Liquid Power

Water and Contested Modernities in Spain, 1898-2010

Erik Swyngedouw

The MIT Press Cambridge, Massachusetts London, England

Contents

Preface ix

List of Acronyms xiii

- 1 "Not a Drop of Water ...Spain's Cyborg Water World 1
- 2 The Hydro-Social Cycle and the Making of Cyborg Worlds 19
- 3 *"Regeneracionismo"* and the Emergence of Hydraulic Modernization, 1898-1930 39
- 4 Chronicle of a Death Foretold: The Failure of Early Twentieth-Century Hydraulic Modernization 67
- 5 Paco El Rana's Wet Dream for Spain 99
- 6 Welcome Mr. Marshall! 129
- 7 Marching Forward to the Past: From Hydro-Deadlock to Water and Modernity Reimagined 163
- 8 Mobilizing the Seas: Reassembling Hydro-Modernities 191
- 9 Politicizing Water, Politicizing Natures, Or ... "Water Does Not Exist!" 223

Notes 231 References 249

Index 285