1. Record Nr. UNINA9910461282903321 Autore Harper Sue Titolo Women in British cinema [[electronic resource]]: mad, bad and dangerous to know / / Sue Harper London;; New York,: Continuum, 2000 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-283-20552-1 9786613205520 1-4411-3498-0 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (278 p.) Collana Rethinking British cinema Disciplina 384/.8/0820941 Soggetti Women in the motion picture industry - Great Britain Women in motion pictures Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Includes bibliographical references (p. 237-242) and indexes. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto pt. 1. Mainstream representations -- pt. 2. Women's work. Sommario/riassunto This book takes a broad perspective and analyses the ways in which the British film industry has dealt with women and their creativity from 1930 to the present. The first part of the book deals comprehensively with different historical periods in British film culture, showing how the 'agency' of production company, director, distribution company or scriptwriter can bring about new patterns of female stereotyping. The second part looks at the input of women workers into the film process. It assesses the work of women in a variety of roles: directors such as

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