Record Nr. UNINA9910808035203321 Autore McEvoy Joanne Titolo The politics of Northern Ireland / / Joanne McEvoy Pubbl/distr/stampa Edinburgh,: Edinburgh University Press, c2008 **ISBN** 1-281-35758-8 9786611357580 0-7486-3069-4 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (209 p.) Collana Politics study guides Disciplina 320.9416 Soggetti Peace-building - Northern Ireland Northern Ireland Politics and government 1998-Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references (p. [178]-189) and index. COVER; Copyright; Contents; Boxes; Tables; Introduction; 1. Theoretical Nota di contenuto Perspectives on the Northern Ireland Conflict; 2. Background to the Conflict: 3. Political Parties and Paramilitaries in Northern Ireland: 4. Finding a solution: from Sunningdale to the Framework Documents; 5. British and Irish Government Policy; 6. Peace Process to Good Friday Agreement; 7. Institutional Framework of the Agreement; 8. Towards Restored Devolution; Notes; Bibliography; Index The political scene in Northern Ireland is constantly evolving. This book Sommario/riassunto reflects the most recent changes and synthesizes some of the best thinking on the subject. It provides an overview of the politics of Northern Ireland, including detailed coverage of the institutional structure under the Good Friday Agreement and an evaluation of how the institutions operated in practice. Opening with the historical context and discussion of the nature of the conflict, the standpoints of unionism, nationalism, loyalism and republicanism are explored. The

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