

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910298074503321
Autore	Menon Sangeetha
Titolo	Brain, Self and Consciousness [[electronic resource] ] : Explaining the Conspiracy of Experience // by Sangeetha Menon
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New Delhi : , : Springer India : , : Imprint : Springer, , 2014
ISBN	81-322-1581-8
Edizione	[1st ed. 2014.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (218 p.)
Collana	Studies in Neuroscience, Consciousness and Spirituality, , 2211-8918
Disciplina	142.7 154.4
Soggetti	Neuropsychology Phenomenology Psychiatry Phenomenology
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	Preface -- 1.Brain and Self: A Preamble.- 2.Beginnings: Biological and Philosophical Accounts of Consciousness.- 3.The Not-so-rigid Brain: Philosophical Riddles and Experiential Ironies.- 4.Body-sense and Self-Sense: Why is Minimalism Insufficient? 5.Boundaries of Self: Displacement, Meaning, and Purpose.- 6.The Feel Factor:Qualia and the Affective Markers of Experience -- 7.Beyond Brain:Final Frontiers of Consciousness.- Bibliography -- Glossary. .
Sommario/riassunto	This book discusses consciousness from the perspectives of neuroscience, neuropsychiatry and philosophy. The author argues that the central issue in brain studies is to explain the unity, continuity, and adherence of experience, whether it is sensory or mental awareness, phenomenal- or self-consciousness. The fascinating discussion that this book presents is: How do the brain and the self create the conspiracy of experience where the physicality of the brain is lost in the subjectivity of the self?