Record Nr. UNINA9910787088503321 Autore Morland Paul **Titolo** Demographic engineering: population strategies in ethnic conflict // Paul Morland Pubbl/distr/stampa Surrey, England;; Burlington, Vermont:,: Ashgate,, 2014 ©2014 **ISBN** 1-315-57647-3 1-317-15292-1 1-317-15291-3 1-4724-4165-6 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (229 p.) Collana International Population Studies Disciplina 323.11 Soggetti Ethnic groups - Political activity Ethnic relations - Political aspects Ethnic conflict - Political aspects Conflict management - Political aspects Forced migration Population transfers Population policy Boundary disputes 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 Cover; Contents; List of Figures; Foreword; Acknowledgements; Preface; Nota di contenuto 1Into the Demographic Whirlwind; 2 Understanding Demographic Engineering: 3Sri Lanka: The Forging of aSingle Sinhalese Identity and Its Consequences: 4Northern Ireland: The Six CountyState and Its Population; 5Israel/Palestine: From Ingathering the Exiles to Competitive Breeding; 6 United States of America: Defining the Territory and Ethnically Managing its Population; 7 Conclusion; Bibliography; Index Sommario/riassunto Offering a new way of thinking about demographic engineering ('hard demography' versus 'soft demography') and how ethnic groups in conflict deploy demographic strategies, this book will have a broad appeal to demographers, geographers and political scientists. It asks

how policies have been framed and implemented to change the demography of ethnic groups on the ground in their own interests. It also examines how successful these policies have been, focusing on the cases of Sri Lanka, Israel / Palestine, Northern Ireland and the U.S.A.