

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910464136803321
Autore	Fiske Susan T.
Titolo	Envy up, scorn down : how status divides us / / Susan T. Fiske
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York : , : Russell Sage Foundation, , [2011] ©2011
ISBN	1-61044-709-3
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (x, 240 p. ) : ill. ;
Disciplina	305.5/120973
Soggetti	Social classes - United States Class consciousness - United States Comparison (Psychology) Equality - United States Envy Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Bibliographic Level Mode of Issuance: Monograph
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (pages 191-230) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Compare : envy and scorn divide us -- Signatures of envy and scorn : we know them when we see them -- Who cares about comparisons? -- Why? : comparison informs -- Why? : comparison protects us -- Why? : comparison helps us fit into our groups -- Getting beyond compare : how to transform envy and scorn.

2. Record Nr.	UNISA996389074803316
Autore	Wettenhall Edward <1636-1713.>
Titolo	Of gifts and offices in the publick worship of God [[electronic resource]] : a treatise in three parts endeavoring an impartial account what was in the inspired age of the church, what succeeded in the more ordinary state, what reasonably may be allowed now, in prayer, singing, preaching : designed to make people more sober, regular, and serious in publick worship / / by Edward Wettenhall
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Dublin, : Printed by Benjamin Tooke, and are to be sold by Mary Crook, 1678
Descrizione fisica	[33], 805 p
Soggetti	Public worship
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Imperfect: Title page lacking; spliced on at end from imperfect Cambridge copy. Pages 90-115 also spliced at end. Each part has special t.p. Reproduction of original in the Union Theological Seminary Library, New York.
Sommario/riassunto	eebo-0160

3. Record Nr.	UNINA9910792053603321
Autore	Ledeneva Alena V. <1964->
Titolo	Can Russia modernise? : sistema, power networks and informal governance // Alena V. Ledeneva [[electronic resource]]
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Cambridge : , : Cambridge University Press, , 2013
ISBN	1-107-23248-1 1-107-30092-4 1-107-30820-8 1-107-30600-0 1-107-31375-9 1-107-25314-4 0-511-97849-9 1-299-27626-1 1-107-31155-1
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (xv, 314 pages) : digital, PDF file(s)
Classificazione	POL040020
Disciplina	303.30947
Soggetti	Social networks - Political aspects - Russia (Federation) Power (Social sciences) - Russia (Federation) Political culture - Russia (Federation) Social change - Russia (Federation) Russia (Federation) Politics and government
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Title from publisher's bibliographic system (viewed on 05 Oct 2015).
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Machine generated contents note: Introduction -- 1. What is sistema? -- 2. Putin's sistema : svoi on the top -- 3. The inner workings of sistema : from blat to otkat -- 4. Sistema's material culture : from vertushka to vertu -- 5. "Telephone justice" in the global age : from commands to signals -- 6. "Werewolves in epaulets" : from doublethink to doubledeed -- 7. From dealership to leadership : sistema and informal governance -- Conclusion.
Sommario/riassunto	In this original, bottom-up account of the evolution of contemporary Russia, Alena Ledeneva seeks to reveal how informal power operates. Concentrating on Vladimir Putin's system of governance - referred to as

sistema - she identifies four key types of networks: his inner circle, useful friends, core contacts and more diffuse ties and connections. These networks serve sistema but also serve themselves. Reliance on networks enables leaders to mobilise and to control, yet they also lock politicians, bureaucrats and businessmen into informal deals, mediated interests and personalised loyalty. This is the 'modernisation trap of informality': one cannot use the potential of informal networks without triggering their negative long-term consequences for institutional development. Ledeneva's perspective on informal power is based on in-depth interviews with sistema insiders and enhanced by evidence of its workings brought to light in court cases, enabling her to draw broad conclusions about the prospects for Russia's political institutions.

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