Record Nr. UNINA9910818299903321 Innovations in information retrieval: perspectives for theory and **Titolo** practice / / edited by Allen Foster and Pauline Rafferty [[electronic resource]] London:,: Facet,, 2011 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-85604-973-6 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (xviii, 156 pages) : digital, PDF file(s) Disciplina 025.524 Information retrieval - Technological innovations Soggetti Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Title from publisher's bibliographic system (viewed on 05 Jul 2018). Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Encountering on the road to Serendip? Browsing in new information environments -- Classification revisited: a web of knowledge --Approaches to fiction retrieval research: from theory to practice? --Music information retrieval research -- Folksonomies, social tagging and information retrieval -- Digital information interaction as semantic navigation -- Assessing web search engines: a webometric approach. The advent of new information retrieval (IR) technologies and Sommario/riassunto approaches to storage and retrieval provide communities with previously unheard of opportunities for mass documentation, digitization, and the recording of information in all its forms. This book introduces and contextualizes these developments and looks at supporting research in IR, the debates, theories and issues. Contributed by an international team of experts, each authored chapter provides a snapshot of changes in the field, as well as the importance of developing innovation, creativity and thinking in IR practice and research. Key discussion areas include: browsing in new information environments classification revisited: a web of knowledge approaches to fiction retrieval research music information retrieval research folksonomies, social tagging and information retrieval digital

> information interaction as semantic navigation assessing web search machines: a webometric approach. The questions raised are of significance to the whole international library and information science

community, and this is essential reading for LIS professionals,

researchers and students, and for all those interested in the future of IR.