America in Italy: The United States in the Political Thought and Imagination of the Risorgimento, 1763-1865

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Transcending boundaries between intellectual and cultural history, America in Italy is the first book-length examination of the influence of America's political formation on modern Italian political thought. Focusing on Italian political thinkers between the late eighteenth century and the unification of Italy in the 1860s, Axel Körner shows how these writers used America as a sounding board for the critical assessment of societal changes at home.

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