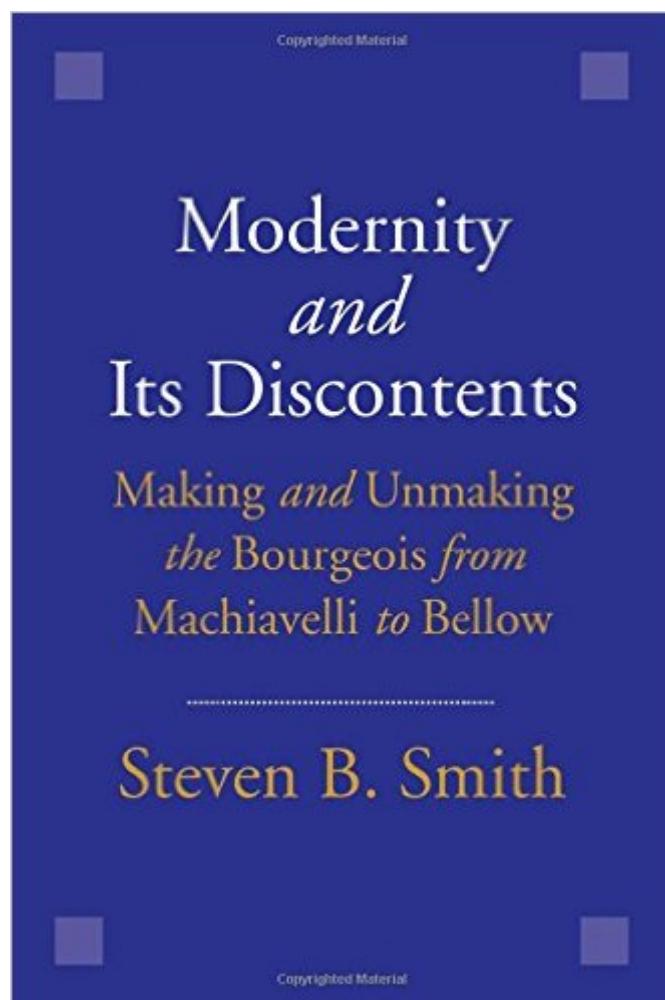


The book was found

# **Modernity And Its Discontents: Making And Unmaking The Bourgeois From Machiavelli To Bellow**



## Synopsis

Steven B. Smith examines the concept of modernity, not as the end product of historical developments but as a state of mind. He explores modernism as a source of both pride and anxiety, suggesting that its most distinctive characteristics are the self-criticisms and doubts that accompany social and political progress. Providing profiles of the modern project's most powerful defenders and critics—from Machiavelli and Spinoza to Saul Bellow and Isaiah Berlin—this provocative work of philosophy and political science offers a novel perspective on what it means to be modern and why discontent and sometimes radical rejection are its inevitable by-products.

## Book Information

Hardcover: 416 pages

Publisher: Yale University Press; 1 edition (August 9, 2016)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0300198396

ISBN-13: 978-0300198393

Product Dimensions: 6.1 x 1.2 x 9.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.6 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #100,144 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #198 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Philosophy > Modern #266 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Philosophy > Political

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

Modernity and Its Discontents: Making and Unmaking the Bourgeois from Machiavelli to Bellow  
Soap Making: 365 Days of Soap Making (Soap Making, Soap Making Books, Soap Making for Beginners, Soap Making Guide, Soap Making Recipes, Soap Making Supplies): Soap Making Recipes for 365 Days  
Modernity and Bourgeois Life: Society, Politics, and Culture in England, France and Germany since 1750  
Innovation and Its Discontents: How Our Broken Patent System is Endangering Innovation and Progress, and What to Do About It  
Civilization and Its Discontents (The Standard Edition) (Complete Psychological Works of Sigmund Freud)  
The Making and Unmaking of Democracy: Lessons from History and World Politics By Way of Deception : The Making and Unmaking of a Mossad Officer  
Jewelry Making: Jewelry Making Instructions to Easily Create Beautiful Pendants, Bracelets, Earrings, and Necklaces (Jewelry Making Books, jewelry making for dummies, jewelry making tools)  
Jewelry Making: 33 Tips and Advices For Making Unique Earrings

(jewelry making, jewelry making books, jewelry making kits) Unmaking Mimesis: Essays on Feminism and Theatre Unmaking North and South: Cartographies of the Yemeni Past (Columbia/Hurst) Bourgeois Radicals: The NAACP and the Struggle for Colonial Liberation, 1941-1960 Louise Bourgeois, la mujer araña: Un imaginario femenino (Spanish Edition) Louise Bourgeois (Arte hoy nº 15) (Spanish Edition) Molière: la collection complète de ses plus belles œuvres: TOME 2 : Le Médecin malgré lui, Amphitryon, L'Avare, Le Bourgeois gentilhomme, Les ... Le Malade imaginaire (French Edition) The City in History: Its Origins, Its Transformations, and Its Prospects Wine Making: Beginner Wine Making! The Ultimate Guide to Making Delicious Wine at Home (Home Brew, Wine Making, Red Wine, White Wine, Wine Tasting, Cocktails, ... Vodka recipes, Jello Shots Beer Brewing) Sun Tzu & Machiavelli Leadership Secrets: How to Become a Superior Leader Utilizing the Principles of The Art of War and The Prince Makers of Modern Strategy from Machiavelli to the Nuclear Age (Princeton Paperbacks) (Paperback) - Common The Niccolo Machiavelli Collection

[Dmca](#)