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Autore	Ross Andrew <1956->
Titolo	Nice work if you can get it [[electronic resource]] : life and labor in precarious times / / Andrew Ross
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York, : New York University Press, c2009
ISBN	0-8147-7739-2 0-8147-7635-3 1-4416-1568-7
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (273 p.)
Collana	NYU series in social and cultural analysis
Disciplina	331.6/2
Soggetti	Employment in foreign countries Foreign workers Globalization Electronic books.
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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 219-243) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Frontmatter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Introduction -- 1 The Mercurial Career of Creative Industries Policymaking in the United Kingdom, the European Union, and the United States -- 2 China's Next Cultural Revolution? -- 3 The Olympic Goose That Lays the Golden Egg -- 4 Teamsters, Turtles, and Tainted Toys -- 5 Learning from San Ysidro -- 6 The Copyfight over Intellectual Property -- 7 The Rise of the Global University -- Conclusion -- Notes -- References -- Index -- About the Author
Sommario/riassunto	2009 Choice Outstanding Academic TitleIs job insecurity the new norm? With fewer and fewer people working in steady, long-term positions for one employer, has the dream of a secure job with full benefits and a decent salary become just that—a dream?In <i>Nice Work If You Can Get It</i> , Andrew Ross surveys the new topography of the global workplace and finds an emerging pattern of labor instability and uneven development on a massive scale. Combining detailed case studies with lucid analysis and graphic prose, he looks at what the new landscape of contingent employment means for workers across national, class, and racial lines—from the emerging “creative class” of

high-wage professionals to the multitudes of temporary, migrant, or low-wage workers. Developing the idea of “precarious livelihoods” to describe this new world of work and life, Ross explores what it means in developed nations—comparing the creative industry policies of the United States, United Kingdom, and European Union, as well as developing countries—by examining the quickfire transformation of China’s labor market. He also responds to the challenge of sustainability, assessing the promise of “green jobs” through restorative alliances between labor advocates and environmentalists. Ross argues that regardless of one’s views on labor rights, globalization, and quality of life, this new precarious and “indefinite life,&” and the pitfalls and opportunities that accompany it is likely here to stay and must be addressed in a systematic way. A more equitable kind of knowledge society emerges in these pages—less skewed toward exploitation and the speculative beneficiaries of intellectual property, and more in tune with ideals and practices that are fair, just, and renewable.

2. Record Nr.	UNISALENT0991003219629707536
Autore	Lefebvre, Gustave
Titolo	Inscriptiones christianaæ aegypti : recueil des inscriptions grecques-chrétiennes d’Égypte / editit Gustave Lefebvre
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Chicago : Ares, 1978
Descrizione fisica	xl, 173 p. ; 29 cm
Collana	Inscriptiones Graecæ Aegypti ; 5
Disciplina	481.7
Soggetti	Iscrizioni greche
Lingua di pubblicazione	Francese
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3. Record Nr.	UNINA9910703200803321
Autore	Schreck Scott
Titolo	Wind energy aerodynamics [[electronic resource]] : rotor, wake, and wind plant // Scott Schreck
Pubbl/distr/stampa	[Golden, Colo.] : , : National Renewable Energy Laboratory, , [2010]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (35 unnumbered slides) : color illustrations, color maps
Collana	NREL/PR ; ; 5000-49705
Soggetti	Wind power - Research Wind energy conversion systems - Design and construction
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
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Autore	Whittemore E. R (Edward Richard)
Titolo	Separation of cornstalks into long fibers, pith, and fines / / by E.R. Whittemore, C.B. Overman, and Baker Wingfield
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Washington, D.C. : , : U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of Standards : , : U.S. Govt. Print. Off., , 1935
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (8 pages) : illustrations
Collana	National Bureau of Standards miscellaneous publication ; ; 148
Altri autori (Persone)	WingfieldBaker <1904->
Soggetti	Cornstalks Paper industry - Equipment and supplies Paper industry - Production standards Paper industry
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