Record Nr. UNINA9910814262203321 Autore Hall Alice Titolo Disability and modern fiction: Faulkner, Morrison, Coetzee and the Nobel Prize for literature / / Alice Hall New York, : Palgrave Macmillan, 2012 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-283-36090-X 9786613360908 0-230-35547-1 Edizione [1st ed. 2012.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (231 p.) LIT004010LIT004020LIT000000 Classificazione 809/.933527 Disciplina Soggetti Fiction - 21st century - History and criticism People with disabilities in literature Mind and body in literature Nobel Prize winners 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 and index. Nota di contenuto Cover; Contents; List of Illustration; Acknowledgements; 1 Disability and Modern Fiction: Charting New Territory; 2 Tales Told by an Idiot: Disability and Sensory Perception in William Faulkner's Fiction and Criticism; 3 Foreign Bodies: Disability and Beauty in the Works of Toni Morrison; 4 Dialectics of Dependency: Ageing and Disability in J. M. Coetzee's Later Writing; 5 Disability as Metaphor: The Nobel Prize Lectures of Faulkner, Morrison and Coetzee; 6 Conclusion: 'You Can't Just Fly on off and Leave a Body'; Notes; Select Bibliography; Index Sommario/riassunto Focusing on Faulkner, Morrison and Coetzee as authors, critics and Nobel Prize-winning intellectuals, this book explores shifting representations of disability in 20th and 21st century literature and proposes new ways of reading their works in relation to one another, whilst highlighting the ethical, aesthetic and imaginative challenges

they pose.