Record Nr. UNINA9910811561403321 Autore Temkin Sefton D. Titolo Creating American Reform Judaism: the life and times of Isaac Mayer Wise / / Sefton D. Temkin [[electronic resource]] Portland, Or.:,: Littman Library of Jewish Civilization,, 2012 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-80034-093-1 1-909821-81-0 Edizione [First digital on-demand edition.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (vii, 318 pages) : digital, PDF file(s) Collana Liverpool scholarship online Disciplina 296.8/341/092 Soggetti Rabbis - United States Reform Judaism - United States - History - 19th century Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Originally published in 1998. Title from publisher's bibliographic system (viewed on 05 Jul 2019). Previously published under title: Isaac Mayer Wise, shaping American Judaism. Oxford; New York: Published for the Littman Library by Oxford University Press; Washington, DC, USA: Distributed in the U.S. by B'nai B'rith Book Service, 1992. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Sommario/riassunto American Reform Judaism's major institutions' Hebrew Union College, the Central Conference of American Rabbis, and the Reform prayerbook Minhag America' were all due to the singular efforts of Isaac Mayer Wise (1819-1900). Professor Temkin's biography captures the vigour of Wise's personality and the politics and concerns of Jewish life and leadership in America at that time. It is a lively portrait of a rabbi who was a pivotal figure in the naturalization of Jews and Judaism in

the New World.