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Autore	Cereta Laura <1469-1499.>
Titolo	Collected letters of a Renaissance feminist [[electronic resource] /] / transcribed, translated, and edited by Diana Robin
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Chicago, : University of Chicago Press, c1997
ISBN	0-226-72158-2 1-281-12539-3 9786611125394
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (248 p.)
Collana	Other voice in early modern Europe
Altri autori (Persone)	RobinDiana Maury
Disciplina	001.3/092 B
Soggetti	Authors, Latin (Medieval and modern) - Italy Women - Italy - History - Renaissance, 1450-1600 Humanists - Italy Feminists - Italy Electronic books. Italy Intellectual life 1268-1559 Sources
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Translated from Latin.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. [203]-209) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Front matter -- CONTENTS -- Introduction to the Series -- Acknowledgments -- Translator: Introduction -- ONE. Autobiography -- TWO. Women and Society -- THREE. Marriage and Mourning -- FOUR. Woman to Woman -- FIVE. The Public Lectures -- SIX. Dialogue on the Death of an Ass -- Bibliography -- Index
Sommario/riassunto	Renaissance writer Laura Cereta (1469-1499) presents feminist issues in a predominantly male venue-the humanist autobiography in the form of personal letters. Cereta's works circulated widely in Italy during the early modern era, but her complete letters have never before been published in English. In her public lectures and essays, Cereta explores the history of women's contributions to the intellectual and political life of Europe. She argues against the slavery of women in marriage and for the rights of women to higher education, the same issues that have occupied feminist thinkers of later centuries. Yet these letters also furnish a detailed portrait of an early modern woman's private

	experience, for Cereta addressed many letters to a close circle of family and friends, discussing highly personal concerns such as her difficult relationships with her mother and her husband. Taken together, these letters are a testament both to an individual woman and to enduring feminist concerns.

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Pubbl/distr/stampa	Totowa, N.J., : Humana, c2008
ISBN	1-281-86156-1 9786611861568 1-59745-374-9
Edizione	[1st ed. 2008.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (517 p.)
Collana	Ophthalmology research
Altri autori (Persone)	Tombran-TinkJoyce BarnstableColin J
Disciplina	152.142 573.88416
Soggetti	Visual discrimination - Psychological aspects Cellular signal transduction Electronic books.
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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	Evolution of the Visual System -- An Organ of Exquisite Perfection -- Photoreceptor Structure, Function, and Development -- Development of the Foveal Specialization -- An Update on the Regulation of Rod Photoreceptor Development -- The Retinal Pigment Epithelium and the Visual Cycle -- Photoreceptor—RPE Interactions -- Molecular Biology of IRBP and Its Role in the Visual Cycle -- Visual Signaling in the Outer Retina -- Regulation of Photoresponses by Phosphorylation -- The cGMP Signaling Pathway in Retinal Photoreceptors and the Central Role of Photoreceptor Phosphodiesterase (PDE6) -- Rhodopsin Structure, function, and Involvement in Retinitis Pigmentosa -- Multiple Signaling

Pathways Govern Calcium Homeostasis in Photoreceptor Inner Segments -- The Transduction Channels of Rod and Cone Photoreceptors -- Rhodopsins in Drosophila Color Vision -- INAD Signaling Complex of Drosophila Photoreceptors -- Visual Processing in the Inner Retina -- Visual Signal Processing in the Inner Retina -- Color Vision and Adaptive Processes -- Human Cone Spectral Sensitivities and Color Vision Deficiencies -- Luminous Efficiency Functions -- Cone Pigments and Vision in the Mouse -- Multifocal Oscillatory Potentials of the Human Retina -- Aging and Vision -- The Aging of the Retina -- Aging of the Retinal Pigment Epithelium -- Visual Transduction and Age-Related Changes in Lipofuscin -- Nonphotoreceptor Light Detection and Circadian Rhythms -- A Nonspecific System Provides Nonphotic Information for the Biological Clock -- The Circadian Clock: Physiology, Genes, and Disease.

Sommario/riassunto

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