

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910572197303321
Autore	Cristofoletti Enrico
Titolo	Fenomenologia del concetto di élite e network analysis come metodo di information retrieval
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Milan, : FrancoAngeli, 2022
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (205 p.)
Collana	Fondazione Trentino Università
Soggetti	linguistics
Lingua di pubblicazione	Italiano
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Sommario/riassunto	<p>According to Sartori, "Language is the sine-qua-non instrument of knowing". Nevertheless, social sciences often adopt terms lacking clear and precise definitions. Adopting the method proposed in Sartori (1984), the present Master's thesis consists of an expiatory study aiming to clarify the concept of "élites". First, the essential works concerning élites are identified by analyzing a large citation network. Then, the thesis proposes a definition of élite able to encompass those of previous works. The new definition attempts to include the concept of élites within the broader framework of the resource-dependence theories (Pfeffer e Salancik, 1978) and purposive theories (Coleman, 2005).</p>