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This section addresses conceptual and theoretical issues related to the field of information resources management, which include issues related to quality management, security, and knowledge management. Within these chapters, the reader is presented with analysis of the most current and relevant conceptual inquiries within this growing field of study. Particular chapters address the impact and challenges of digital rights management, the use of free and open source software in enterprise resources planning, the quality of online privacy policies, and trust in e-networks. Overall, contributions within this section ask unique, often theoretical questions related to the study of information resources management and, more often than not, conclude that solutions are both numerous and contradictory.

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This section highlights research potential within the field of information resources management while exploring uncharted areas of study for the advancement of the discipline. Chapters within this section highlight new trends in developing enterprise information mashups, “real” and virtual laboratories, and the use of Web 2.0 to support knowledge management. These contributions, which conclude this exhaustive, multi-volume set, provide emerging trends and suggestions for future research within this rapidly expanding discipline.

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