Abstract
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The Significance of World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS) for Open Access

The challenge, origins of WSIS, the UN Resolution 56/183, a multistakeholder approach, Geneva preparatory process and the Geneva Summit, Summit Outcomes of Geneva, including outcomes on OA, Tunis preparatory process and the Tunis Summit, Summit Outcomes of Tunis, including on OA, implementation and follow-up, a personal view what was and what was not achieved.