Record Nr. UNINA9910350355303321 Autore Noble Keith Titolo Agriculture and Resilience in Australia's North: A Lived Experience / / by Keith Noble, Tania Dennis, Sarah Larkins Singapore:,: Springer Singapore:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2019 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 981-13-8355-3 [1st ed. 2019.] Edizione 1 online resource (229 pages) Descrizione fisica 630 Disciplina Soggetti Agriculture Sustainable development Industrial management—Environmental aspects Social service Sustainable Development Sustainability Management Social Work and Community Development Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Part 1: North Australian Theory and Realities -- Chapter 1. Agriculture Nota di contenuto as a Human Endeavour -- Chapter 2: Resilience Discourse and Adaption Strategies -- Chapter 3: Agricultural Development in Northern Australia -- Chapter 4: Framing Northern Australian Agriculture's Future -- Chapter 5: Why, and How, to Consider the Resilience of Individuals? -- Part 2: Lived Experience - Why People, Place, and Services Matter -- Chapter 6: The Resilience Strategies of Individuals --Chapter 7: The Influence and Importance of the Built Environment --Chapter 8: Health as a Building Block for Resilience -- Part 3. Discussion and Conclusions -- Chapter 9: Bringing it together - the Thread of Fairness -- Chapter 10: A Fair Go, a Fair Future. Sommario/riassunto This book examines the mechanisms and strategies farmers in North Australia adopt to manage the setbacks and challenges they face. This social research is based on farmers' experiences, but also draws on the author's own experience after his tropical fruit farm was destroyed by two Category 5 cyclones in five years. Through historical analysis, the

book compares historic and contemporary aspirations for northern

development, and discusses the influence of the built environment on individuals as well as access to health and other social services. Exploring the implications of individual resilience strategies for policy development within the broader context of northern development and evolving environmental governance, the book also highlights the fact that this is occurring in a new geological epoch – the Anthropocene. The book will provide a unique perspective and understanding to government, individuals and industries interested in northern Australia and its relationship to the world.