Record Nr. UNINA9910827897303321 Experimental collaborations: ethnography through fieldwork devices / **Titolo** / edited by Adolfo Estalella and Tomas Sanchez-Criado Pubbl/distr/stampa New York;; Oxford:,: Berghahn,, 2018 **ISBN** 1-78533-854-4 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (236 pages) Collana **EASA Series** Disciplina 305.800723 Soggetti Ethnology - Fieldwork Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Introduction -- 1. Experimenting with data -- 2. The 'research Nota di contenuto traineeship' -- 3. Finding one's rhythm -- 4. Idiotic encounters -- 5. Fieldwork as interface -- 6. Thrown into collaboration: an ethnography of transcript authorization -- 7. A cultural cyclotron -- 8. Making fieldwork public. In the accounts compiled in this book, ethnography occurs through Sommario/riassunto processes of material and social interventions that turn the field into a site for epistemic collaboration. Through creative interventions that unfold what we term as "fieldwork devices"--such as coproduced books, the circulation of repurposed data, co-organized events, authorization protocols, relational frictions, and social rhythms-anthropologists engage with their counterparts in the field in the construction of joint anthropological problematizations. In these situations, the traditional tropes of the fieldwork encounter (i.e. immersion and distance) give way to a narrative of intervention, where the aesthetics of collaboration in the production of knowledge substitutes or intermingles with participant observation. Building on this, the book proposes the concept of "experimental collaborations" to

describe and conceptualize this distinctive ethnographic modality.--