Record Nr. UNINA9910810332003321 Autore Hogan Patrick Colm Titolo Cognitive science, literature, and the arts: a guide for humanists // Patrick Colm Hogan New York;; London,: Routledge, 2003 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-136-06978-X 1-283-84534-2 1-136-06970-4 0-203-47588-7 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (463 p.) 801 Disciplina Soggetti Psychology in literature Psychology in art Cognitive science Literature - History and criticism Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese Materiale a stampa **Formato** Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references (p. [227]-233) and index. Cover: Title: Copyright: Dedication: CONTENTS: Acknowledgments: Nota di contenuto Introduction. The Dustheap of History: Why Cognitive Science Now?: Chapter 1. "My Favorite Things": Thinking Jazz; Chapter 2. Is It Cognitive Science Yet? Some Basic Principles; Chapter 3. The Author: Maestros and Geniuses; Chapter 4. The Text (I): Where the Metaphors Are; Chapter 5. The Text (II): Narrative, or Getting the Story Straight; Chapter 6. The Reader: How Literature Makes Us Feel; Chapter 7. From Mind to Matter: Art. Empathy, and the Brain Chapter 8. The Evolutionary Turn: Blindness and Insight in the Explanation of Art and MindNotes; Works Cited; Index The rise cognitive science has been one of the most important Sommario/riassunto intellectual developments of recent years, stimulating new approaches to everything from philosophy to film studies. This is an introduction to what cognitive science has to offer the humanities and particularly the study of literature. Hogan suggests how the human brain works and makes us feel in response to literature. He walks the reader through all

of the major theories of cognitive science that are important for the

humanities in order to understand the production and reception of literature.