Record Nr. UNINA9910483236803321 Autore Räikkä Juha **Titolo** Social Justice in Practice: Questions in Ethics and Political Philosophy / / by Juha Räikkä Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Springer,, Pubbl/distr/stampa 2014 **ISBN** 3-319-04633-0 Edizione [1st ed. 2014.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (181 p.) Collana Studies in Applied Philosophy, Epistemology and Rational Ethics, 2192-6255;;14 Disciplina 172.2 Soggetti Political science - Philosophy Political science Law—Philosophy Law Political Philosophy Political Theory Theories of Law, Philosophy of Law, Legal History 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 at the end of each chapters. Nota di contenuto Theory and Practice -- Action and Uncertainty -- Unmasking in Justices -- Privacy and Justice -- Morality and Inner Life -- Self-Deception as an Explanation. Sommario/riassunto In this book the practical dimension of social justice is explained using the analysis and discussion of a variety of well-known topics. These include: the relation between theory and practice in normative political philosophy; the issue of justice under uncertainty; the question of whether we can and should unmask social injustices by means of conspiracy theories; the issues of privacy and the right to privacy; the issue of how certain psychological states may affect our moral obligations, in particular the obligation to treat others fairly; and finally the concepts of morality, fairness, and self-deception. The

primary goal of the book is to provide readers with an updated

discussion of some important and practical social justice issues. These issues are presented from a new perspective, based on the author's

research. It is hoped that bringing these topics together in a single book will promote the emergence of new insights and challenges for future research. Juha Räikkä is a professor at the Department of Philosophy at the University of Turku, Finland. His research focuses on ethics and political philosophy.