

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910493210303321
Autore	Nestarcova Dominika
Titolo	A critical appraisal of initial coin offerings : lifting the "digital token's veil" // by Dominika Nestarcova
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Leiden Boston : , : BRILL, , 2019
ISBN	90-04-41658-7
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (177 pages)
Collana	Brill Research Perspectives
Disciplina	737.409
Soggetti	Cryptocurrencies Electronic funds transfers Finance - Technological innovations Securities Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (pages 127-149).
Sommario/riassunto	"In A Critical Appraisal of Initial Coin Offerings: Lifting the "Digital Token's Veil", Dominika Nestarcova examines the regulatory treatment of initial coin offerings ('ICOs'), a novel form of raising capital, where start-up companies issue blockchain-based assets ('digital tokens') to the public in return for a payment. The ICO model promises to utilize blockchain technology to enforce financial contracting via the underlying code, thereby substituting the traditional securities regulation. Dominika Nestarcova provides an in-depth analysis of this promise by examining the nature of digital tokens, the process, underlying benefits and risks to the model and the current state of the ICO regulation with an aim to uncover how the self-regulatory promise offered by ICOs lives up the expectations".