1. Record Nr. UNISA996445849003316 Autore Schrijver Lara Titolo Oswald Mathias Ungers and Rem Koolhaas: Recalibrating Architecture in the 1970s / / Lara Schrijver Pubbl/distr/stampa Bielefeld:,:transcript Verlag,, [2021] ©2021 **ISBN** 3-8394-5759-9 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (206 p.) Collana Architekturen::63 ARCHITECTURE / Urban & Land Use Planning Soggetti Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di contenuto Frontmatter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Preface: Architecture and Disciplinary Crises -- Chapter 1. The 1970s: Reclaiming Autonomy for the Fait Social -- Chapter 2. From Delirium to Archipelago, the Postmodern Collective in the City -- Chapter 3. The House: Crystallized Architecture Thinking -- Chapter 4. Elements, Rules and Conventions: Architecture as Material Knowledge -- Epilogue: Recalibrating the Profession -- Sources -- Notes Lara Schrijver examines the work of Oswald Mathias Ungers and Rem Sommario/riassunto Koolhaas as intellectual legacy of the 1970s for architecture today. Particularly in the United States, this period focused on the autonomy of architecture as a correction to the social orientation of the 1960s. Yet, these two architects pioneered a more situated autonomy, initiating an intellectual discourse on architecture that was inherently design-based. Their work provides room for interpreting social conditions and disciplinary formal developments, thus constructing a 'plausible' relationship between the two that allows the life within to flourish and adapt. In doing so, they provide a foundation for recalibrating architecture today.