1. Record Nr. UNINA9910780218003321 Autore Starratt Robert J **Titolo** Centering educational administration [[electronic resource]]: cultivating meaning, community, responsibility / / Robert J. Starratt Mahwah, N.J., : L. Erlbaum Associates, 2003 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4106-0730-5 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (281 p.) Disciplina 371.2/0071/1 Soggetti School management and organization - Study and teaching (Higher) School administrators - Training of Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Book Cover; Title; Copyright; Contents; Preface; Part I: ELEMENTS OF THE LEADER'S VISION; Chapter 1 The Challenging World of Educational Leadership; Chapter 2 Cultivating Meaning; Chapter 3 Contested Meaning: Schooling Within the Legacy of Modernity: Chapter 4 Educating for Community: Modernity's Challenge: Chapter 5 Cultivating a Mature Community; Chapter 6 Cultivating Responsibility; Chapter 7 Cultivating Responsibility To and For Learning; Chapter 8 Cultivating a Responsible Community; Part II: BRINGING THE VISION TO REALITY; Chapter 9 Cultivating a Perspective on Learning Chapter 10 EmpowermentChapter 11 Organic Management for Student Learning: Chapter 12 Leading by Design: The Medium Is the Message: Chapter 13 Leading a Learning Community; Chapter 14 School Administration as Autobiography; Author Index; Subject Index In this book, Starratt enters the national conversation among Sommario/riassunto educational administration scholars and practitioners about what constitutes the core of their knowledge and practice. In Part I, he develops three main themes--cultivating meaning, community, and moral responsibility--which he then positions against national themes about the core of educational administration: school improvement, democratic community, and social justice. Rather than focusing on the routine managerial tasks normally associated with school administration (budgeting, personnel and legal problems, time and

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