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Nota di contenuto	Setting the Stage for the Port Royal Experiment -- Planning Postcombat Operations -- A Survey of Philanthropic Society Activity at Port Royal -- Development's Different Meanings to Developers and Stakeholders -- The Development of Civil Society -- Refugees and Families -- Economic Development and Land Redistribution -- Political Development and Democratization -- Spoiler Problems and Resistance -- The Hand in the Bucket : Sequencing and Perseverance.
Sommario/riassunto	"The Port Royal Experiment builds on classic scholarship to present not a historical narrative but a study of what is now called development and nation-building. The Port Royal Experiment was a joint governmental and private effort begun during the Civil War to transition former slaves to freedom and self-sufficiency. Port Royal Harbor and the Sea Islands off the coast of South Carolina were liberated by Union Troops in 1861. As the Federal advance began, the white plantation owners and residents fled, abandoning approximately 10,000 black slaves. Several private Northern charity organizations stepped in to help the former

slaves become self-sufficient. Nonetheless, the Point Royal Experiment was only a mixed success and was contested by efforts to restore the status quo of white dominance. Return to home rule then undid much of what the experiment accomplished. While the concept of development is subject to a range of interpretations, in this context it means positive, continuously improving, and sustained change across a variety of human social conditions. Clearly such an effort was at the heart of the Port Royal Experiment. While the term 'nation-building' may seem misplaced given that no 'nation' was the beneficiary of these efforts, the requirement to build institutions critical to nation-building operations was certainly a large part of the Port Royal Experiment and offers many lessons for modern efforts at nation building. The Port Royal Experiment divides into ten chapters, each of which is designed to treat a particular aspect of the experience. Topics include planning considerations, philanthropic society activity, civil society, economic development, political development, and resistance. Each chapter presents the case study in the context of more recent developmental and nation-building efforts in such places as Bosnia, Somalia, Kosovo, Iraq, and Afghanistan and incorporates recent scholarship in the field. Modern readers will see that the challenges that faced the Port Royal Experiment remain relevant, even as their solutions remain elusive"--

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Multiorganization Matching -- Randomized Algorithms for Buffer Management with 2-Bounded Delay -- A General Scheme for Designing Monotone Algorithms for Scheduling Problems with Precedence Constraints -- Malicious Bayesian Congestion Games -- Stackelberg Strategies and Collusion in Network Games with Splittable Flow -- Peak Shaving through Resource Buffering -- On Lagrangian Relaxation and Subset Selection Problems -- Approximation Algorithms for Prize-Collecting Network Design Problems with General Connectivity Requirements -- Caching Content under Digital Rights Management -- Reoptimization of Weighted Graph and Covering Problems -- Smoothing Imprecise 1.5D Terrains -- Local PTAS for Dominating and Connected Dominating Set in Location Aware Unit Disk Graphs -- Dynamic Offline Conflict-Free Coloring for Unit Disks -- Experimental Analysis of Scheduling Algorithms for Aggregated Links -- A Approximation Algorithm for the Minimum Maximal Matching Problem -- On the Maximum Edge Coloring Problem.

Sommario/riassunto

This book constitutes the thoroughly refereed post workshop proceedings of the 6th International Workshop on Approximation and Online Algorithms, WAOA 2008, held in Karlsruhe, Germany, in September 2008 as part of the ALGO 2008 conference event. The 22 revised full papers presented were carefully reviewed and selected from 56 submissions. The workshop covered areas such as algorithmic game theory, approximation classes, coloring and partitioning, competitive analysis, computational finance, cuts and connectivity, geometric problems, inapproximability results, mechanism design, network design, packing and covering, paradigms for design and analysis of approximation and online algorithms, randomization techniques, real-world applications, and scheduling problems.
