

Beyond e-Government: Toward the Ecosystem

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ABSTRACT

The vision of an efficient state as the provider of services and information is increasingly facing tendencies for genuine participation, cooperation, and dynamic inclusion of new stakeholders in addressing the duties and challenges of democratic communities. This contribution aims to discuss the principles of co-productive ecosystems as the digital dimension's native form of organization and discusses their fitness to act as paradigm-shifting agents for governance informatization. Challenges, which modern e-government fails to overcome are outlined, and approaches towards the next generation of governance technology are presented, which aim at a dedicated technological ecosystem in this regard.