

## **Shared Catalogues and Cataloguing Tools: Information and Communication Technology as Catalyst**

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### **Purpose**

– To provide coverage and insights about the annual meeting of the AAAS where this year's theme was “Science and Technology for Sustainable Well-Being.”

### **Design/methodology/approach**

– Environmental scan of annual national meeting. Of particular interest due to the range of backgrounds different attendees from all avenues of the scientific community.

### **Findings**

– Sustainable well being has wide applications in different arenas but the informatics component was not as strong as at past conferences.

### **Practical Implications**

– Much of the conference focused on intersections of theory and application and new ways of responding to sustainability. Particularly strong in the physical sciences.

### **Originality value**

– Provides information of value to information professionals.