1. Record Nr. UNINA9910136086703321 Autore Panzo Will Titolo The Burning Isle Pubbl/distr/stampa East Rutherford:,: Penguin Publishing Group,, 2016 ©2016 **ISBN** 1-101-98811-8 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (343 pages) Classificazione FIC009020FIC002000FIC009000 Disciplina 813/.6 Soggetti Magicians Imaginary places Imaginary wars and battles Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Sommario/riassunto "A powerful and gripping debut grimdark fantasy novel, set in a world of criminals, pirates, assassins, and magic... "A man has only three reasons for being anywhere: to right a wrong, to earn a coin, or because he is lost." Cassius is not lost... The mage Cassius has just arrived on the island of Scipio. Five miles of slum on the edge of fifty miles of jungle, Scipio is a lawless haven for criminals, pirates, and exiles. The city is split in two, each half ruled by a corrupt feudal lord. Both of them answer to a mysterious general who lives deep in the jungle with his army, but they still constantly battle for power. If a man knows how to turn their discord to his advantage, he might also turn a profit... But trained on the Isle of Twelve, Cassius is no ordinary

spellcaster, and his goal is not simply money. This a treacherous island

where the native gods are restless, and anything can happen