Record Nr. UNINA9910865270603321 Autore Kocksch Laura Titolo Fragile Computing: How to Live With Insecure Technologies / / by Laura Kocksch Pubbl/distr/stampa Singapore:,: Springer Nature Singapore:,: Imprint: Palgrave Macmillan, , 2024 **ISBN** 9789819998074 9789819998067 Edizione [1st ed. 2024.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (247 pages) 005.8 Disciplina Science - Social aspects Soggetti Anthropology Computer science Data protection Science and Technology Studies Computer Science Data and Information Security Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Chapter 1: Introduction -- Chapter 2: Testing -- Chapter 3: Tinkering Nota di contenuto -- Chapter 4: Training -- Chapter 5: Performing -- Chapter 6: Fragile Computing. . This book proposes alternative ways to engage with computer security, Sommario/riassunto rooted in Science and Technology Studies (STS) and extensive ethnographic observations. Computer security, the author argues, is part of living in the Anthropocene - an age of damaged more-thanhuman relations. As such, doing computer security means not striving for technical solutions, or individual awareness, but living with fragility. The book suggests conceptual approaches and methods of studying computer security which contribute to current debates on infrastructural breakdown and ecological ruins in STS and

Anthropology, while offering new perspectives to Usable Security and Critical Security Studies. Laura Kocksch is a postdoctoral researcher at the Techno-Anthropology Lab (TANTlab), Aalborg University, Denmark.