Record Nr. UNINA9910789848903321 Autore Simon Sherry Titolo Translating Montreal [[electronic resource]]: episodes in the life of a divided city / / Sherry Simon Montreal, : McGill-Queen's University Press, c2006 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 0-7735-8466-8 1-282-86748-2 9786612867484 0-7735-7702-5 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (297 p.) Disciplina 809/.8971428 Soggetti Translating and interpreting - Quebec (Province) - Montreal - History -20th century Literature - Translations - History and criticism Intercultural communication - Quebec (Province) - Montreal - History -20th century Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Introduction: moments of translation in a divided city -- 1. The crosstown journey of the 1960's -- 2. Diasporic translation: Klein in Mile End -- 3. Bifurcations: Yiddish turned to French -- 4. Paths of perversity: creative interference -- 5. Bridge to Babel: the cosmopolitan city -- 6. Conversations on the mountain: translating memory. Sommario/riassunto Translating Montreal follows the trajectories of adventurous cultural translators such as Malcolm Reid, F.R. Scott, and A.M. Klein - pioneers of the 1950s and 1960s - Pierre Anctil, whose translations from Yiddish to French are emblematic of the dramatic reroutings now occurring across the Montreal landscape, and contemporary writertranslators such as Gail Scott, Erin Mouré, Jacques Brault, Michel Garneau, Nicole Brossard, and Emile Ollivier. Simon argues that

translation is a dynamic and subtle tool for analysing cultural contact. An original take on cultural relations in the city, Translating Montreal explores the emergence of the "new" Montrealer. No longer "Franco-

Québécois," "Anglo-Québécois," "immigrant," or "ethnic," the new Montrealer is a citizen of a mixed and cosmopolitan city.