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Description: I am conducting research for a doctorate at the University of the Western Cape. My topic is the role of language in the ability of social systems to adapt to the rapid changes in technology. I am currently researching the factors that impact on social systems ability to learn and in particular to acquire new language (specifically technology related language)

Highlighted Examples

I have been involved in implementing project management based on an approach called "Collaborative Project Design" which uses the concept of shared understanding to improve the rate of success of the implementation of IT projects

Implementing ICT and/or Technology Literacy Requirements

This is not applicable to me as I currently reside in South Africa but would be happy to collaborate with people in the US to this end.

Terms Applicable to Initiative or Research

- Information and Communications Technology Literacy (ICT)
- Information Literacy
- Communications Literacy
- Technology Literacy