Sichat Rabbanim 2011



Rabbi Julie Kozlow received her rabbinic ordination from The Academy for Jewish Religion California in 2007. She received a Masters of Rabbinic Studies from both the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in 2004 and the Academy For Jewish religion in 2007. Rabbi Kozlow serves a 140 family Conservative Synagogue in Greenville, South Carolina. Her commitment to her service as a rabbi is grounded in the belief that the wisdom of the Jewish heritage lies in the ability to reach across the miles of time while remaining utterly, urgently and vibrantly relevant. She is dedicated to teaching a deeply textured Judaism grounded in the ethical

monotheism of the prophetic tradition. Her personal interest for study in the Sichat Rabbanim Program is to trace the ethically prophetic current in the Rabbinic tradition so that the voice demanding moral responsibility is heard today loud and clear.

Rabbi Kozlow's reflections on her first year in Sichat Rabbanim:

This past year of study with Rabbi Sager as a Bat Sicha has been rewarding beyond words. I applied to Sichat Rabbanim because I knew that I was missing deep Torah study in my day to day life of being a Rabbi. But I never really knew just how much I was missing until I got the opportunity to study every Wednesday via Skype with Rabbi Sager. I can honestly say that the infusion of deep and textured Torah study has reminded me of the very reasons I entered the Rabbinate to begin with—to learn and teach Torah in order to impact our world in a meaningful way. I am uplifted in my work and I feel nourished in the day to day life of being a rabbi.