Record Nr. UNINA9910797693703321 'Disciples of flora': gardens in history and culture / / edited by Victoria **Titolo** Emma Pagan, Judith W. Page and Brigitte Weltman-Aron Pubbl/distr/stampa Newcastle upon Tyne, England:,: Cambridge Scholars Publishing,, 2015 ©2015 **ISBN** 1-4438-8131-7 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (205 p.) Disciplina 712.09 Soggetti Gardens - History Gardens in art Gardens - Social aspects Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references at the end of each chapters and index. Sommario/riassunto 'Disciples of Flora' explores, through a variety of approaches, disciplines, and historical periods, the place and vitality of gardens as cultural objects, repositories of meaning, and sites for the construction of identity and subjectivity; gardens being an eminent locus where culture and nature meet. This collection of essays contributes to a revision of histories of gardens by broadening the scope of scholarly inquiry to include a long history from ancient Rome to the present, in which contesting memories delineate new apprehensions of topography

and space. The contributors draw attention t