Record Nr. UNINA9910813121603321 Autore Ramirez-i-Olle Meritxell Titolo Into the woods: an epistemography of climate change / / Meritxell Ramirez-i-Olle [[electronic resource]] Manchester:,: Manchester University Press,, 2020 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-5261-4100-0 1-5261-5049-2 1-5261-4099-3 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (154 pages) Collana New ethnographies Manchester scholarship online Disciplina 304.25 Soggetti Climatic changes - Research - Scotland Climatic changes - Scotland Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Also issued in print. Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Front matter: Contents: Figures: Boxes: Preface: saving climate science: Acknowledgements; Series editor's foreword; Introduction: epistemography; Fieldwork; Dendrochronology; Standardisation; Reconstruction; Controversy; Bibliography; Index A detailed exploration of the working practices of a community of Sommario/riassunto scientists exposed in public, and of the making of scientific knowledge about climate change in Scotland. For four years, the author joined these scientists in their sampling expeditions into the Caledonian forests, observed their efforts in the laboratory to produce data from wood samples, and followed their discussions of a graph showing the fluctuations of the Scottish temperature over the past millennium in conferences, workshops and peer-review journals. This epistemography of climate change is of broad social and academic relevance - both for its contextualised treatment of a key contemporary science, and for its original formulation of a methodology for

investigating and writing about expertise.