1. Record Nr. UNINA9910465233403321

Autore Kaiser Wolfram

Titolo Exhibiting Europe in museums: transnational networks, collections,

narratives, and representations / / Wolfram Kaiser, Stefan Krankenhagen and Kerstin Poehls : translated from German

Pubbl/distr/stampa New York, ; Oxforrd:, : Berghahn Books, , 2014

©2014

ISBN 1-78238-291-7

9781782382911

Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (viii, 238 p.)

Collana Museums and Collections;; Volume 6

Classificazione 32.08

Disciplina 069/.5094

Soggetti Museum cooperation - Europe

Museums and community - Europe Culture and globalization - Europe

Museum exhibits - Europe Museum techniques - Europe

cultural event cultural policy Electronic books. Europe Cultural policy

Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese

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 Contents; Acknowledgements; Abbreviations; Introduction - Exhibiting

Europe? Europeanisation as Cultural Practice; Chapter 1 - Musealising Europe: Compensation, Negotiation and the Conquest of the Future; Chapter 2 - Governing Europe: State Institutions and European Cultural and Museum Policy; Chapter 3 - Networking Europe: Societal Actors in the Europeanisation of the Museum Field; Chapter 4 - Collecting

Europe: Strategies and Challenges in Transnational Collection Practice;

Figures; Chapter 5 - Narrating Europe: The Story and Stories of

European Integration

Chapter 6 - Crossing Europe: Migration and Mobility in Museal

SpacesConclusion - Exhibiting Europe: The Practice of Europeanisation

Sommario/riassunto

in Museums; Appendix I: Interviews; Appendix 2: Museums and Exhibitions; Notes; Bibliography; Index

Museums of history and contemporary culture face many challenges in the modern age. One is how to react to processes of Europeanization and globalization, which require more cross-border cooperation and different ways of telling stories for visitors. This book investigates how museums exhibit Europe. Based on research in nearly 100 museums across the Continent and interviews with cultural policy makers and museum curators, it studies the growing transnational activities of state institutions, societal organizations, and people in the museum field such as attempts to Europeanize collection p