Record Nr. UNINA9910300484503321 Autore O'Brien Shannon Bow Titolo Why Presidential Speech Locations Matter: Analyzing Speechmaking from Truman to Obama / / by Shannon Bow O'Brien Pubbl/distr/stampa Cham: .: Springer International Publishing: .: Imprint: Palgrave Macmillan, , 2018 **ISBN** 3-319-78136-7 Edizione [1st ed. 2018.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (214 pages) Collana The Evolving American Presidency, , 2945-6169 352.2380973 Disciplina Soggetti America - Politics and government Political leadership **Executive** power Communication in politics Cultural policy Political science **American Politics** Political Leadership **Executive Politics Political Communication** Cultural Policy and Politics Governance and Government Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia 1. Overview -- 2. Growth in Speechmaking -- 3. Census Regions -- 4. Nota di contenuto Media Markets -- 5. Electoral College Results -- 6. Presidents Abroad: Foreign Speeches -- 7. All Work and No Play: How Presidents Use Vacation Locations -- 8. Conclusion. This book explores speeches by American presidents. Domestic public Sommario/riassunto presidential speechmaking helps us understand the pressures, priorities, and targeted audiences of different presidencies. Many administrations generally work to reinforce already existing support though some may try to reach out to new areas. Census areas help us better understand where presidents prioritize speeches in certain areas of the country. Designated Market Areas, or media markets, allow us to look at presidential speechmaking without geographical constraints and focus on areas of population concentrations. Electoral College results show that most administrations prefer to give speeches in places where they have the most electoral support to reinforce their bases. The chapter on vacation locations explores how some presidents use Camp David or their homes as places to actively speak, while some administrations just use them as retreats. Foreign speeches allow us to see that most presidents prefer to speak in openly free countries more than other places.