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Titolo	Aspect across languages : event construal in speech and gesture // edited by Alan Cienki, Olga K. Iriskhanova
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ISBN	90-272-6369-8
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (241 pages)
Disciplina	302.222
Soggetti	Nonverbal communication Body language Speech and gesture Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Aspect through the lens of event construal -- Researching aspect in multimodal communication: consequences for data and methods -- Speakers' verbal expression of event construal: quantitative and qualitative analyses -- Speakers' gestural expression of event construal: quantitative and qualitative analyses -- Looking ahead: kinesiological analysis -- Comprehension of event construal from multimodal communication -- The need for interdisciplinary collaboration.

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910781748503321
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Titolo	Speaking to history [[electronic resource]] : the story of King Goujian in twentieth-century China / / Paul A. Cohen ; with a foreword by John R. Gillis
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Berkeley, : University of California Press, c2009
ISBN	1-283-29174-6 9786613291745 0-520-94239-6
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (381 p.)
Collana	Asia--local studies/global themes ; ; 16
Altri autori (Persone)	GillisJohn R
Disciplina	931/.03092
Soggetti	HISTORY / Asia / General China History 20th century
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	A Philip E. Lilienthal book.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	The Goujian story in antiquity -- The burden of national humiliation : late Qing and republican years -- The plight of Chiang Kai-shek's Taiwan -- Crisis and response: the Woxin changdan fever of the early 1960s -- Political allegory in the 1980s : Xiao Jun and Bai Hua -- The Goujian story in a privatizing China -- Conclusion : cross-cultural perspectives.
Sommario/riassunto	The ancient story of King Goujian, a psychologically complex fifth-century BCE monarch, spoke powerfully to the Chinese during China's turbulent twentieth century. Yet most Americans-even students and specialists of this era-have never heard of Goujian. In Speaking to History, Paul A. Cohen opens this previously missing (to the West) chapter of China's recent history. He connects the story to each of the major traumas of the last century, tracing its versatility as a source of inspiration and hope and elegantly exploring, on a more general level, why such stories often remain sealed up within a culture, unknown to outsiders. Labeling this phenomenon "insider cultural knowledge," Cohen investigates the relationship between past story and present reality. He inquires why at certain moments in their collective lives peoples are especially drawn to narratives from the distant past that

resonate strongly with their current circumstances, and why the Chinese have returned over and over to a story from twenty-five centuries ago. In this imaginative stitching of story to history, Cohen reveals how the shared narratives of a community help to define its culture and illuminate its history.
