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| 1. Record Nr.           | UNICAMPANIASUN0055760   |
| Autore                  | Ekeland, Ivar   |
| Titolo                  | A caso : la sorte, la scienza e il mondo / Ivar Ekeland   |
| Pubbl/distr/stampa      | 156 p. : ill. ; 22 cm   |
| ISBN                    | 978-88-339-0714-7   |
| Edizione                | [Torino : Bollati Boringhieri]  |
| Descrizione fisica      | Trad. di Libero Sosio.  |
| Soggetti                | 00-XX - General and overarching topics; collections [MSC 2020]  |
| Lingua di pubblicazione | Italiano  |
| Formato                 | Materiale a stampa  |
| Livello bibliografico   | Monografia  |
| 2. Record Nr.           | UNINA9910785941803321   |
| Autore                  | Contreras Randol <1971->  |
| Titolo                  | The stickup kids [[electronic resource] ] : race, drugs, violence, and the American dream / / Randol Contreras  |
| Pubbl/distr/stampa      | Berkeley, Calif., : University of California Press, 2012  |
| ISBN                    | 1-283-69592-8<br>0-520-95357-6  |
| Descrizione fisica      | 1 online resource (303 p.)  |
| Disciplina              | 363.4509747/275   |
| Soggetti                | Youth - Drug use - New York (State) - New York<br>Drug dealers - New York (State) - New York<br>Cocaine abuse - New York (State) - New York<br>Cities and towns - New York (State) - New York |
| Lingua di pubblicazione | Inglese   |
| Formato                 | Materiale a stampa  |
| Livello bibliografico   | Monografia  |
| Note generali           | Description based upon print version of record.   |
| Nota di bibliografia    | Includes bibliographical references and index.  |
| Nota di contenuto       | Front matter -- Contents -- Illustrations -- Acknowledgments --   |

Preface -- Introduction -- 1. The Rise of the South Bronx and Crack -- 2. Crack Days: Getting Paid -- 3. Rikers Island: Normalizing Violence -- 4. The New York Boys: Tail Enders of the Crack Era -- 5. Crack is Dead -- 6. The Girl -- 7. Getting the Shit -- 8. Drug Robbery Torture -- 9. Splitting the Profits -- 10. Living the Dream: Life after a Drug Robbery -- 11. Fallen Stars -- Conclusion -- Notes -- Index

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## Sommario/riassunto

Randol Contreras came of age in the South Bronx during the 1980's, a time when the community was devastated by cuts in social services, a rise in arson and abandonment, and the rise of crack-cocaine. For this riveting book, he returns to the South Bronx with a sociological eye and provides an unprecedented insider's look at the workings of a group of Dominican drug robbers. Known on the streets as "Stickup Kids," these men raided and brutally tortured drug dealers storing large amounts of heroin, cocaine, marijuana, and cash. As a participant observer, Randol Contreras offers both a personal and theoretical account for the rise of the Stickup Kids and their violence. He mainly focuses on the lives of neighborhood friends, who went from being crack dealers to drug robbers once their lucrative crack market opportunities disappeared. The result is a stunning, vivid, on-the-ground ethnographic description of a drug robbery's violence, the drug market high life, the criminal life course, and the eventual pain and suffering experienced by the casualties of the Crack Era. Provocative and eye-opening, *The Stickup Kids* urges us to explore the ravages of the drug trade through weaving history, biography, social structure, and drug market forces. It offers a revelatory explanation for drug market violence by masterfully uncovering the hidden social forces that produce violent and self-destructive individuals. Part memoir, part penetrating analysis, this book is engaging, personal, deeply informed, and entirely absorbing.

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3. Record Nr.	UNINA9910812863803321
Titolo	Man & water : the social sciences in management of water resources // L. Douglas James, editor
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Lexington, Kentucky : , : The University Press of Kentucky, , 1974 ©1974
ISBN	0-8131-6344-7
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (267 p.)
Disciplina	333.9/1
Soggetti	Water resources development Social sciences - Research
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di contenuto	Cover; Title; Copyright; Contents; 1 The Challenge to the Social Science; 2 Anthropological Contributions to the Cultural Ecology and Management of Water Resource; 3 Economics and Economists in Water Resources Development; 4 Role of Geography in Water Resources Management; 5 To ward a Political Science of Water Resources Decisions; 6 Recent Sociological Contributions to Water Resource Management and Development; 7 Reviews and Observations; 8 Recommendations from a Water Resources Planning Viewpoint; 9 Epilogue: Recommendations from a Social Science Viewpoint; Notes on Contributors
Sommario/riassunto	Modern man is beginning, painfully, to learn that he can continue to enjoy basic resources like water only through careful planning and control. This book indicates what social scientists have contributed in the past and seeks to encourage their future participation in this critical area. The study first describes the background of water use planning and defines the specific problems of control. Then five social scientists, representing the fields of anthropology, economics, geography, political science, and sociology, review the contributions their disciplines have made and discuss the problem

4. Record Nr.	UNISA996226145903316
Titolo	Language of the Earth [[electronic resource] ] : [a literary anthology] // edited by Frank H.T. Rhodes, Richard O. Stone and Bruce D. Malamud
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Malden, MA, : Blackwell Pub., 2008
ISBN	1-282-02643-7 9786612026430 1-4443-0036-9 1-4443-0037-7 1-4443-5856-1
Edizione	[2nd ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (398 p.)
Altri autori (Persone)	RhodesFrank Harold Trevor StoneRichard O. <1920-1978.> MalamudB. D (Bruce D.)
Disciplina	550
Soggetti	Geology Geologists
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. [305]-314) and indexes.
Nota di contenuto	Eyewitness accounts of the Earth events -- Exploration -- Geologist are also human -- Celebrities -- Philosophy -- The fossil record -- Geotectonics -- Controversies -- Prose -- Poetry -- Art -- Human history -- Resources -- Benevolent planet.