Record Nr. UNINA9910789686803321 Autore Carman John <1952-> **Titolo** Archaeology and heritage: an introduction / / John Carman Pubbl/distr/stampa London;; New York:,: Continuum,, 2002 **ISBN** 1-283-20800-8 9786613208002 1-85539-417-0 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (xi, 226 pages): illustrations Disciplina 930.1 Soggetti Historic preservation Material culture - Conservation and restoration Antiquities - Collection and preservation Historic sites - Conservation and restoration Archaeology - Methodology Archaeology - Philosophy Cultural property - Protection Cultural policy Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references (p. 204-220) and index. Nota di contenuto Machine generated contents note: Preface: the aims of this book --Acknowledgements -- Introductory interlude : a note about literature and discourses of heritage and archaeology -- 1. Heritage all around us -- 2. Components of the heritage and their treatment -- 3. Institutions of heritage -- 4. 'Public' archaeologies 1: defining the public -- 5. 'Public' archaeologies 2: engaging with the public -- 6. The value 'debate' in archaeology -- 7. Relocating heritage in archaeology --References -- Index. Sommario/riassunto Unlike most textbooks on heritage which discuss the creation of heritage as a cultural phenomenon or offer practical guides to heritage practices. Archaeology and Heritage takes a fresh approach by

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