Record Nr. UNINA9910821389003321 Autore McBride Dorothy E Titolo The politics of state feminism: innovation in comparative research // Dorothy E. McBride and Amy G. Mazur; with contributions by Joni Lovenduski ... [et al.] Philadelphia,: Temple University Press, c2010 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-282-73238-2 9786612732386 1-4399-0209-7 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (319 p.) Altri autori (Persone) MazurAmy LovenduskiJoni Disciplina 305.42 Soggetti Feminism - Political aspects Women's rights Women - Government policy Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Monografia Livello bibliografico Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Contents; Preface; Part I. Framework and Foundations; 1. The State Feminism Project; 2. Concepts and Mixed Methods; 3. Mapping Women's Policy Agencies; Part II. Exploring State Feminism; 4. Women's Policy Agencies and Women's Movement Success: 5. Women's Policy Agency Success and Failure: The Search for Explanations; 6. What's Feminist about State Feminism?; Part III. Unpacking State Feminism; 7. Social Movements and Women's Movements; 8. Political Representation; 9. Framing and Gendering; 10. Gendering New Institutionalism; Part IV. Conclusion; 11. The New Politics of State Feminism; Notes Glossary References: Index The Politics of State Feminism addresses essential questions of Sommario/riassunto women's movement activism and political change in western democracies. The authors-top gender and politics scholars-provide a comparative analysis of the effectiveness of government agencies and women's movements regarding women's policy issues-if, how, and why

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