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Nota di contenuto	Frontmatter -- Contents -- Illustrations -- Note on Confidentiality and Photography -- Note on Transliteration -- Acknowledgments -- Preface -- Introduction: Bioethics Rebound -- 1. Egypt's Crises of Authority -- 2. Defining Death: When the Experts Disagree -- 3. From Secret to Scandal: Corneas, Dead Donors, and Egypt's Blind -- 4. Shaykh of the People: Genealogy of an Utterance -- 5. Transplanting God's Property: The Ethics of Scale -- 6. Only One Kidney to Give: Ethics and Risk -- 7. Principles We Can't Afford? Ethics and Pragmatism in Kidney Sales -- Conclusions: Where Cyborgs Meet God -- Epilogue: The Ongoing Struggle for Human Dignity -- Notes -- Glossary of Frequently Used Arabic Terms -- References -- Index
Sommario/riassunto	Why has Egypt, a pioneer of organ transplantation, been reluctant to pass a national organ transplant law for more than three decades? This book analyzes the national debate over organ transplantation in Egypt as it has unfolded during a time of major social and political transformation-including mounting dissent against a brutal regime, the privatization of health care, advances in science, the growing gap between rich and poor, and the Islamic revival. Sherine Hamdy recasts bioethics as a necessarily political project as she traces the moral positions of patients in need of new tissues and organs, doctors uncertain about whether transplantation is a "good" medical or religious practice, and Islamic scholars. Her richly narrated study delves into topics including current definitions of brain death, the authority of Islamic fatwas, reports about the mismanagement of toxic waste predisposing the poor to organ failure, the Egyptian black market in organs, and more. Incorporating insights from a range of disciplines, <i>Our Bodies Belong to God</i> sheds new light on contemporary Islamic thought, while challenging the presumed divide between religion and science, and between ethics and politics.

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Nota di contenuto	What is the Semantic Web? -- Semantic modeling -- RDFS, the basis of the Semantic Web -- Semantic Web application architecture -- Querying the Semantic Web-SPARQL-- RDF and inferencing -- RDF schema -- RDFS-Plus -- Using RDFS-Plus in the wild -- SKOS, managing vocabularies with RDFS-Plus -- Basic OWL -- Counting and sets in OWL -- Ontologies on the web, putting it all together -- Good and bad modeling practices -- Expert modeling in OWL-- Conclusions.
Sommario/riassunto	Semantic Web models and technologies provide information in machine-readable languages that enable computers to access the Web more intelligently and perform tasks automatically without the direction of users. These technologies are relatively recent and advancing rapidly, creating a set of unique challenges for those developing applications. Semantic Web for the Working Ontologist is the essential, comprehensive resource on semantic modeling, for practitioners in health care, artificial intelligence, finance, engineering, military intelligence, enterprise architecture, and m