Standards for Web Applications on Mobile: current state and roadmap

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Web technologies have become powerful enough that they are used to build full-featured applications; this has been true for many years in the desktop and laptop computer realm, but is increasingly so on mobile devices as well.

This tutorial will introduce the various technologies developed in W3C that increase the capabilities of Web applications, and how they apply more specifically to the mobile context.