

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910134788503321
Titolo	JCI insight
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Ann Arbor, Michigan : , : American Society for Clinical Investigation, , [2016]-
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource
Disciplina	616
Soggetti	Medicine - Research Biology - Research Biomedical Research Periodical Fulltext Internet Resources. Periodicals.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Periodico
Note generali	Refereed/Peer-reviewed

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910965949303321
Autore	Roberts Mary Louise
Titolo	Civilization without sexes : reconstructing gender in postwar France, 1917-1927 // Mary Louise Roberts
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Chicago, : University of Chicago Press, c1994
ISBN	9786612070181 9781282070189 1282070185 9780226721279 0226721272
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (337 p.)
Collana	Women in culture and society
Disciplina	305.3/0944
Soggetti	Sex role - France - History - 20th century Women - France - Social conditions World War, 1914-1918 - Social aspects - France World War, 1914-1918 - Women - France
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Originally presented as the author's thesis (Ph. D.--Brown University), 1990.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 219-330) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Front matter -- CONTENTS -- FOREWORD -- ACKNOWLEDGMENTS -- Introduction. "THIS CIVILIZATION NO LONGER HAS SEXES" -- PART ONE. LA FEMME MODERNE -- PART TWO. LA MERE -- PART THREE. LA FEMME SEULE -- Conclusion. 'ARE WE WITNESSING THE BIRTH OF A NEW CIVILIZATION?' -- Notes -- Index
Sommario/riassunto	In the raucous decade following World War I, newly blurred boundaries between male and female created fears among the French that theirs was becoming a civilization without sexes. This new gender confusion became a central metaphor for the War's impact on French culture and led to a marked increase in public debate concerning female identity and woman's proper role. Mary Louise Roberts examines how in these debates French society came to grips with the catastrophic horrors of the Great War. In sources as diverse as parliamentary records, newspaper articles, novels, medical texts, writings on sexology, and vocational literature, Roberts discovers a central question: how to come

to terms with rapid economic, social, and cultural change and articulate a new order of social relationships. She examines the role of French trauma concerning the War in legislative efforts to ban propaganda for abortion and contraception, and explains anxieties about the decline of maternity by a crisis in gender relations that linked soldiery, virility, and paternity. Through these debates, Roberts locates the seeds of actual change. She shows how the willingness to entertain, or simply the need to condemn, nontraditional gender roles created an indecisiveness over female identity that ultimately subverted even the most conservative efforts to return to traditional gender roles and irrevocably altered the social organization of gender in postwar France.

---