Record Nr. UNINA9910819334603321 Autore Charlebois Justin <1978-> **Titolo** The construction of masculinities and femininities in Beverly Hills, 90210 [[electronic resource] /] / Justin Charlebois Lanham, MD,: University Press of America, 2012 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-283-57184-6 9786613884299 0-7618-5826-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (143 p.) Disciplina 791.4572 Soggetti Gender identity in mass media Television programs - Social aspects - United States Inglese Lingua di pubblicazione **Formato** Materiale a stampa Monografia Livello bibliografico Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Contents: Overview: Chapter One. Theory and Methodology: Chapter Two. Dominant and Hegemonic Masculinities; Chapter Three. Dominant and Emphasized Femininities; Chapter Four. Dominant Oppositional Masculinities; Chapter Five. Subordinate Oppositional Femininities; Chapter Six. Conclusion; References; Index Sommario/riassunto This book draws on the concepts of hegemonic and nonhegemonic masculinities as well as emphasized and oppositional femininities to chronicle and illuminate the construction of gender in Beverly Hills, 90210. The book argues that not only delegitimized but also legitimated forms of masculinity and femininity require critical scrutiny and interrogation in order to expose the constructed nature of gender identities. Through an analysis of individual characters and specific episodes, the author demonstrates how the series pre