Record Nr. UNINA9910265137903321 To be unfree: republicanism and unfreedom in history, literature, and **Titolo** philosophy / / edited by Christian Dahl and Tue Andersen Nexø Pubbl/distr/stampa Bielefeld, Germany:,: Transcript Verlag,, [2014] ©2014 **ISBN** 3-8394-2174-8 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (231 p.) Collana Edition Politik; 9 Disciplina 321.86 Soggetti Republicanism Republicanism in literature - Congresses Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia "International conference proceedings." Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references at the end of each chapters. 1 Content 5 Introduction 7 Statelessness, Domination, and Nota di contenuto Unfreedom 19 Freedom as Non-Arbitrariness or as Democratic Self-Rule? 37 The Unlikely Claimant 55 Materially Unfree 73 Unfreedom and the Republican Tradition in the French Revolution Occupy Rome 119 Unfreedom, Servitude, and the Social Bond Naturally free, politically unfree 157 Dependency, Corruption, and Aesthetics in Denis Diderot's Le neveu de Rameau 177 Baudelaire and the Government of the Imagination 199 Unfreedom and the Crises of Witnessing 213 About the Authors 229 Sommario/riassunto »To Be Unfree« is a collection of essays investigating how political unfreedom has been and can be articulated within the republican tradition of political thought. The book combines a theoretical discussion of how freedom and its opposites have been conceptualized in the republican tradition with a broader perspective on this tradition's impact on the representation of unfreedom in Western literature and cultural history. It thus complicates our understanding of what it means to be unfree and unveils a series of distinctions which also shape our modern notions of freedom. Reviewed in: Portal fur Politikwissenschaft, 22.01.2015, Matthias Lemke Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis, 129/4 (2016), Gerrit Voogt