Record Nr. UNINA9910169194703321 Autore Bruns Gerald L Titolo On the anarchy of poetry and philosophy: a guide for the unruly // Gerald L. Bruns New York, : Fordham University Press, 2006 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 9780823275113 0823275116 9780823226344 0823226344 9781429479035 1429479035 Edizione [First edition.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (xxix, 274 pages) Perspectives in continental philosophy Collana Disciplina 111/.85 Soggetti **Aesthetics** Art - Philosophy Poetry Poetry - History and criticism Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Includes bibliographical references. Nota di bibliografia The modernist sublime -- Forms of paganism -- Anarchist poetics. Nota di contenuto Sommario/riassunto This book takes seriously the transformation of art into philosophy, focusing upon the systematic interest that so many European philosophers take in modernism. Among the philosophers Gerald Bruns discusses are Theodor W. Adorno, Maurice Blanchot, Arthur Danto, Stanley Cavell, Hans-Georg Gadamer, Michel Foucault, Gilles Deleuze and Felix Guattari, Jacques Derrida, Jean-Francois Lyotard, Jean-Luc Nancy, Philippe Lacoue-Labarthe, and Emmanuel Levinas. As Bruns demonstrates, the difficulty of much modern and contemporary poetry can be summarized in the idea that a poem is made of words, not of

any of the things that we use words to produce: meanings, concepts, propositions, narratives, or expressions of feeling. Many modernist poets have argued that in poetry language is no longer a form of mediation but a reality to be explored and experienced in its own right.