Record Nr. UNINA9910370054803321 Autore Seitz Tim Titolo Design Thinking and the New Spirit of Capitalism : Sociological Reflections on Innovation Culture / / by Tim Seitz Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Palgrave Pivot, Pubbl/distr/stampa , 2020 **ISBN** 9783030317157 3030317153 Edizione [1st ed. 2020.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (xii, 107 pages) 306 Disciplina Industrial sociology Soggetti Ethnology Economics - Sociological aspects Culture Knowledge, Sociology of Sociology of Work Ethnography **Economic Sociology** Sociology of Culture Sociology of Knowledge and Discourse Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Chapter 1: Introduction: Design Thinking and the New Spirit of Capitalism -- Chapter 2: The Temporality of Design Thinking --Chapter 3: the Materiality of Design Thinking -- Chapter 4: Design Thinking and the New Spirit of Capitalism -- Conclusion.

Sommario/riassunto

An ethnographic study on Design Thinking, this book offers profound insights into the popular innovation method, centrally exploring how design thinking's practice relates to the vast promises surrounding it. Through a close study of a Berlin-based innovation agency, Tim Seitz

finds both mundane knowledge practices and promises of

transformation. He unpacks the relationships between these discourses and practices and undertakes an exploratory movement that leads him

from practice theory to pragmatism. In the course of this movement, Seitz makes design thinking understandable as a phenomenon of what Boltanski and Chiapello described as the "new spirit of capitalism"-that is, an ideological structure that incorporates criticism and therefore strengthens capitalism.