1.	Record Nr.	UNINA9910790946703321
	Autore	Hoppitt William
	Titolo	Social learning [[electronic resource]] : an introduction to mechanisms, methods, and models / / William Hoppitt and Kevin N. Laland
	Pubbl/distr/stampa	Princeton, : Princeton University Press, 2013
	ISBN	9780691150710 1400846501 1299652131
	Edizione	[Course Book]
	Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (320 p.)
	Classificazione	CZ 8000
	Altri autori (Persone)	LalandKevin N
	Disciplina	591.5/14
	Soggetti	Learning in animals - Research - Methodology Social learning - Research - Methodology Psychology, Comparative - Research - Methodology
	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	Frontmatter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Social Learning -- Chapter 1. Introduction -- Chapter 2. A Brief History of Social Learning Research -- Chapter 3. Methods for Studying Social Learning in the Laboratory -- Chapter 4. Social Learning Mechanisms -- Chapter 5. Statistical Methods for Diffusion Data -- Chapter 6. Repertoire- Based Methods for Detecting and Quantifying Social Transmission -- Chapter 7. Developmental Methods for Studying Social Learning -- Chapter 8. Social Learning Strategies -- Chapter 9. Modeling Social Learning and Culture -- Chapter 10. Conclusions -- References -- Index
	Sommario/riassunto	Many animals, including humans, acquire valuable skills and knowledge by copying others. Scientists refer to this as social learning. It is one of the most exciting and rapidly developing areas of behavioral research and sits at the interface of many academic disciplines, including biology, experimental psychology, economics, and cognitive neuroscience. Social Learning provides a comprehensive, practical guide to the research methods of this important emerging field. William Hoppitt and Kevin Laland define the mechanisms thought to underlie social learning and demonstrate how to distinguish them experimentally in the laboratory. They present techniques for detecting

and quantifying social learning in nature, including statistical modeling of the spatial distribution of behavior traits. They also describe the latest theory and empirical findings on social learning strategies, and introduce readers to mathematical methods and models used in the study of cultural evolution. This book is an indispensable tool for researchers and an essential primer for students. Provides a comprehensive, practical guide to social learning research Combines theoretical and empirical approaches Describes techniques for the laboratory and the field Covers social learning mechanisms and strategies, statistical modeling techniques for field data, mathematical modeling of cultural evolution, and more

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2.	Record Nr.	UNINA9910794667203321
	Autore	Paruk James D.
	Titolo	Loon lessons : uncommon encounters with the great northern diver / / James D. Paruk
	Pubbl/distr/stampa	Minneapolis, MN : , : University of Minnesota Press, , [2021]
	ISBN	1-4529-6364-9
	Descrizione fisica	1 online resource
	Disciplina	598.4/42
	Soggetti	Loons Common loon - Behavior
	Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
	Formato	Materiale a stampa
	Livello bibliografico	Monografia
	Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
	Nota di contenuto	In Search of the Ancestral Loon -- Selected by Nature: A Tale of Two Birds -- What a Drag! The Inner Workings of a Master Diver -- Pairing Up: The Behavioral Ecology of Loon Courtship -- Taking Turns: Nesting Behavior and Ecological Trade-Offs -- Wails, Yodels, and Tremolos: The Call of the Loon -- A Vigilant Bird: Parents, Chicks, and the Breeding Loon Family -- More Than a Foot Waggle: The Fascinating World of Loon Behavior -- Loons on the Move: The Strategy and Dynamics of Migration -- Not Your Typical Snowbird: The Loon's Winter Ecology -- Saving the Loons We Love: Conservation Threats -- Loon Watch: Adapting to a Changing World.

	Sommario/riassunto	"The nature of the common loon, from biology to behavior, from one of the world's foremost observers of the revered waterbird"--

3.	Record Nr.	UNINA9910163399003321
	Autore	minutes 50
	Titolo	Copernicus : The Discovery of the Heliocentric Revolution
	Pubbl/distr/stampa	Cork : , : Lemaitre Publishing, , 2017 ©2017
	ISBN	9782806279194 2806279194
	Edizione	[1st ed.]
	Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (43 pages)
	Collana	History
	Soggetti	Heliocentric astrology Discoveries in science
	Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
	Formato	Materiale a stampa
	Livello bibliografico	Monografia
	Nota di contenuto	Intro -- h.30j0zll -- h.gjdgxs -- Nicolaus Copernicus and the heliocentric revolution -- Biography -- A humanist education -- A diverse career path -- Context -- Poland, kingdom of chaos -- Humanism and the Reformation -- The discovery of America -- Highlights -- The Ptolemaic model -- Copernican observations -- The new heliocentric planetary system -- The Earth's motion -- The limits of the Copernican system -- Philosophical reasoning -- Impact -- A mixed reception among reformationists -- A delayed reaction from the Catholic Church -- The Copernican revolution -- Summary -- Find out more.
	Sommario/riassunto	This book delves into the life and achievements of Nicolaus Copernicus, a pivotal figure in the history of astronomy. Known for his revolutionary heliocentric model, Copernicus challenged the long-standing geocentric views of Aristotle and Ptolemy, positioning the Sun, rather than the Earth, at the center of the universe. The text explores the historical and cultural context of 15th and 16th-century Europe, amidst the backdrop of humanism, the Protestant Reformation, and the

discovery of the New World. It highlights Copernicus's education, career, and the profound impact of his work on future astronomers such as Galileo, Kepler, and Newton. Intended for readers interested in the history of science and the transformative period of the Copernican revolution, the book underscores Copernicus's role in altering humanity's understanding of the cosmos.

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Record Nr.	UNINA9910890967603321
Titolo	Afrique & histoire
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Paris, : Verdier, 2003-
ISSN	1776-2766
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource
Disciplina	960
Soggetti	Història
	periodicals.
	History
	Periodicals.
	Périodiques.
	Revistes electròniques.
	Africa History Periodicals
	Afrique Histoire Périodiques
	Africa
	Àfrica
Lingua di pubblicazione	Francese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Periodico
Note generali	Refereed/Peer-reviewed
	"Revue internationale."