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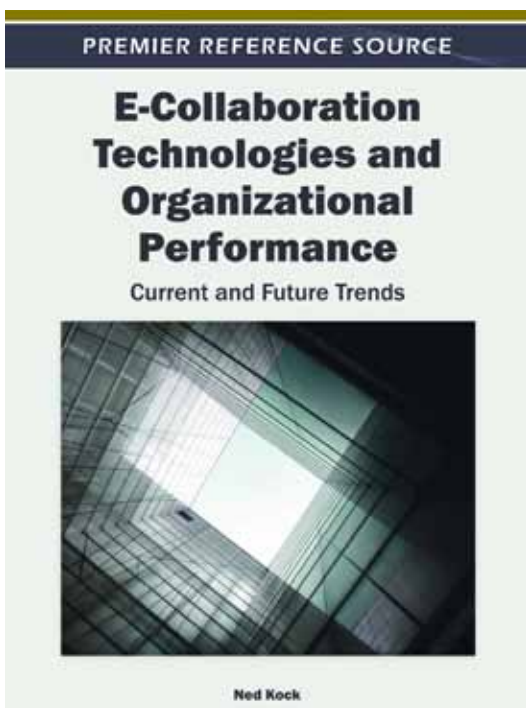
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As modern electronic communication devices and technologies continue to evolve, the discipline of e-collaboration becomes an increasingly significant area of study.

**E-Collaboration Technologies and Organizational Performance: Current and Future Trends** reviews recent advances in the e-collaboration discipline with a focus on virtual teams, firm performance, social capital formation, and Web-based communities. This inclusive reference provides solutions, suggestions, and best practices for organizational and individual collaboration.

### Topics Covered:

- Collaborative Business
- Cross-Company Electronic Collaboration
- Efficient Virtual Teams
- Impact of E-Collaboration on Firm Performance
- Internationalization of Online Professional Communities
- Leader Delegation in Virtual Software Teams
- Research Advances in Electronic Collaboration
- Social Technologies and Social Capital Formation
- Use of Wikis to Enhance E-Collaboration
- Web-Based Knowledge Communities



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