

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910786080003321
Autore	Spilker Gabriele <1979-, >
Titolo	Globalization, political institutions and the environment in developing countries / / Gabriele Spilker
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York : , : Routledge, , 2012
ISBN	1-136-17906-2 1-283-92409-9 0-203-08241-9 1-136-17907-0
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (181 p.)
Collana	Routledge research in environmental policy and politics ; ; 3
Disciplina	337.09172/4
Soggetti	Environmental policy - International cooperation Democracy - Developing countries Developing countries Environmental conditions
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Introduction -- What is driving environmental quality? Domestic versus international integration -- Disentangling the effect of IO membership -- Joint effects of economic globalization and political institutions on environmental quality in developing countries -- What is driving environmental commitment? Domestic versus international integration -- Treaty design and environmental commitment -- Environmental performance in China and India -- Conclusion.
Sommario/riassunto	Though industrialized countries are usually the ones indicted when environmental pollution is discussed, over the few last years the rate of emissions in developing countries has increased by a startling amount. The fallout from this increase is evidenced by the struggle of cities like Beijing to improve their air quality. Yet there also exist developing countries such as Thailand that have managed to limit their emissions to more tolerable levels, raising the question: why are some developing countries more willing or able to take care of their environment than others? In this