Record Nr. UNINA9910814345503321 Autore Antonova Clemena <1970-, > **Titolo** Space, time, and presence in the icon: seeing the world with the eyes of God / / Clemena Antonova; with a preface by Martin Kemp London;; New York:,: Routledge,, 2016 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-315-61017-5 1-317-05181-5 1-282-38530-5 9786612385308 0-7546-9738-X Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (206 p.) Collana Ashgate studies in theology, imagination, and the arts Disciplina 701.8 Soggetti Space and time in art Perspective **Icons** Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia "First published 2010 by Ashgate Publishing"--t.p. verso. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Cover; Contents; List of Illustrations; Acknowledgements; Preface; Introduction: 1 The Role of Time in the Pictorial Art; 2 On Reverse Perspective - a Critical Reading; 3 Registering Presence in the Icon; 4 "Seeing the World with the Eyes of God": An Alternative Explanation of "Reverse Perspective"; Conclusion; Sample Analysis An Analysis of Rublev's Trinity Icon in the Terms, Proposed in this Book; Glossary of Terms; Bibliography; Index Sommario/riassunto This book contributes to the re-emerging field of ""theology through the arts"" by proposing a way of approaching one of the most challenging theological concepts - divine timelessness - through the principle of construction of space in the icon. One of the main objectives of this book is to discuss critically the implications of ""reverse perspective"", which is especially characteristic of Byzantine and Byzantining art. Drawing on the work of Pavel Florensky, one of the foremost Russian religious philosophers at the beginning of the 20th century, Antonova shows that Florensky's concept of 's