Record Nr. UNINA9910459932103321 Re-imagining policing in Canada / / edited by Dennis Cooley **Titolo** Toronto, Ontario : : Buffalo, New York : : London, England : . : Pubbl/distr/stampa University of Toronto Press., 2012 ©2005 **ISBN** 1-4426-2733-6 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (344 p.) Collana Heritage 363.2/0971 Disciplina Police - Canada Soggetti Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Frontmatter -- Contents -- Introduction: Re-imagining Policing in Nota di contenuto Canada / Cooly, Dennis -- 1. Policing in Canada in the Twenty-first Century: Directions for Law Reform / Hermer, Joe / Kempa, Michael / Shearing, Clifford / Stenning, Philip / Wood, Jennifer -- 2. Policing in Vancouver's Downtown Eastside: A Case Study / Mopas, Michael -- 3. Policing Fantasy City / Huey, Laura. J. / Ericson, Richard V. / Haggerty, Kevin D. -- 4. Policing Communities and Communities of Policing: A Comparative Study of Policing and Security in Two Canadian Communities / Murphy, Christopher / Clarke, Curtis -- 5. Beyond Public-Private: Towards a New Typology of Policing / Rigakos, George S. -- 6. Policing for the Public Good: A Commentary / Eng, Susan --Notes on Contributors Sommario/riassunto Policing in Canada is in the process of change: similar to other nations in the western world, many of the policing services that were provided by public forces in the past are being gradually handed over to private security agencies. Complex networks of policing that reflect a mix of public and private security providers are emerging, and this transformation has serious implications for how Canadians interact with one another. For instance, if residents of a gated community or members of a downtown business association pay for their own policing services rather than relying on the public police, whose law is

being enforced? With this collection, Dennis Cooley has brought

together some of the top minds in criminology and policing to examine the phenomenon of the changing nature of policing in Canada. The essays describe the character and constitution of security in Canada and explore the implications of these changes in terms of larger questions about power, social control, justice, and law. Wide-ranging and topical, Re-imagining Policing in Canada will prove essential reading for policy-makers and scholars alike.