

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910452680103321
Autore	Duff Patricia
Titolo	Learning Chinese [[electronic resource]] : linguistic, sociocultural, and narrative perspectives / / Patricia Duff ... [et al.]
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Berlin ; ; Boston, : De Gruyter Mouton, 2013
ISBN	1-934078-77-8
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (338 p.)
Collana	Trends in applied linguistics, , 1868-6362 ; ; v. 5
Altri autori (Persone)	DuffPatricia <1959->
Disciplina	495.1071
Soggetti	Chinese language - Study and teaching Chinese language - Social aspects Chinese language - Research Electronic books.
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	Frontmatter -- Preface -- Table of contents -- List of figures -- List of tables -- 1 'China Rising': Chinese and Chinese Language Learning as Global Phenomena -- 2 Developing Chinese Proficiency: Linguistic Perspectives -- 3 Developing Everyday Chinese Literacies: Sinographic Choices, Practices, and Identities -- 4 Sociocultural Approaches to Chinese Language Learning and Research: Negotiating Identities and Communities -- 5 Narrative and Metanarrative Perspectives on Learning, Researching, and Theorizing Chinese as an Additional Language -- 6 Conclusion: Reflections on Research in Chinese as an Additional Language -- Appendices
Sommario/riassunto	The acquisition of Mandarin Chinese, one of the most important and widely spoken languages in the world today, is the focus of this innovative study. It describes the rise of Chinese as a global language and the many challenges and opportunities associated with learning it. The collaborative, multiple-case study and cross-case analysis is presented from three distinct but complementary theoretical and analytic perspectives: linguistic, sociocultural, and narrative. The book reveals fascinating dimensions of Chinese language learning based on vivid first-person accounts (with autobiographical n

2. Record Nr.	UNISA996546840903316
Autore	Arthanari Tirukkattuppalli Subramanyam
Titolo	Pedigree polytopes : new insights on computational complexity of combinatorial optimization problems / / Tirukkattuppalli Subramanyam Arthanari
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Singapore : , : Springer, , [2023] ©2023
ISBN	9789811999529 9789811999512
Edizione	[1st ed. 2023.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (235 pages)
Disciplina	895.134
Soggetti	Polytopes
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Chapter 1: Prologue -- Chapter 2: Notations, Definitions and Briefs -- Chapter 3: Motivation for Studying Pedigrees -- Chapter 4: Structure of the Pedigree Polytope -- Chapter 5: Membership Checking in Pedigree Polytopes -- Chapter 6: Computational Complexity of Membership Checking -- Chapter 7: Efficient Checking of Membership in Pedigree Polytope and its Implications -- Chapter 8: Epilogue.
Sommario/riassunto	This book defines and studies a combinatorial object called the pedigree and develops the theory for optimising a linear function over the convex hull of pedigrees (the Pedigree polytope). A strongly polynomial algorithm implementing the framework given in the book for checking membership in the pedigree polytope is a major contribution. This book challenges the popularly held belief in computer science that a problem included in the NP-complete class may not have a polynomial algorithm to solve. By showing STSP has a polynomial algorithm, this book settles the P vs NP question. This book has illustrative examples, figures, and easily accessible proofs for showing this unexpected result. This book introduces novel constructions and ideas previously not used in the literature. Another interesting feature of this book is it uses basic max-flow and linear multicommodity flow algorithms and concepts in these proofs establishing efficient membership checking for the pedigree polytope.

Chapters 3-7 can be adopted to give a course on Efficient Combinatorial Optimization. This book is the culmination of the author's research that started in 1982 through a presentation on a new formulation of STSP at the XIth International Symposium on Mathematical Programming at Bonn.

3. Record Nr.	UNINA9910791457403321
Autore	Ernst Emily Rose <1978->
Titolo	The price of progressive politics [[electronic resource]] : the welfare rights movement in an era of colorblind racism / / Rose Ernst
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York, : New York University Press, c2010
ISBN	0-8147-2274-1 0-8147-2257-1
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (200 p.)
Disciplina	361.6/140973
Soggetti	Welfare rights movement - United States Welfare recipients - United States - Public opinion Public welfare in mass media Racism - United States Racism in social services - United States
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	Frontmatter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- 1. Introduction -- 2. To Each Her Own -- 3. Closing Rank -- 4. Pulling Rank -- 5. Breaking Rank -- 6. Crossing Over -- 7. Critical Alliances -- Appendix A -- Appendix B -- Appendix C -- Appendix D -- Notes -- References -- Index -- About the Author
Sommario/riassunto	Through the voices of women activists in the welfare rightsmovement across the United States, The Price of ProgressivePolitics exposes the contemporary reality of welfare rightspolitics, revealing how the language of colorblind racism underminesthis multiracial movement. Through in-depth interviewswith activists in eight organizations across the UnitedStates, Rose Ernst presents an intersectional analysis of

how these activists understand the complexities of race, class and gender and how such understandings have affected their approach to their grassroots work. Engaging and accessible, *The Price of Progressive Politics* offers a refreshing examination of how those working for change grapple with shifting racial dynamics in the United States, arguing that organizations that fail to develop a consciousness that reflects the reality of multiple marginalized identities ultimately reproduce the societal dynamics they seek to change.

4. Record Nr.	UNINA9910797887303321
Autore	McDonnell Kilian
Titolo	John Calvin : the church, and the eucharist / / Kilian McDonnell
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Princeton, New Jersey : , : Princeton University Press, , 1967 ©1967
ISBN	0-691-64985-5 1-4008-7792-X
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (421 p.)
Collana	Princeton Legacy Library
Disciplina	265/.3
Soggetti	Lord's Supper - History
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	A revision and expansion of the author's thesis, Treves.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references.
Nota di contenuto	Front matter -- Preface -- Contents -- ABBREVIATIONS -- Introduction -- I. The Intellectual Pre-History: The Ecclesiological and Eucharistic Flight from Secondary Causality -- II. The Imperatives of the Ascension in Earthly Image and Heavenly Reality -- III. Calvin Accuses Rome -- IV. The Transcendent God as a Sacramental and Ecclesiological Concern: Calvin's Eucharistic Preoccupations, I -- V. Union with Christ as a Sacramental and Ecclesiological Concern: Calvin's Eucharistic Preoccupations, II -- VI. The Eucharist in Its Christological Context: Calvin's Eucharistic Doctrine, I -- VII. The Eucharist in Its Pneumatological Context: Calvin's Eucharistic Doctrine, II -- VIII. Open Questions -- Conclusion -- Appendix -- Bibliography -- Index of Names -- Subject Index

Calvin's eucharistic doctrine has been approached in the past from the standpoint of his polemic with the Lutherans and the Zwinglians, but Father McDonnell believes that Calvin's primary position was determined by his rejection of Roman Catholicism. The author, therefore, explores Calvin's eucharistic doctrine through a comprehensive analysis of his stand against the Roman Catholic Church. Introductory chapters are devoted to the broader currents of pre-Reformation thought: Scotist tradition, devotiomoderna, humanism, and the Platonic renewal. The study continues with a discussion of St. Augustine, the medieval disputants, and the doctrines of Calvin's contemporaries-Luther, Bucer, and Melancthon. The final chapter considers the relevancy of Calvin's objections to Catholic eucharistic doctrine and their relation to modern developments in Catholic sacramental thought. Originally published in 1967. The Princeton Legacy Library uses the latest print-on-demand technology to again make available previously out-of-print books from the distinguished backlist of Princeton University Press. These editions preserve the original texts of these important books while presenting them in durable paperback and hardcover editions. The goal of the Princeton Legacy Library is to vastly increase access to the rich scholarly heritage found in the thousands of books published by Princeton University Press since its founding in 1905.
