**
Total debts (including accrued liabilities) amounting to €821 thousand, represented a decrease of €6,342 thousand compared to year end 2011 due to the cancellation of the transaction related to the 602 housing units.

**CONCLUSION**
The reorganisation of the corporate administration team and the implementation of effective management tools (the deployment process is not yet completed) now enable the Foundation to ensure more effective involvement within the committees of the foundations under their aegis (more advice and counselling, greater synergies with respect to the projects...).

These measures were also guided by the financial objective of reducing recurrent financing requirements during a year loaded with operational costs and “intangible” projects (associated with bequests or multiyear financial support commitments - European Institute of Jewish Music, Festival of Jewish Culture, Elie Wiesel Institute, etc) to about €1 million. This goal is expected to be achieved as of the current year. The ISF related fund raising programme makes it possible through the dynamism of the foundations under FJF aegis, to develop initiatives and activities of the French Judaism Foundation but by way of programmes other than those initiated and/or supported by the Foundation itself. At present there appears to be a need for reflection and deliberation with regard to the evolution of the development model of the Foundation.

The Foundation has, for three years, been the beneficiary of extraordinary revenues related to the surplus of reserves accumulated by the SCIPA, a subsidiary in which we hold a 99% stake, which have provided the means to broaden the financial support the Foundation extends to new programmes with the assistance of our partner, the Unified Jewish Social Fund. However these reserves are necessarily limited and other options for financing our development need to be analysed.

**Daniel Zenaty**
Treasurer
1/ MANAGEMENT POLICY AND METHOD

The policy for managing the financial assets of the French Judaism Foundation has been delegated by a mandate to the most highly reputed money managers on the Paris financial market.

The policy tries, as far as possible, to meet the objectives of the individualised foundations with respect to both the amounts and the frequencies of distribution of grants to the programmes (payments may or may not be scheduled), as well as in terms of their specificities (foundations with or without expendable endowment, or foundations with only annuity streams) in highly unpredictable and extremely volatile macro-economic contexts.

The financial assets of the French Judaism Foundation represent nearly 90% of their balance sheet. They consist mainly of the endowments and reserves of the Parent Foundation and their individualised foundations, it should however be clarified that only the French Judaism Foundation is legally the owner of these assets. These assets may be managed either in a common manner or in an individualised manner.

The common management option is recommended to all of our founders and consists of entrusting a management mandate to our historic banking partner, Rothschild & Cie Gestion / Rothschild & Company Management, by choosing from amongst multiple financial - investment management profiles (secure, conservative, balanced and dynamic).

Individualised management is based on a bank chosen by the founder. This option shall only be considered as an exception and may be granted on the basis of very specific circumstances. As of 31 December, 2012, only 6 individualised foundations out of a total of 67 were being provided with such individualised management services through 5 leading banking establishments, either in addition to the recommended common management, or on an exclusive basis.

2/ MARKET TRENDS IN 2012 AND FORWARD OUTLOOK

The year 2012 was marked by continued prevalence of strong volatility in global financial markets and by very strong political and economic tension during the first half of the year in Europe, who, at the expense of two bailout and restructuring packages has managed to avoid the exit of Greece from the Euro zone. The final picture for 2012 was flattering but the good performance results were primarily achieved over a short period (50% of the average performance of the equity markets was posted during the last quarter of the year.)

The general slowdown in the developed country economies as well as in the BRIC economies gave rise to a number of uncertainties resulting in high market volatility which all weighed down the global financial markets. In this context, prudence and caution shall be ‘de rigeur’ and the quest for absolute performance however modest, shall prevail in our management choices.

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3/ ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT AND PERFORMANCE RESULTS 2012

As at 31 December 2012, financial assets (excluding equity investments and marketable investment securities) totalled € 12.2 million and were deposited with and primarily managed by Rothschild & Cie Gestion.

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The current management objective is to achieve an overall annual performance that is at a minimum equal to that of the capitalised EONIA index (0.24% for 2012) and to ensure a steady regular increase of capital that must be protected from the effects of inflation.

Taking into consideration their weightage (88%) as depositary - custodian / manager, we propose to focus our analysis of the performance on the assets managed by Rothschild & Cie Gestion.

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4/ TRENDS AND CHANGES

The macroeconomic uncertainties that are weighing down on our economies and the significant growth and development of the French Judaism Foundation should induce us to strengthen our requirements and controls on our custodian - depositaries / managers.

A Finance Committee shall very shortly be set up whose primary function will be to assist the Board of Directors of the French Judaism Foundation in the management and control of their financial assets.
The French Judaism Foundation’s collection essentially publishes series of collective documents, proceedings of conferences and seminars on topics in social sciences focusing on Jewish themes. These books and publications represent the vanguard of thought and reflection on major themes of history and current affairs. The 13 published works have been released in partnership with the publishing house Éditions de l’Éclat and with the support of the Fondation pour la Mémoire de la Shoah / Foundation for the Memory of the Shoah.

THE CIVILISATION OF JUDAISM

The definition of being Jewish is often viewed as an occasion for embarrassment. "People", "religion", "confession", "nation", the words seem to be at the same time both abundant and lacking for identifying this strange phenomenon of thirty centuries. The category of "civilisation" is - at least in France - rarely used, while its application to Judaism was conceived in the United States, in particular by Mordecai Kaplan (1881-1983), whose first chapter in this book discusses the contribution thereof. Without a doubt, the centralist political culture of France does not facilitate such an approach. This simple comparison highlights the cultural, as well as the temporal relativity, of such a semantic use. It is indeed in the modern era – and at a time when Zionism has founded a state for the Jews – that it appeared in the debate, the most recent arrival to the questioning of Jewish identity, it was also relative to a specific historical and political configuration. It is, in fact, the conditions for the emancipation of the Jews and of their entry into the citizenship of statehood that have dissociated the fate of the individual from that of the community and the culture, to the point of making them obscure and problematic. Having become citizens, the Jews were to have ceased to be a people, a culture, a history. However, their singular existence never for a bit ceased to be perpetuated, and least of all in the very eyes of the emancipators. The “Jewish question” thus became a central issue throughout all of modern history, while remaining in the realm of the indeterminate. It is certain that the category of "civilisation" contains overtones of those of "people" and more specifically of “society”. Marcel Mauss made the observation: "The notion of civilisation is certainly less clear than that of society that it furthermore presupposes... The phenomena of civilisation (civis, citizen) are by definition social phenomena of the given society.” If the concept of a people is the subject of the philosophy of history or metaphysics, the notion of society is more pragmatic and falls within the domain of social science. Jewish sociality is indeed to be regarded as a matter of empirical reality, before any questioning of its category of existence.

TITLES PUBLISHED

Héritages d’André Neher (Legacies of André Neher) edited under the direction of David Banon. André Neher was one of the great figures of post war French Judaism. His philosophical work just like his commitment left a lasting mark on generations of readers. He renewed the Jewish questioning of modernity and contributed to a revival of Jewish studies in France. The collective works derived from several conferences, showcases one of Judaism’s great thinkers having the double distinction of being a great writer.
Destins de la « banalité du mal » (Destinies of the “Banality of Evil”) edited under the direction of Michelle Irène Brudny and Jean-Marie Winkler. Since the publication of “Eichmann in Jerusalem: A Report on the Banality of Evil” in 1963, the central concept of the book by Hannah Arendt has been the subject of numerous controversies and discussions. Fifty years later, historians, philosophers, writers engage in a posthumous debate with the author. In particular the question remains as to how the banalisation of the “banality of evil” could play out against the direction of the Arendt formula, and to what extent has it not in its turn, also brought about other ills of “banality” viewed from the perspective of history.

Héritages de Franz Rosenzweig (Legacies of Franz Rosenzweig) edited under the direction of Myriam Bienenstock. Entire sections of the work of Franz Rosenzweig remain to be discovered. The publication of a part of the proceedings of the conference “Nous et les autres (Us and Them)”, held in Paris in 2009, makes it possible to examine the author of l’Etoile (The Star of Redemption) on his understanding of Others and his philosophy of Otherness, but also in regards to his original figurative representation “des Nous (of ‘We’)”. When someone says ‘we’ what does he mean? Here this question is discussed and studied right down to its legal and political implications.

Terre d’exil, terre d’asile, (Land of Exile, Land of Asylum), brings together contributions from a conference in Paris held in late 2009, on the occasion of the bicentenary of the Fondation Casip-Cojasor (Casip-Cojasor Foundation).

Juifs de France et d’Allemagne aux XIXe et XXe siècles, (Jews of France and Germany in the 19th and 20th Centuries), developed by young French, German, English and American researchers pursuing doctoral studies, the volume offers a comparative history with a view to defining the broad outlines of what could be constituted as European Judaism.

Juifs et musulmans en Tunisie entre orient et occident, (Jews and Muslims in Tunisia Between East and West) Title coordinated by Denis Cohen-Tannoudji.

Réceptions de la cabale (Receptions of the Kabala) edited under the direction of Pierre Gisel and Lucie Kaennel.

Zadoc Kahn a Chief Rabbi amidst Jewish culture, the Dreyfus affair and secularism, edited under the direction of Jean-Claude Kuperminc and Jean-Philippe Chaumont.

Juifs et anarchistes histoire d’une rencontre, (Jews and Anarchists) the story of a meeting, edited under the direction of Amedeo Bertolo.

Héritages de Rachi (Legacies of Rashi) edited under the direction of René-Samuel Sirat.

Rire, Mémoire, Shoah (Laughter, Memory, Holocaust) edited under the direction of Andréa Lauterwein, with the participation of Colette Strauss-Hiva

Retours : mélanges à la mémoire de Stéphane Moses, (Returns: Blending with the Memory of Stéphane Moses), title co-ordinated by Patricia Farazzi and Michel Valensi.

Les intellectuels français et Israël (French Intellectuals and Israel) a collective work edited under the direction of Denis Charbit.
IN 2012, THE FOUNDATION AWARDED GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS TO SUPPORT VARIOUS PROGRAMMES UP TO A TOTAL AMOUNT OF € 78 THOUSAND, TO BE ADDED TO THE AMOUNT ALLOCATED TO THE ABOVE CITED ACTIVITIES AND INITIATIVES SUSTAINED OVER THE LONG TERM. THE FOLLOWING PUBLICATIONS AND PRODUCTIONS HAVE IN PARTICULAR RECEIVED FINANCIAL AID:

- **Jewish Consistories of Algeria in the 19th century**
  Beneficiary of a grant from the French Judaism Foundation in 2011, "Les Consistories israélites d’Algérie au XIXème siècle" has been published by Armand Colin. In 1845, France, by royal decree, established new institutions across communities in Algeria: an Algerian Jewish Consistory based in Algiers and two regional Consistories, in Oran and Constantine. Being badly outnumbered and poorly received by their African brethren, would the rabbis from Alsace sent by the Central Consistory be capable of accomplishing their “civilising mission”? The book answers many other questions and retraces, through the history of the Consistories, the phases of the modernisation of the Algerian Jewish societies from 1830 through to the eve of the First World War.

- **Isaac B. Singer**
  Gide used to say that it holds true in the case of certain writers much like ponds or fountains: the clarity of their writings is such that it is necessary to focus attentively and at length to perceive the depth therein. Isaac Bashevis Singer is one of them. The inexhaustible stereotypes that circulate about him - the kind fabulist of the Jewish soul, the Talmudic imp who seems to have escaped from a Chagall canvas, the nostalgic storyteller tirelessly resurrecting the vanishing folklore from a buried Yiddishland are particularly misleading. These are no more than conveniently superficial traces of evidence. Only reflections shimmering on the surface of his prose. The entire premise of this book from publishing house L’Herne is to explore, below these smooth and limpid ‘waters’, the depths of the Singerian thought, to bring to light that which lays hidden beneath this apparent and false simplicity. Les Cahiers de l’Herne Collection. Isaac B Singer.

- **The Stein family**
  Americans of German Jewish origin, the Steins moved to Paris at the beginning of the twentieth century: avant-garde writer Gertrude with her brother Leo, Michaël their eldest brother with his wife Sarah. The first to purchase the works of Picasso and Matisse, their home housed all manner of works from the artistic avant-garde movement and they eventually put together one of the most amazing collections of modern art. For the first time the story of this extraordinary family has been set to film. It sheds light on the contribution of the Steins to modern art: Gertrude’s friendship with Picasso, Sarah’s links with Matisse, the projects planned by Gertrude during the 20s and 30s with Picasso, Gris, Masson, Picabia, etc. An Arte production. DVD for sale at Fnac and other retail outlets.
- To the Origins of Judaism
Under editorial direction by Jean Baumgarten and Julien Darmon, the book has been written by eminent specialists. It provides a greater perspective and understanding of the history of Judaism and the Jewish people. It accomplishes this by reviewing the origins, the evolutionary developments, the constancies or breaks, but mostly because it is about the story of a nation which was for a long time without a State or geographic territory, whose inhabitants spoke a wide variety of languages and expressed themselves through very different traditions: the diverse cultures, the religion, the lifestyles, the intellectual output, the strength of its symbols and its imagination. These are the general themes that run through the book: the world of the Torah, the origins of midrash, the philosophy in the tradition, the history of the Kabbalah, the origins of Hasidism, dissenting viewpoints, liturgy in Jewish life, the birth of Sephardic and Ashkenazi Judaism, the history of communities and social institutions, the rise of Jewish modernity, Zionism, Judaism today ... Published by Editions Acte Sud.

The French Judaism Foundation has provided grants to programmes appraised by the Jewish Social Fund amounting to € 745 thousand.

This financial envelope is divided into two tranches:
- € 445 thousand, distributed as follows:- € 110 thousand for youth identity; € 16 thousand for the re-establishment of inter-generational links; € 225 thousand for solidarity initiatives; and € 94 thousand for promoting cultural dialogue among citizens.
- € 300 thousand, distributed as follows:- € 150 thousand for enhancing security systems in Jewish schools after the tragedy in Toulouse, € 150 thousand towards completing the financing of the Cantine Latalmid / Canteen Latalmid (for students) bursary programme.

The Foundation has continued in accordance with the decision of the Board of Directors, the support for the establishment of the Israeli Francophone Federation, through a grant of € 130 thousand. This grant has allowed the Israeli Francophone Federation to consolidate its success with the francophone associations. It should be recalled that Israel has hundreds of thousands of Francophones who wish to maintain a strong link with the French language and culture,
AWARDS PRESENTED BY THE SHELTERED FOUNDATIONS

THE AWARDS ESTABLISHED BY THE SHELTERED FOUNDATIONS ARE INTENDED TO HONOUR DESERVING INDIVIDUALS, INITIATIVES, MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS AND UNDERTAKINGS OR COMMITMENTS BRINGING NEW HOPE AND PROMISE OF LIFE:

- The Bernheim Awards 2012 for the Arts, Humanities and Sciences were presented to Enrico Macias, René Frydman and Pierre Pachet during a ceremony at the Theatre du Vieux Colombier.

- The Stern Foundation, on Friday, 24 May, presented five computers with printer and headphones to the students of ORT Villiers, winners of its 2012 Award.

- Presentation of the Dana Award 2012 on Wednesday, 4 July. The winner was the Beya’had Association, for their new approach to address the situation of isolation of children with disabilities in the Jewish community.

- ‘Coup de Cœur’ special prize decided by the Jury of the Dana Award to “Lamalo, sème ta curiosité, cultive ton identité (Lamalo, sow the seeds of your curiosity, cultivate your identity)”, is the first quarterly magazine / website that caters to Jewish children from 7 to 12 years old and promotes the development of a sense of identity among them..

- The Janusz Korczak Award 2012 was presented on Thursday, 21 June, to François David for his book: Les Étoiles Sont Tombées (The Stars Have Fallen). The Award is funded by two sheltered foundations, namely Yad LaYeled and Renée and Léon Baumann.

- The Léon Skop and Léa Rosenbaum Award was presented to Professor Yitskhok Niborski for his contribution to the promotion and preservation of the Yiddish language.
ACADÉMIE HILLEL (Hillel Academy)  
Promotion in France and throughout the world university academic projects in Jewish Studies that are international and multidisciplinary in nature; interfaith dialogue and organisation of meetings among the major spiritual faiths.

AIDE À L’ENFANCE (Save the Children)  
Supporting children in need.

AU CŒUR DES ENFANTS (Kids At Heart)  
Developing social programmes for sick kids in hospitals and children’s homes.

VICTOR BARUCH  
Financing training for young people to help them get started in life.

RENÉE ET LÉON BAUMANN  
Promoting solidarity with all those in adverse situations in order to build a world of greater mutual support and fellowship; supporting research on the Holocaust; providing assistance for creative works.

B’nai B’rith France - BBF  
Supporting young talented individuals in the humanistic spirit of the BBF in France and Israel.

BEIT HAM  
Social, cultural and educational activities for disadvantaged youth in Israel; dialogue amongst young people from all backgrounds in France and Israel.

ANNE-MARIE ET PHILIPPE BENECH  
Supporting centres of Jewish Studies that are recognised and accredited.

MÉLITA BERN-SCHLANGER  
Recognising and supporting research on insulin-dependent diabetes.

RENÉE ET LÉONCE BERNHEIM  
Supporting Jewish culture in France and Europe; presenting the FJF Francine and Antoine Bernheim Award for the arts, humanities and sciences.

MARTIN BUBER  
Studying and reflecting on the various dimensions and the future of Jewish existence; casting a Jewish perspective on the major issues of the City.

JACOB BUCHMAN  
Perpetuating the memory of the Holocaust by presenting the Memory of the Shoah Award in France, and an award of the same name in Israel at the Yad Vashem Institute.

NICOLE CHOURAQUI  
Promoting research on the condition of women, particularly in the Jewish tradition and history; supporting cultural initiatives.

C.I.G.A.L.E  
Centre international du Geste et des Arts de l’Ecoute / International Centre for the Performance, Visual and Listening Arts  
Supporting artists and institutions in the fields of music, dance and the visual arts.

CIL LEBEL  
Providing scholarships to gifted students in advanced programmes, supporting scientific research and humanitarian work in Israel.

ALBERT ET ELBA CUENCA  
Supporting development and research in the field of Sephardic Judaism (this foundation is not yet operational).

POUR LA CULTURE JUIVE  
(For Jewish culture) Promoting, disseminating and publicising Jewish culture, from creative works to publishing and broadcasting, and raising awareness.

POUR LA CULTURE SÉPHARADE  
(For Sephardic Culture) Developing knowledge and dissemination of Sephardic history and culture.

NORBERT DANA  
Encouraging social initiatives and actions that are innovative and pluralistic.

CAROL DEGUEN  
Promoting dialogue without discrimination among young people; providing support to conferences and seminars.

CONNAISSANCE DES RELIGIONS DU LIVRE  
(Knowledge of the Religions of the Book)  
Supporting Hebrew university academic centres as well as doctoral candidates nearing the completion of their programme of study.

POUR L’ÉDUCATION JUIVE  
(For Jewish Education) Initiating, supporting, financing and assisting any project relating to education and lead by a competent association; supporting the publication of suitable media.

ERETZ  
Providing moral and material support for francophone students in Israel, including in particular, through assistance in the health care domain.

EZRA L’YAACOV  
Providing material and moral support to individuals and families in Israel.

SHALOM FLACK  
Promoting research and creative works on Judaism in France and North Africa.

FSJU (Fonds Social Juif Unifié / Unified Jewish Social Fund)  
Initiation and support of cultural, educational and social programmes.

GANENOU  
Developing the pluralistic and open Jewish school; supporting the programmes of the Ganenou School.

HALÉVY POUR LA JEUNESSE ET LES FAMILLES  
(Halévy for Youth and Families) Supporting actions in the educational, social and arts fields.

HANIA  
Providing moral support and financial assistance for works, services and institutions of the Jewish community in the educational, social and arts fields.

HAYA MOUCHKA  
Promotion, support and development of educational and social actions consistent with the universal values of Judaism, through the funding of projects related to the granting of scholarships for university or graduate studies, the development of social aid initiatives to help the poor, elderly or disabled, the construction or operation of educational institutions.

HENRIETTE HALPHEN-SCHUMANN  
Preservation and dissemination of Jewish music; and organising music oriented events in memory of H. Halphen Schumann.
H.E.S.S.E.D.
Honouring, teaching, and safeguarding respect for the memory of the deceased and perpetuating, maintaining Jewish graves in France; development of Francophonie in Israel.

IMMAJE
(Institut Méditerranéen Mémoire et Archives du Judaïsme / Mediterranean Institute Memory and Archives of Judaism) Development of initiatives that are of an artistic, literary and educational nature common to the universality of Jewish cultures; providing moral support and material assistance towards the establishment and operation of the Mediterranean House of Jewish Cultures in Marseille.

MADELEINE ISRAËL
Providing aid to students.

POUR LA JEUNESSE JUIVE
(FOR JEWISH YOUTH)
Developing educational programmes for youth inspired by the values of Jewish culture; supporting the creation of materials intended for organisers and facilitators of youth activities and youth movements.

FANNY ET JACOB KAPLAN
Supporting the programmes and activities of the Fanny Kaplan centres in Israel, in particular for promoting francophonie; and honouring the memory of Jacob Kaplan (1895-1994) Chief Rabbi of France (1955-1980), in accordance with their commitments.

RENE LÉVY
Maintaining and strengthening the memory of the communities of Moselle; providing aid to young people for developing and implementing projects.

JACQUES ET JACQUELINE LÉVY-WILLARD
Supporting educational and cultural programmes promoting research on Jewish history.

MAAYAN
Aider au développement des valeurs du Judaïsme through education, culture, solidarity; and supporting inter faith dialogue in accordance with their ethical guidelines.

MAIMONIDE-IBN RUSHED
Encouraging and supporting all initiatives that provide opportunities for Jews and Muslims to exchange meaningful dialogue, interact and work together to create better mutual understanding.

MOSES MENDELSOHN
Promotion of the culture and the teaching of a Judaism of openness.

MIGDAL OR
Promoting the dissemination and propagation of Jewish traditions, developing exchanges between Mediterranean cultures.

BERNARD ET VIRGINIE MONNIER
Providing aid for the conservation of family archives, making donations to religious - - humanitarian associations.

NAGUILAH
Providing moral and financial support to blind, visually impaired and physically disabled in France and in Israel.

ANDRÉ ET RENÉE NEHER
Building awareness about the thoughts and the works of the philosopher and historian.

OSE – MÉMOIRE, ENFANCE, SOLIDARITÉ
(Jewish Children’s Aid Organisation - Memory, Childhood and Solidarity)
Contributing to the activities of the history and archival service of the Ose; initiating and supporting programmes of assistance to families at risk in France and around the world.

PARCOURS DE VIE-WIZO FRANCE
(LIFE COURSE-WIZO FRANCE)
In France and Israel, providing support for action to benefit disadvantaged children and women who are victims of abuse; promoting new leadership in the Jewish community in France.

PARIS-JÉRUSALEM
Contributing and participating in enhancing the image of Jerusalem, a universal city; promoting exchanges between Paris and Jerusalem; French counterpart of the Jerusalem Foundation.

PATRIMOINE JUIF DE FRANCE
(JEWISH HERITAGE OF FRANCE)
Preserving the Jewish heritage of France; developing educational activities; supporting the Jewish Seminary of France; renovating Jewish cemeteries in Algeria.

IGNACE PICARD
Supporting Jewish Studies at the Hillel Academy; purchasing works of Judaica.

SIMONE ET RAYMOND PRAGIER
Providing scholarships to young Israelis for pursuing vocational / professional training or university education.

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Providing support to disadvantaged families by way of social and / or material assistance; ensuring knowledge of and the development of Jewish culture through the teaching of the ancient texts and training; supporting the creation and development of cultural and educational centres, the organisation of seminars and conferences; allocation of scholarships and fellowships for higher studies.

JULIEN ET STELLA ROZAN
Encouraging creativity and creative endeavours amongst women in particular through the Prix de la Coopération Féminine (Award for Cooperation Amongst Women).

SCOPUS
Encouraging Franco-Israeli scientific cooperation; providing grants to researchers in both countries.

ARMAND ET JANET SIBONY
POUR L'ÉDUCATION
(ARMAND AND JANET SIBONY FOR EDUCATION)
Providing financial support to deserving students who desire mainly to pursue scientific or technical studies in France or in Israel.

RAYMONDE SITCOWSKY
Supporting education for Jewish francophone youth; promoting meaningful Franco-Israeli exchanges.
LÉON SKOP ET FÉLA ROSENBAUM
Offering scholarships to promote literary expression and creative works, particularly in Yiddish.

THIERRY SLAMA – VILLAGE ACHALIM
Supporting the development of the Achalim village in the Negev.

JANINE ET JACQUES STERN
Providing aid for education and training for disadvantaged youth in France and Israel.

POUR LA SOLIDARITÉ JUIVE
Providing social, charitable and humanitarian aid to vulnerable populations; implementing solidarity focused initiatives and actions led by the relevant associations

TLEMCEN
Preservation and promoting awareness, propagating knowledge of the cultural, spiritual and liturgical heritage of Judaism based in North Africa and particularly in Tlemcen.

MARIE-JOSÉE VAISSAN
Encouraging social and educational action in favour of Judaism in Bordeaux.

ODETTE ET SZLAMA WARSZAWSKI-VARSAUX
Providing support to social, educational and cultural actions.

YAD LAYELED
Building awareness about the memorial museum of the Lohamei Hagetaot Kibbutz, in order to perpetuate the memory of the Jewish children exterminated so as to encourage vigilance.

YISMAH MOSHE
Providing aid for social, educational and cultural actions in France and Israel.

WEISSBERG
Maintaining the memory and creating awareness of the work of the painter Leon Weissberg and other Jewish artists of Montparnasse who were assassinated by the Nazis.

ANNE ET FRANK ZWILLINGER
Encouraging the creation of literary and poetic works; strengthening the ties between France and the United States.
CREATING AN INDIVIDUALISED FOUNDATION

Whether perpetuating a name, ensuring ongoing defence of a cause in a sustainable manner, or committing to contribute to the development of identity or strengthening Jewish solidarity... the creation of an individualised foundation, under the auspices of the French Judaism Foundation, enables the achievement of the goals of the founders.

Establishing an individualised foundation is a simple procedure that makes it possible to accomplish a project, a dream, a promise or a vow. In return for a modest management cost, a powerful and effective structure is made available to the founders that allows for the allocation of resources, based on their choices, to the supported project/s.

A sheltered foundation is a fund placed under the auspices of a foundation recognised as an institution of public interest and benefit. The French Judaism Foundation is authorised to receive funds of such type provided that the objects and purpose of the sheltered foundation are in conformity with their own corporate objects and purpose.

Pursuant to the provisions of the French law of 23 July 1987, amended by Article 20 of the law of 4 July 1990, the term ‘sheltered foundation’ may be used to denote “the irrevocable assignment, in view of the realisation of an undertaking or work of general interest that is not for profit, of property, rights or entitlements, or resources to a foundation recognised as an institution of public interest and benefit whose articles of association have been approved as such, as long as such property, rights or entitlements, or resources are managed directly by the assignee (beneficiary) foundation, and without a separate legal entity having been created for this purpose”.

Unlike a full function operational foundation, a sheltered foundation does not have a legal personality. It exists and acts only under the auspices, and under the responsibility of the sheltering Foundation, whose governing body is the Board of Directors.

In this context, the sheltered foundation is managed by a committee appointed by its founders, who decides the allocation of its resources to programmes that are consistent with its mission.
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