Record Nr. UNINA9910813812203321 Autore Faulkner Caroline L. <1976-> Titolo Economic mobility and cultural assimilation among children of immigrants / / Caroline L. Faulkner El Paso [Tex.], : LFB Scholarly Pub., 2011 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-59332-686-6 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (241 p.) Collana The new Americans: recent immigration and American society Disciplina 305.9/069120973 Soggetti Americanization Children of immigrants - United States Social mobility - United States Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto CONTENTS; Tables; Acknowledgments; CHAPTER 1: Introduction; CHAPTER 2: Intergenerational Paths of Assimilation; CHAPTER 3: Intragenerational Paths of Assimilation; CHAPTER 4: Conclusion: Where the Paths Lead; References; Index Segmented assimilation theory states that immigrants follow multiple Sommario/riassunto paths of assimilation into different segments of American society. Faulkner tests the theory using data on children of immigrants and later generation youths and analyzes how context of reception, adaptation obstacles, and protective factors are associated with paths of assimilation. She take into account five factors that segmented assimilation theory has not fully considered (1) assimilation's intergenerational nature, (2) life course stage, (3) assimilation starting

points, (4) gender, and (5) later generation comparisons.