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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Frontmatter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Note on Editions, Translations, and Names -- Introduction: Cervantes' Epic Novel -- 1. Europe as Barbaric New World -- 2. Christian Spirituality: The Law of Love -- 3. Epic Recast: The Dream Life of the New Hero -- 4. Christian Politics: Church and State -- Epilogue: Cervantes' Human and Divine Comedy -- Appendix: Composition Dates of Persiles -- Notes -- Works Cited -- Index
Sommario/riassunto	Miguel de Cervantes conceived his final work, The Labours of Persiles and Sigismunda: A Northern Story (1617), as a great prose epic that would accomplish for its age what Homer and Virgil had done for theirs. And yet, by the eighteenth century Don Quixote had eclipsed Persiles in the favour of readers and writers alike and the later novel is now virtually forgotten except by specialists. This study sets out to help restore Persiles to pride of place within Cervantes's corpus by reading it as the author's summa, as a boldly new kind of prose epic that casts an original light on the major political, religious, social, and literary debates of its era. At the same time it seeks to illuminate how such a lofty and solemn ambition could coexist with Cervantes evident urge to delight. Grounded in the novel's multiple contexts - literature, history and politics, philosophy and theology - and in close reading of the text, Michael Armstrong-Roche aims to reshape our understanding of

Persiles within the history of prose fiction and to take part in the ongoing conversation about the relationship between literary and non-literary cultural forms. Ultimately he reveals how Cervantes recast the prose epic, expanding it in new directions to accommodate the great epic themes - politics, love, and religion - to the most urgent concerns of his day.

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Collana	Lecture notes in logic ; ; 38
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Nota di contenuto	Introduction and overview -- Chapter 1. Logics with actualist quantifiers -- Chapter 2. The Barcan formulas -- Chapter 3. The existence predicate -- Chapter 4. Propositional functions and predicate substitution -- Chapter 5. Identity -- Chapter 6. Cover semantics for relevant logic.
Sommario/riassunto	Many systems of quantified modal logic cannot be characterised by Kripke's well-known possible worlds semantic analysis. This book

shows how they can be characterised by a more general 'admissible semantics', using models in which there is a restriction on which sets of worlds count as propositions. This requires a new interpretation of quantifiers that takes into account the admissibility of propositions. The author sheds new light on the celebrated Barcan Formula, whose role becomes that of legitimising the Kripkean interpretation of quantification. The theory is worked out for systems with quantifiers ranging over actual objects, and over all possibilia, and for logics with existence and identity predicates and definite descriptions. The final chapter develops a new admissible 'cover semantics' for propositional and quantified relevant logic, adapting ideas from the Kripke-Joyal semantics for intuitionistic logic in topos theory. This book is for mathematical or philosophical logicians, computer scientists and linguists.
