

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910799991603321
Autore	Dyer Richard <1945-, >
Titolo	Only entertainment / / Richard Dyer
Pubbl/distr/stampa	London ; ; New York : , : Routledge, , 2002
ISBN	1134522932 1134522940 1280108649 0203993942
Edizione	[2nd ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (198 p.)
Disciplina	ELECTRONIC BOOK
Soggetti	Performing arts: social aspects Popular culture
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	1. Introduction -- 2. The idea of entertainment -- 3. A bit of uplift : classical ballet -- 4. Quality pleasures -- 5. Entertainment and utopia -- 6. The colour of entertainment -- 7. The sound of music -- 8. Sweet charity -- 9. Action! -- 10. Lethal repetition -- 11. Four films of Lana Turner -- 12. First a star : Elizabeth Taylor -- 13. The son of the sheik -- 14. Don't look now : the instabilities of the male pin-up -- 15. Coming to terms : gay pornography -- 16. In defence of disco -- 17. Getting over the rainbow : identity and pleasure in gay cultural politics -- 18. The waning of entertainment.