

Simon And Josephine Braitman Family

Executive Director / CEO

EIN 161613897

NY · NTEE X30

FY ending 2024-06-30

June 9, 2026

This analysis benchmarks the total compensation of **Meredith Dragon, Executive Director / CEO** (\$30,887) against **every comparable organization** that fit the selection criteria — **22** in total — drawn systematically from IRS Form 990 filings, not a hand-picked subset.

Compensation sits at approximately the **27th** percentile of comparable organizations within the typical range

Benchmarked executive: Meredith Dragon — reported title “SECRETARY”, selected as the organization's **highest-paid individual** — no exact title match, so confirm this is a comparable role.

How comparable organizations were selected

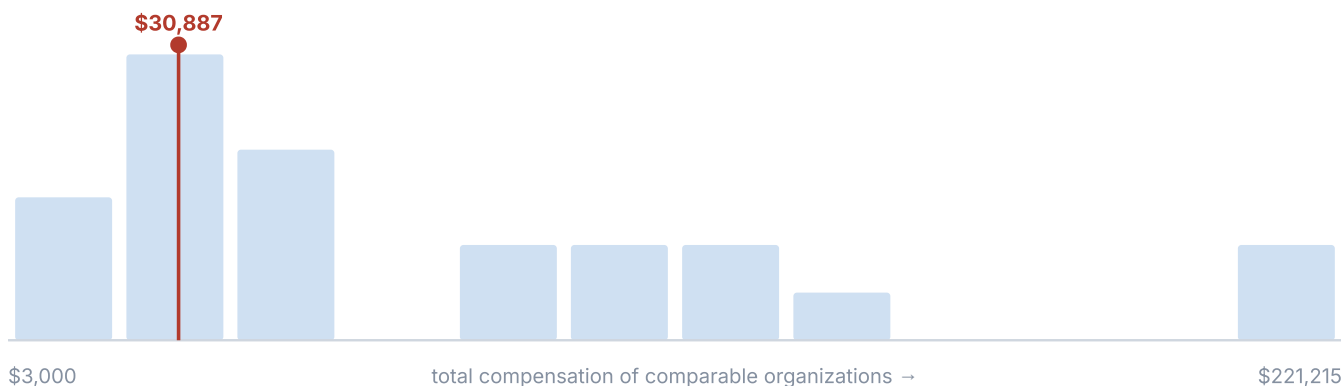
SECTOR Organizations sharing the subject's NTEE classification (X30).

BUDGET Total revenue between \$104,075 and \$233,004 — 0.67x to 1.50x the subject's \$155,336 (the band tightens as size grows).

GEOGRAPHY Same NTEE sector (X30), nationwide + budget 0.67–1.5x revenue.

22 organizations qualified on sector, size, and geography → **22** within the band form the benchmarked peer set.

Distribution of comparable compensation



\$18,760

\$28,616

\$49,025

\$109,630

\$134,041

\$30,887



■ Comparable organizations

Each figure is Form 990 Part VII columns D + F (reportable pay plus other compensation and benefits; column F may include amounts from related organizations), normalized to NY cost of living (BEA RPP, 2023) and to its filing year (CPI-U); the reported amount is on each linked 990.

ORGANIZATION	STATE	REVENUE	MATCHED TITLE	COMP (REPORTED)	COMP (ADJUSTED)	FY
Nexus Education Foundation Inc	NJ	\$154,047	Trustee	\$22,100	\$22,481	2023
Kleinman Holocaust Education Center Inc	NY	\$149,592	Director	\$207,885	\$214,025	2023
Orot The Center For New Jewish Learning	IL	\$161,233	President	\$50,000	\$54,398	2024
Your Torah Tutors	MI	\$146,345	President Treasury Director	\$33,800	\$39,748	2023
Laurellen Productions	PA	\$138,520	President	\$25,000	\$27,590	2024
Seder Family Foundation	IL	\$172,751	Secretary	\$121,518	\$136,112	2023
Committee For The Strengthening Of Torah True Jewish Commitment	NY	\$134,215	President	\$3,000	\$3,000	2024
Ameinu	MI	\$177,497	President	\$193,666	\$221,215	2024
Maccabim Hebrew School	IL	\$181,263	President	\$29,131	\$31,694	2024
Beit Kohenet Inc	MD	\$182,529	Ceo	\$33,116	\$34,262	2024
Yesodei Hadas Inc	NJ	\$183,151	Trustee	\$111,504	\$110,173	2024
Swarthmore Chabad	PA	\$190,489	President	\$30,000	\$32,255	2025
Hillel The Foundation For Jewish Campus Life	VA	\$192,633	Executive Director	\$108,000	\$115,400	2024
Lubavitch Colombia Inc	NY	\$201,303	Director	\$12,000	\$12,354	2023
Ignite Yp Inc	MO	\$108,506	Roberts	\$67,082	\$80,950	2023
Areyvut Inc	NJ	\$207,521	Founder And Director	\$27,000	\$26,678	2024

ORGANIZATION	STATE	REVENUE	MATCHED TITLE	COMP (REPORTED)	COMP (ADJUSTED)	FY
Tikkun Ha-ir Of Milwaukee Inc	WI	\$210,817	Executive Director	\$42,444	\$47,790	2025
Instarabbi	CA	\$212,655	Treasurerdirector	\$19,200	\$18,347	2024
Hillel Of San Luis Obispo	CA	\$224,631	Executive Dir.	\$83,000	\$79,314	2024
Achim Inc	MD	\$225,251	President	\$109,874	\$113,677	2024
Beit Midrash Letalmud Inc	NY	\$226,317	President	\$108,000	\$108,000	2024
Ofeg Institute Inc	OH	\$226,827	President	\$44,013	\$50,259	2025

Comp (reported) is the figure on each organization's Form 990 (columns D + F); **Comp (adjusted)** normalizes it to NY cost of living and 2024 dollars. Click any organization to verify the figure on ProPublica.

Methodology

Comparable organizations were drawn from electronically filed IRS Form 990 returns and matched on sector (NTEE code), budget (a size-adaptive revenue band that tightens as the organization grows), and geography (same-state first, broadening only when too few peers qualify); every organization within the band forms the peer set. To compare fairly across regions and years, peer compensation is normalized to NY cost of living (BEA Regional Price Parities, 2023) and to the subject's filing year (CPI-U). The figure benchmarked is Form 990 Part VII, Section A, columns D + F — reportable pay plus other compensation, benefits, and deferred amounts (column F may include amounts from related organizations) — with the chief executive matched by role. Related-organization amounts (column E) and institutional trustees are excluded. Full methodology: peerbasis.org/methodology.

Sample, role match & sensitivity

PEER COUNT 22 organizations. Compensation range \$3,000–\$221,215; filing years 2023–2025.

SIZE BASIS Matched on total revenue (\$155,336); for reference, expenses \$305,081 and assets \$4,856,414. **Revenue and expenses diverge this year — revenue may misrepresent operating size; weigh the expense-based view.**

ROLE MATCH Meredith Dragon, reported title "*SECRETARY*", benchmarked as Executive Director / CEO. **Selected as the organization's highest-paid individual without an exact title match — the board should confirm this is a comparable role.**

RELATED-ORG PAY 1 peer report related-organization compensation (column E), which the D + F benchmark does not fully capture; review where material.

Sensitivity — the subject's percentile under alternative compensation definitions:

BASIS	SUBJECT PERCENTILE
Total compensation (D + F), cost-of-living + inflation adjusted — the PeerBasis default	27 th
Total compensation (D + F), as reported (no adjustments)	36 th
Reportable pay only (column D), adjusted	0 th
All sources (D + E + F), adjusted	95 th

If the percentile moves materially across these definitions, the result is sensitive to methodology choices, and the board should weigh which basis best fits its facts.

● **Rebuttable presumption of reasonableness · 26 CFR 53.4958-6**

Compensation paid by a tax-exempt organization is presumed reasonable — shifting the burden to the IRS — when three requirements are met. This report supplies the comparability data for the second. The board should record the following in its minutes *concurrently* with its decision:

Draft board minutes – executive compensation

1. The compensation of the Executive Director / CEO (Meredith Dragon) was approved in advance by [the Board / Compensation Committee], composed of members with no conflict of interest with respect to the arrangement.
2. Prior to its determination, the authorized body obtained and relied upon appropriate comparability data, namely the PeerBasis Compensation Comparability Determination dated June 9, 2026, comparing compensation against 22 similarly situated organizations (Same NTEE sector (X30), nationwide + budget 0.67–1.5× revenue).
3. The authorized body determined that total compensation of \$30,887 is reasonable (approximately the 27th percentile of comparable organizations) and documented the basis for this determination concurrently, on [date], by a vote of [__ for / __ against].

Sources: IRS Form 990 e-file data (apps.irs.gov); IRS Business Master File (NTEE classification). Every figure traces to an original public filing — click any organization above to verify it on ProPublica. PeerBasis is a service of Prismind Analytics; its [methodology is published](#), was commissioned for independent adversarial review, and discloses its own limitations. This report is comparability data to support a board's good-faith determination under IRC 4958; it is not legal or tax advice. Generated by PeerBasis on June 9, 2026.