Record Nr. UNINA9910254133803321 Autore Yao Yifeng Titolo Nanjing: Historical Landscape and Its Planning from Geographical Perspective / / by Yifeng Yao Singapore:,: Springer Nature Singapore:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2016 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 981-10-1637-2 Edizione [1st ed. 2016.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (XV, 212 p. 121 illus., 55 illus. in color.) Collana Springer Geography, , 2194-3168 Disciplina 307.120951132 Soggetti Sociology, Urban Human geography Cities and towns - History Physical geography **Urban Sociology** Human Geography **Urban History** Physical Geography Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references at the end of each chapters. Nota di contenuto Significance of Geography and Urban Planning -- The Yangtze River Impacts and Early Nanjing Geography -- Nanjing Historical Landscape and City Changes -- City Status and Contemporary Geographical Landscape -- Rivers, Greenspaces and Ancient Capital Composition --Geographic Landscape Planning and Design -- Conclusion. Sommario/riassunto This book studies the historical changes of the cityscape of Nanjing from the point of view of geographical systems. Nanjing is a city located along the Yangtze River, originated 2500 years ago, after which ten dynasties established their capital dependent on the geographical conditions. The book focuses on the analysis of the characteristics of mountain and river systems in the various historical periods, and provides investigations of historical sites along with these systems. This enables the search for the laws of historical evolution and spatial structure changes, which is also the research of the relationship

between man and nature. It extends the traditional preservation and cityscapes planning to that of geographical landscape system. Readers

working in the area of geography, history, urban and landscape planning will benefit from it.