Record Nr. UNINA9910798769803321 Autore McCready Susan **Titolo** Staging france between the world wars: performance, politics, and the transformation of the theatrical canon. // Susan McCready Pubbl/distr/stampa Lanham, Maryland:,: Lexington Books,, 2016 ©2016 **ISBN** 1-4985-2279-3 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (177 p.) Disciplina 842,709 Soggetti French drama - 19th century - History and criticism Theater - France - History - 19th century 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 and index. Contents: Acknowledgments: Introduction: 1 Subject to Interpretation: Nota di contenuto 2 Mobilizing the Canon; 3 Moliere; 4 Racine et Shakespeare; 5 The Romantics; 6 Hitting the Mainstream; Conclusion; General Bibliography; Index; About the Author Staging France between the World Wars analyzes the rise of the Sommario/riassunto modernist aesthetic in French stagecraft between the world wars. Focusing on interwar productions of the classics, it demonstrates that modernist directors had a significant and lasting impact on the academic canon of theater: they introduced a youthful, farcical Moliere, reshuffled the hierarchy of Romantic playwrights, and introduced a generation to a more authentic Shakespeare.