Record Nr. UNINA9910462403403321 Autore Shantz Jeff **Titolo** Against all authority [[electronic resource]]: anarchism and the literary imagination / / Jeff Shantz Exeter, UK;; New York,: Imprint Academic, c2011 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-283-69245-7 1-84540-325-8 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (183 p.) Disciplina 320.57 Soggetti Anarchism in literature Political violence in literature Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Monografia Livello bibliografico Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Includes bibliographical references (p. [133]-138) and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Cover; Contents; Front matter; Title page; Copyright page; Dedication; Acknowledgements; Body matter; Introduction - Against all authority: Anarchism and the literary imagination; 1 - Writing the anarchist specter: of secret agents and men called Thursday; 2 - Beyond socialist realism; 3 - Anarchy against format; 4 - Intellectual proletarians; 5 -An in-between socialism? Reflections on Joyce's idiosyncratic politics: 6 - Beyond socialist realism: Anarchism and glocal concerns in the writings of Wole Sovinka: 7 - Novel utopias: Feminism and anarchism in the works of Ursula K. LeGuin 8 - Staging anarchy: Anarchism and drama 9 - DIY anarchy; 10 -Autoethnography: Writing an anarchist sociology?; Back matter; References Sommario/riassunto This volume examines historical and contemporary engagements of anarchism and literary production. Anarchists have used literary production to express opposition to values and relations characterizing advanced capitalist (and socialist) societies while also expressing key aspects of the alternative values and institutions proposed within anarchism. Among favoured themes are anarchist critiques of

corporatization, prisons and patriarchal relations as well as

explorations of developing anarchi...