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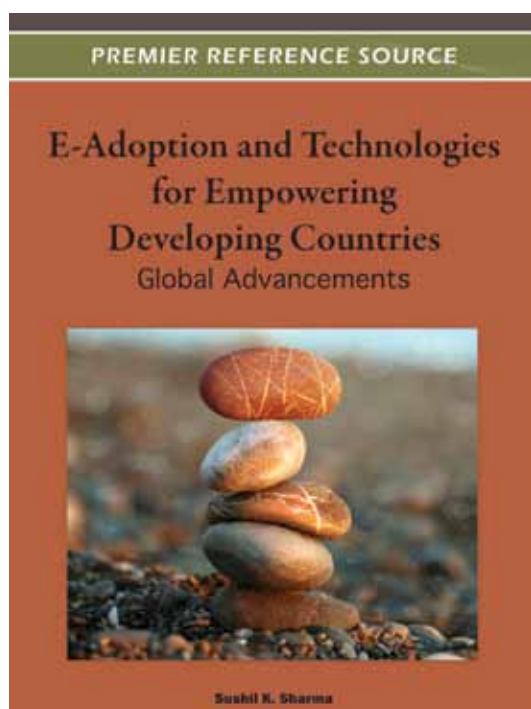
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E-Adoption and Technologies for Empowering Developing Countries: Global Advances reviews the impact technology has had on individuals and organizations whose access to media and resources is otherwise limited. With overviews of topics including electronic voting, electronic delivery systems, social Web applications, and online educational environments. This reference work provides a foundation for understanding the interplay between technology and societal growth and development.

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- Electronic Voting
- Location-Based Mobile Advertising
- Organizational Learning
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