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Sommario/riassunto	While people are now using peer-to-peer (P2P) applications for various processes, such as file sharing and video streaming, many research and engineering issues still need to be tackled in order to further advance P2P technologies. Peer-to-Peer Computing: Applications, Architecture, Protocols, and Challenges provides comprehensive theoretical and practical coverage of the major features of contemporary P2P systems and examines the obstacles to further success. Setting the stage for understanding important research issues in P2P systems, the book first introduces various P2P network architectures. It then details the topology control research problem as well as existing technologies for handling topology control issues. The author describes novel and interesting incentive schemes for enticing peers to cooperate and explores recent innovations on trust issues. He also examines security problems in a P2P network. The final chapter addresses the future state

of the field. Throughout the text, the highly popular P2P IPTV application, PPLive, is used as a case study to illustrate the practical aspects of the concepts covered. Addressing the unique challenges of P2P systems, this book presents practical applications of recent theoretical results in P2P computing. It also stimulates further research on critical issues, including performance and security problems--

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Nota di contenuto	<p>Introduction: A Man of Many Missions -- The Cast of Characters, from White to Whyte -- Princeton-from Rower to Writer -- Vicks and the Marines-Information to Intelligence -- Fortune Magazine-the Foundation for a Career -- Is Anybody Listening? -the High Cost of Harmony and Groupthink -- The Organization Man-More than an Epithet -- The Exploding Metropolis-Discovering Jane Jacobs -- With Laurance Rockefeller, Conservationist Turned Environmentalist -- Preserving the Last Landscape, Rural and Urban -- Organization Man to Family Man -- From Men in Suites, a Radical Plan for New York City -- Preservation Tactics in the Urban Landscape -- The Art of Small Urban Spaces -- From Small Spaces to the City: Rediscovering the Center -- Revisiting the Organization Man and Woman -- Applying Urban Principles in Suburban Places -- The Final Years -- Whyte in the Twenty-First Century-the Urban Imperative -- Whyte in the Twenty-First Century-Battling the Status Quo -- Taking Cues from Whyte's Way.</p>
Sommaro/riassunto	<p>"William H. Whyte's curiosity compelled him to question the status quo--whether helping to make Fortune Magazine essential reading for business leaders, warning of "groupthink" in his bestseller The Organization Man, or standing up for Jane Jacobs as she advocated for the vitality of city life and public space. This compelling biography sheds light on Whyte's bold way of thinking, ripe for rediscovery at a time when we are reshaping our communities into places of opportunity and empowerment for all citizens" -- Backcover.</p>