

The Future of Semantic Wiki: Trends, Challenges and Outlook

- The semantic wiki (in its enlarged scope) as the HCI (human-computer interaction) interface of choice
- Wikis, Semantic Wiki and even the Semantic Web to disappear into the mainstream, to be recognized by users and the media as web x.0
- Impact: Semantic Wiki as the enabler of collective human intelligence - I am constantly reminded of Doug Engelbart's NLS, OHS, DKR and CollectiveIQ ... and finally, they're close to being a reality
- a word of caution: if we give up on "open" - open read/write access, open content, open source technology; essentially open collaboration & open knowledge - as many applications may opt for, we are giving up on a huge portion of the power and benefit that a wiki (as it was originally conceived) is able to bring us.

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