

RABBI DAVID- SETH KIRSHNER

David-Seth Kirshner is the rabbi of Temple Emanu-El in Closter, New Jersey, where he is in his 18th year of leadership. Prior to this role, he served as Senior Director of Institutional Advancement at the Jewish Theological Seminary.

Rabbi Kirshner is a widely recognized leader in the Jewish community, having served as past president of both the New York and New Jersey Boards of Rabbis. He has held numerous leadership roles, including appointments to the New Jersey-Israel Commission, the Executive Committee of JFNA, and the National Council of AIPAC. He is also an adjunct faculty member at the Academy for Jewish Religion and a graduate of the Kellogg School of Rabbinic Management. He is the author of *Streams of Shattered Consciousness*, which has over 10,000 copies in circulation and was noted in the *New York Times Book Review*. Rabbi Kirshner holds a BA from York University and received his MA in Hebrew Letters and rabbinic ordination from the Jewish Theological Seminary.



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