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Createspace, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.SCIENTISTS ARE PICTURED AS LIVING IN an ivory tower, out of touch with the real world. This might be true of some scientists, but not biotechnologists. These scientists are focused on using biological discoveries in practical ways or, as the United Nations Convention on Biological Diversity noted, biotechnology refers to any technological application that uses biological systems, living organisms, or derivatives thereof, to make or modify products or processes for specific use. Biotechnologists work in many fields but especially in agriculture, food science, and medicine. Many of the companies where they work are relatively new and are often engaged in some of the most exciting developments taking place in the world of science and medicine, such as seeking treatments and cures for diseases that attack people, plants, and animals, finding ways to increase the size and nutritional value of food sources, and developing new, more efficient and eco-friendly fuels and building materials. As the Biotechnology Industry Organization (BIO) puts it, the industry s goals are Healing the World, Feeding the World, and Fueling the World. In the years...



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