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Titolo	Children of a new world [[electronic resource] ] : society, culture, and globalization / / Paula S. Fass
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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (11 p.)
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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Introduction: Children in society, culture, and the world -- Immigration and education in the United States -- The IQ : a cultural and historical framework -- Creating new identities : youth and ethnicity in New York City high schools in the 1930s and 1940s -- Making and remaking an event : the Leopold and Loeb case in American culture -- A sign of family disorder? : changing representations of parental kidnapping -- Bringing it home : children, technology, and family in the post-World War II world -- Children and globalization -- Children in global migrations -- Children of a new world.
Sommario/riassunto	Paula S. Fass, a pathbreaker in children's history and the history of education, turns her attention in Children of a New World to the impact of globalization on children's lives, both in the United States and on the world stage. Globalization, privatization, the rise of the "work-

centered" family, and the triumph of the unregulated marketplace, she argues, are revolutionizing the lives of children today. Fass begins by considering the role of the school as a fundamental component of social formation, particularly in a nation of immigrants like the United States. She goes on to examine children as both creators of culture and objects of cultural concern in America, evident in the strange contemporary fear of and fascination with child abduction, child murder, and parental kidnapping. Finally, Fass moves beyond the limits of American society and brings historical issues into the present and toward the future, exploring how American historical experience can serve as a guide to contemporary globalization as well as how globalization is altering the experience of American children and redefining childhood. Clear and scholarly, serious but witty, *Children of a New World* provides a foundation for future historical investigations while adding to our current understanding of the nature of modern childhood, the role of education for national identity, the crisis of family life, and the influence of American concepts of childhood on the world's definitions of children's rights. As a new generation comes of age in a global world, it is a vital contribution to the study of childhood and globalization.

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Autore	Menkulasi Jeta
Titolo	Dedollarization in Liberia-Lessons From Cross-Country Experience // Jeta Menkulasi, Lodewyk Erasmus, Jules Leichter
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Washington, D.C. : , : International Monetary Fund, , 2009
ISBN	1-4623-2551-3 1-4527-7732-2 9786612842597 1-4518-7185-6 1-282-84259-5
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (25 p.)
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Altri autori (Persone)	ErasmusLodewyk LeichterJules
Soggetti	Money - Liberia Dollar, American Banks and Banking Money and Monetary Policy Industries: Financial Services Monetary Policy Monetary Systems Standards Regimes Government and the Monetary System Payment Systems Banks Depository Institutions Micro Finance Institutions Mortgages Financial Institutions and Services: General Monetary Policy, Central Banking, and the Supply of Money and Credit: General Monetary economics Banking Currencies Dollarization Bank deposits Financial sector Monetary base

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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references.
Nota di contenuto	Contents; Table; 1. History of Currencies in Liberia; Figures; 1. International Comparison of Dollarization: Foreign Currency Deposits to; I. Macroeconomic Management in a Dollarized Economy; II. International Experience with Dedollarization; 2. Liberia: Real Effective Exchange Rate and CPI; Box; 1. Experience with Dedollarization; 3. Increases in dollarization: 2000-07; 4. Decreases in dollarization: 2000-07; III. Lessons and Policy Options for Liberia; IV. Conclusion; References; Appendix; I. Estimating the Degree of Dollarization in Liberia; Appendix Table; 1. Dollarization in Liberia Attachment1. Estimating US Dollars in Circulation
Sommario/riassunto	Liberia's experience with a dual currency regime, with the U.S. dollar enjoying legal tender status, dates to its founding as a sovereign country in 1847. Following the end of the most recent episode of civil war in late-2003, the new government has expressed interest in strengthening the role of the Liberian dollar. Liberia, however, is heavily dollarized, with the U.S. dollar estimated to account for about 90 percent of money supply. Cross-country experience suggests that dollarization does not preclude monetary policy from achieving its primary objective of price stability, and that successful and lasting dedollarization may be difficult to achieve.

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Altri autori (Persone)	ZelnikovAndrei
Disciplina	523.8/875
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Nota di contenuto	Cover; Contents; 1 Black Holes: Big Picture; 1.1 Gravity and Black Holes; 1.2 Brief History of Black Holes; 1.3 'Dark Stars' vs. Black Holes; 1.4 Final State of Stellar Evolution; 1.5 Equilibrium of Gravitating Systems; 1.6 Important Notions of Astrophysics; 1.7 Black Holes in Astrophysics and Cosmology; 1.8 Stellar-Mass Black Holes; 1.9 Supermassive Black Holes; 1.10 Primordial Black Holes; 1.11 Black Holes in Theoretical Physics; 1.12 Black Holes and Extra Dimensions; 2 Physics in a Uniformly Accelerated Frame; 2.1 Minkowski Spacetime and Its Symmetries 2.2 Minkowski Spacetime in Curved Coordinates2.3 Uniformly Accelerated Reference Frame; 2.4 Homogeneous Gravitational Field; 2.5 Causal Structure; 2.6 Wick's Rotation in the Rindler Space; 3 Riemannian Geometry; 3.1 Differential Manifold. Tensors; 3.2 Metric; 3.3 Covariant Derivative; 3.4 Lie and Fermi Transport; 3.5 Curvature Tensor; 3.6 Parallel Transport of a Vector; 3.7 Spacetime Symmetries; 3.8 Submanifold; 3.9 Integration; 4 Particle Motion in Curved Spacetime; 4.1 Equations of Motion; 4.2 Phase Space; 4.3 Complete Integrability; 5 Einstein Equations; 5.1 Einstein-Hilbert Action 5.2 Einstein Equations5.3 Linearized Gravity; 5.4 Gravitational radiation; 5.5 Gravity in Higher-Dimensions; 6 Spherically Symmetric Black Holes; 6.1 Spherically Symmetric Gravitational Field; 6.2 Schwarzschild-de Sitter Metric; 6.3 Global Structure of the

Schwarzschild Spacetime; 6.4 Black Hole Interior; 6.5 Painleve-Gullstrand Metric; 6.6 Eddington-Finkelstein Coordinates; 6.7 Charged Black Holes; 6.8 Higher-Dimensional Spherical Black Holes; 7 Particles and Light Motion in Schwarzschild Spacetime; 7.1 Equations of Motion; 7.2 Particle Trajectories; 7.3 Kepler's Law; 7.4 Light Propagation 7.5 Ray-Tracing in Schwarzschild Spacetime 7.6 Black Hole as a Gravitational Lens; 7.7 Radiation from an Object Moving Around the Black Hole; 7.8 Equations of Motion in 'Tilted' Spherical Coordinates; 7.9 Magnetized Schwarzschild Black Hole; 7.10 Particle and Light Motion Near Higher-Dimensional Black Holes; 8 Rotating Black Holes; 8.1 Kerr Spacetime; 8.2 Ergosphere. Horizon; 8.3 Particle and Light Motion in Equatorial Plane; 8.4 Spinning up the Black Hole; 8.5 Geodesics in Kerr Spacetime: General Case; 8.6 Light Propagation; 8.7 Hidden Symmetries of Kerr Spacetime 8.8 Energy Extraction from a Rotating Black Hole 8.9 Black Holes in External Magnetic Field; 9 Classical and Quantum Fields near Black Holes; 9.1 Introduction; 9.2 Static Field in the Schwarzschild Spacetime; 9.3 Dimensional Reduction; 9.4 Quasinormal Modes; 9.5 Massless Fields in the Kerr Spacetime; 9.6 Black Hole in a Thermal Bath; 9.7 Hawking Effect; 9.8 Quantum Fields in the Rindler Spacetime; 9.9 Black Hole Thermodynamics; 9.10 Higher-Dimensional Generalizations; 10 Black Holes and All That Jazz; 10.1 Asymptotically Flat Spacetimes; 10.2 Black Holes: General Definition and Properties 10.3 Black Holes and Search for Gravitational Waves

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#### Sommario/riassunto

What is a black hole? How many of them are in our Universe? Can black holes be created in a laboratory or in particle colliders? Can objects similar to black holes be used for space and time travel? This text discusses these and many other questions providing the reader with the tools required to explore the Black Hole Land independently.

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