Record Nr. UNINA9910136844303321 Autore Musgrave Megan L Titolo Digital Citizenship in Twenty-First-Century Young Adult Literature: Imaginary Activism / / by Megan L. Musgrave New York:,: Palgrave Macmillan US:,: Imprint: Palgrave Macmillan,, Pubbl/distr/stampa 2016 **ISBN** 1-137-58173-5 9781137581730 9781137602725 (print) Edizione [1st ed. 2016.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (XXXII, 230 p.) Collana Critical Approaches to Children's Literature, , 2753-0833 801 Disciplina Literature and technology Soggetti Mass media and literature Children's literature Literature, Modern - 20th century Literature, Modern - 21st century America - Literatures Literature and Technology Children's Literature Contemporary Literature North American Literature Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Introduction -- Cyborg Bodies in Illness and Disability Narratives --Cyborg Minds at Play in Participatory Cultures, or, Going Public in Private -- Gamer Guys: Playing with Civic Responsibility in Ludic Fiction -- Gamer Girls: Going Online in the Age of Misogynist Terrorism --Imaginary Activism -- Conclusion -- Bibliography -- Index. This book is a study of the evolving relationships between literature, Sommario/riassunto cyberspace, and young adults in the twenty-first century. Megan L. Musgrave explores the ways that young adult fiction is becoming a platform for a public conversation about the great benefits and terrible

risks of our increasing dependence upon technology in public and

private life. Drawing from theories of digital citizenship and posthuman theory, Digital Citizenship in Twenty-First Century Young Adult Literature considers how the imaginary forms of activism depicted in literature can prompt young people to shape their identities and choices as citizens in a digital culture.