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| Collana                 | Alternative voices in contemporary economics  |
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| Soggetti                | Finance - Study and teaching (Higher)<br>Paradigms (Social sciences)  |
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| Nota di bibliografia    | Includes bibliographical references (p. [149]-169) and index.   |
| Nota di contenuto       | Paradigms -- Organization of academic finance paradigm -- Structure of academic finance paradigm -- Methodology of academic finance paradigm -- Theory and practice of academic finance paradigm -- Development of academic finance : four paradigmatic views -- Mathematical language of academic finance : four paradigmatic views -- Mathematics and academic finance : four paradigmatic views -- Corporate governance and academic finance : four paradigmatic views -- Money and academic finance : four paradigmatic views -- Markets and academic finance : four paradigmatic views -- Technology and academic finance: four paradigmatic views -- Teaching and academic finance : four paradigmatic views -- Conclusion. |
| Sommario/riassunto      | Social theory can usefully be conceived in terms of four key paradigms: functionalist, interpretive, radical humanist and radical structuralist. Finance theory is based on the functionalist paradigm and for the most part finance theorists are unaware of the philosophical tradition to which they belong. By offering an overview of the four paradigms, Ardalan's work offers a concise understanding of the multifaceted  |

nature of finance.

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