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community of practice for knowledge sharing, supporting and

developing knowledge sharing in immersive virtual worlds and also a valuable case study on creating a knowledge strategies for non-profit organizations. In total five papers in this e-book contribute to the growing development of Knowledge Management.