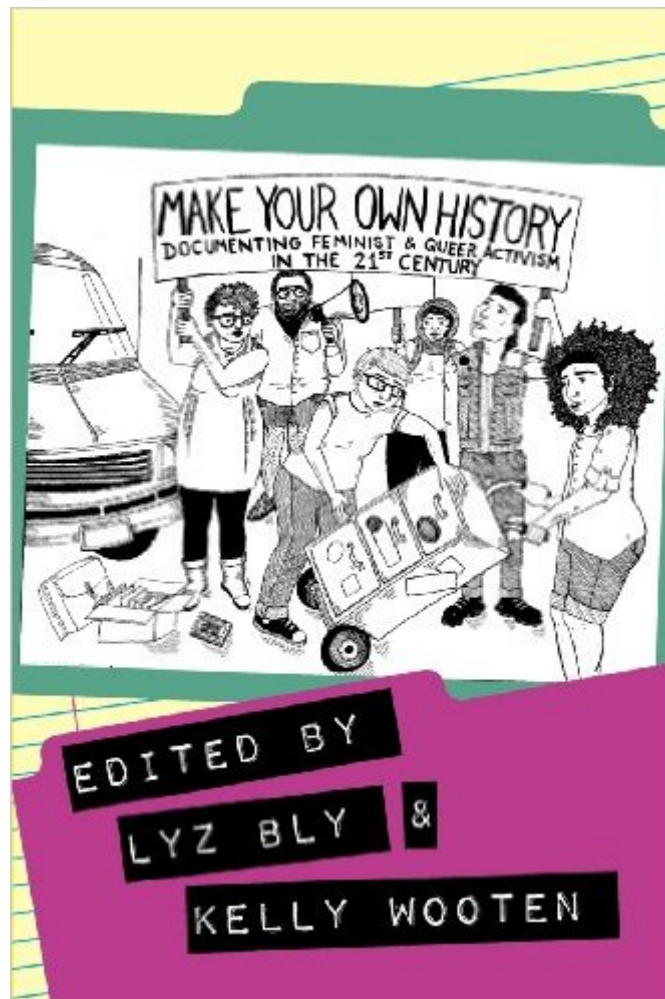


The book was found

# Make Your Own History: Documenting Feminist And Queer Activism In The 21st Century



## Synopsis

Documenting Feminist Activism addresses the practical and theoretical challenges and advantages of researching, documenting, and archiving recent and contemporary activists in the feminist and queer movements. In the last few decades, the place and practice of activism has shifted from a physical "headquarters" where activists convene to plan and strategize, to the reality where planning happens at various desks and kitchen tables across the country (or world) and activists then convene at one site for an action (the prime example of this being the WTO protest in Seattle in 1999). So much of the work is taking place in the digital environment and/or within smaller do-it-yourself (DIY) and anarchist subcultures where ideas are often shared via zines and other ephemeral materials. The challenge of the archivist and the scholar, whose work is traditionally paper-based, is to keep up with the changing modes of communication of these individuals and organizations and to make sure these activists' work is not left out of the historical record. Activists, archivists, librarians, and scholars address the following issues and topics: the practical material challenges of documenting and archiving contemporary activism; theoretical perspectives and conversations; online communities and communications; "third wave" feminism/youth and queer cultures/subcultures; the move from paper to digital archives and documents; zines; and the work of activists who employ creative/artistic/cultural approaches to work for social justice.

## Book Information

Paperback: 196 pages

Publisher: Litwin Books, LLC (June 1, 2012)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1936117134

ISBN-13: 978-1936117130

Product Dimensions: 6 x 0.4 x 9 inches

Shipping Weight: 9.6 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #420,236 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #12 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Social Sciences > Library & Information Science > Academic Libraries #18 in Books > Gay & Lesbian > Travel #39 in Books > Gay & Lesbian > Nonfiction > Activism

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Make Your Own History: Documenting Feminist and Queer Activism in the 21st Century Queer (In)Justice: The Criminalization of LGBT People in the United States (Queer Ideas/Queer Action)

Roget's 21st Century Thesaurus, Third Edition (21st Century Reference) The Lodge Officer's Handbook: For the 21st Century Masonic Officer (Tools for the 21st Century Mason) (Volume 2) Community Activism and Feminist Politics: Organizing Across Race, Class, and Gender (Perspectives on Gender) Mobilizing New York: AIDS, Antipoverty, and Feminist Activism (Gender and American Culture) Memoirs of an Early Arab Feminist: The Life and Activism of Anbara Salam Khalidi Playing With Fire: Feminist Thought And Activism Through Seven Lives In India Romancing the Vote: Feminist Activism in American Fiction, 1870-1920 Homesteading for Beginners: Self-sufficiency guide, Grow your own food, Repair your own home, Raising Livestock and Generating your own Energy (Homesteading, ... "You Can Tell Just By Looking": And 20 Other Myths about LGBT Life and People (Queer Ideas/Queer Action) Narrative Theory Unbound: Queer and Feminist Interventions (THEORY INTERPRETATION NARRATIV) The Message in the Bottle: How Queer Man Is, How Queer Language Is, and What One Has to Do with the Other Family Pride: What LGBT Families Should Know about Navigating Home, School, and Safety in Their Neighborhoods (Queer Ideas/Queer Action) The Wrong of Injustice: Dehumanization and its Role in Feminist Philosophy (Studies in Feminist Philosophy) Fear Of A Queer Planet: Queer Politics and Social Theory (Studies in Classical Philology) Beyond (Straight and Gay) Marriage: Valuing All Families under the Law (Queer Ideas/Queer Action) Gaga Feminism: Sex, Gender, and the End of Normal (Queer Ideas/Queer Action) A Feminist Companion to Luke (Feminist Companion to the New Testament and Early Christian Writings) Feminist Pedagogy: Looking Back to Move Forward (A Feminist Formations Reader)

[Dmca](#)