Record Nr. UNINA9910819967603321 Autore Connor J. D. Titolo The studios after the studios: neoclassical Hollywood (1970-2010) // J. D. Connor Pubbl/distr/stampa Stanford, California:,: Stanford University Press,, 2015 ©2015 **ISBN** 0-8047-9474-X Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (377 p.) Collana Post 45 Disciplina 384/.80979494 Motion picture studios - California - Los Angeles - History Soggetti Motion picture industry - California - Los Angeles - History Motion pictures - California - Los Angeles - History Hollywood (Los Angeles, Calif.) History Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Front matter -- Table of Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Introduction -- 1. Logorrhea, or, How to Watch a Hollywood Movie -- Introduction -- 2. The Literal and the Littoral: Jaws -- 3. Paramount I: From the Directors Company to High Concept -- 4. Our Man in Armani: The Ovitz Interregnum -- Introduction -- 5. Paramount II: The Residue of Design -- 6. Let's Make the Weather: Chaos Comes to Hollywood --Introduction -- 7. That Oceanic Feeling: One Merger Too Many -- 8. The Anxious Epic and the Qualms of Empire: Conglomerate Overstretch -- Conclusion -- Notes -- Index Modern Hollywood is dominated by a handful of studios: Columbia, Sommario/riassunto Disney, Fox, Paramount, Universal, and Warner Bros. Threatened by independents in the 1970's, they returned to power in the 1980's, ruled unquestioned in the 1990's, and in the new millennium are again besieged. But in the heyday of this new classical era, the major studios movies - their stories and styles - were astonishingly precise biographies of the studios that made them. Movies became product placements for their studios, advertising them to the industry, to their employees, and to the public at large. If we want to know how