Record Nr. UNINA9910456780103321 **Titolo** Visions of the Irish dream [[electronic resource] /] / edited by Marguerite Quintelli-Neary Pubbl/distr/stampa Newcastle upon Tyne, : Cambridge Scholars Pub., 2009 **ISBN** 1-282-18988-3 9786612189883 1-4438-0397-9 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (215 p.) Altri autori (Persone) Quintelli-NearyMarguerite <1953-> Disciplina 820.99417 Soggetti National characteristics, Irish, in literature Irish literature - History and criticism National characteristics, Irish Electronic books. Ireland Emigration and immigration United States Emigration and immigration Canada Emigration and immigration 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. TABLE OF CONTENTS; PREFACE; CHAPTER ONE; CHAPTER TWO; Nota di contenuto CHAPTER THREE; CHAPTER FOUR; CHAPTER FIVE; CHAPTER SIX; CHAPTER SEVEN; CHAPTER EIGHT; ABOUT THE CONTRIBUTORS Sommario/riassunto Visions of the Irish Dream assembles essays that examine the elusive dream of the Irish and Irish Americans, looking at aspirations of 19thcentury emigrants to Canada and the United States, political and educational goals of the Irish, historic trauma, contemporary xenophobia, and artists' renditions of "Irishness." Whether the dreams are fulfilled or deferred, they all strive to come to terms with what it means to be Irish; sometimes the definition involves bringing a piece of

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