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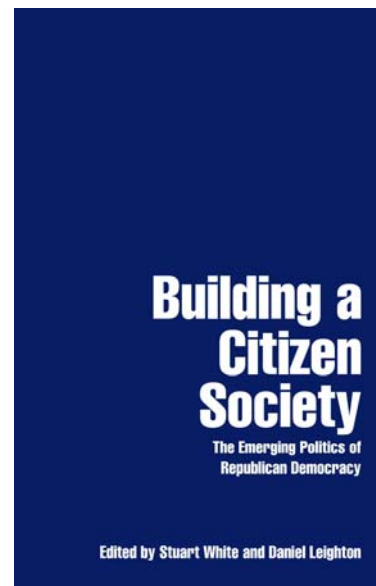
### **Building a Citizen Society: The Emerging Politics of Republican Democracy**

**Edited by Stuart White and Daniel Leighton**

‘In the recent renaissance of classical republicanism, one of the main challenges is to elaborate its implications for how democracies should be organized and orientated. This volume addresses that challenge and is a major contribution to neorepublican democratic theory.’

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**Building a Citizen Society** includes discussion on: constitutional reform and participation; security; domination in the workplace; the distribution of assets; Basic Income; citizens’ organising initiatives; democracy and time; green politics; solidarity and diversity; and determining the common good.

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