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Nota di contenuto	An introduction: undocumented immigrant college students -- Conceptual framework -- Research design and method -- Going to college -- Conclusion: making sense of the data.
Sommario/riassunto	"Undocumented immigrant postsecondary students face myriad challenges while pursuing a college education. Garcia focuses on the experiences of nine students attending a public comprehensive postsecondary institution in California to assess how different types of social capital help students pursue a college education. She demonstrates how students were wholly or partly reliant on various types of social capital accessed before and during matriculation. Three of the major findings are: institutional agents were instrumental in developing students' social capital, family- and peer-based social capital was important to students' matriculation, and perceptions about immigration status affected students' matriculation and social capital development." -- Publisher description.