Record Nr. UNINA9910826271003321 Autore Muravchik Joshua Titolo The next founders: voices of democracy in the Middle East // by Joshua Muravchik New York, : Encounter Books, c2009 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-282-48803-1 9786612488030 1-59403-402-8 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (384 p.) Disciplina 956.05/40922 Politicians - Middle East Soggetti Political activists - Middle East Social reformers - Middle East Democracy - Middle East Social change - Middle East Middle East Politics and government 1979-Middle East Biography Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Contents; Introduction Seedlings in the Desert; The ProtesterSaudi Arabia: Wajeha Al-Huwaider; The Politician Iraq: Mithal al-Alusi; The Revolutionist Iran: Mohsen Sazegara; The Publisher Egypt: Hisham Kassem: The Activist Palestine: Bassem Eid: The Feminist Kuwait: Rola Dashti; The Dissident Syria: Ammar Abdulhamid; Conclusion Models for a Rising Generation; Endnotes; Index; Photo Credits The Next Founders brings to light the stories of seven remarkable Sommario/riassunto people, six Arabs and an Iranian. Five are men; two, women. Four are Sunnis, two are Shiites, and the seventh is mixed. Their lives revolve around a sense of mission, and while the angles from which they attack it are varied, this mission is the same for all seven--to make their

countries more free and democratic.