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Sommario/riassunto	In Indigenous North American film Native Americans tell their own stories and thereby challenge a range of political and historical contradictions, including egregious misrepresentations by Hollywood. Although Indians in film have long been studied, especially as

characters in Hollywood westerns, Indian film itself has received relatively little scholarly attention. In *Imagic Moments* Lee Schweningen offers a much-needed corrective, examining films in which the major inspiration, the source material, and the acting are essentially Native. Schweningen looks at a selection of mostly narrative fic
