Record Nr. UNINA9910785497103321 Autore Guillaume Xavier **Titolo** International relations and identity: a dialogical approach / / Xavier Guillaume Pubbl/distr/stampa New York:,: Routledge,, 2011 **ISBN** 1-136-92596-1 1-282-91297-6 9786612912979 0-203-84526-9 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (189 p.) Collana The new international relations Disciplina 306.2 Soggetti Ethnicity - Japan Group identity - Political aspects International relations Multiculturalism - Japan Political culture - Japan Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Includes bibliographical references (p. [151]-168) and index. Nota di bibliografia Book Cover; Title; Copyright; Contents; Acknowledgments; Note on Nota di contenuto transliteration and translation; Introduction; 1 Toward processual identity: Identity/alterity and IR theory; 2 A dialogical approach to the international; 3 From orthodoxy to normalcy: Narrative matrices in modern Japan; 4 Between homogeneity and heterogeneity: The question of multiculturalism in modern Japan; 5 Conclusion: Unveiling the international; Notes; Bibliography; Index Sommario/riassunto International Relations and Identity examines the issue of collective political identity formation and expands the concept of the international beyond the notion of states. Providing a dialogical approach to guestions of identity and alterity in International Relations. the author considers how identity is formed, maintained and transformed in continuous processes with alterity. This innovative book seeks to broaden understanding of identity and difference by developing a process-based perspective. It shifts the attention from a dichotomising view of the international