7th EDITION

THE GLOBAL BLOCKCHAIN CONGRESS

Celebrating DeFi and NFTs

June 21st & 22nd, 2021

Intercontinental Dubai Festival City, UAE









A WORD FROM OUR CEO



Hadi Malaeb

Co-Founder & CEO
Agora Group

Dear Delegates,

The world has started its slow crawl towards economic recovery. Or so we hope. As restrictions ease in many countries, we are still faced with uncertainties and new variants of Covid 19 appear to be challenging us and pushing the date of full recovery further.

Against this backdrop, Dubai has been a beacon in the fight towards regaining normalcy in our lives and has proven successful in fighting the spread of the virus through one of the best planned and executed vaccination campaigns in the world and a strict adherence to best practices to reduce the spread of the virus.

The 7th edition of the Global Blockchain Congress took place on June 21st and 22nd 2021 at the Intercontinental Hotel Festival City and was an outstand-

ing success with more than 300 attendees, 120 investors, 50 speakers, 25 sponsors, more than 300 pre-arranged and pre-scheduled one on one meetings, and many strategic and media partners. I want to thank each one of our partners for making this is the success it was.

The conference's Keynote Address was deliver by His Excellency Ahmed Bin Sulayem, the Executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of DMCC who spoke about how Dubai is planning to become a major hub for crypto and blockchain and discussed, in details, the various initiatives around this topic.

The conference theme was "Celebrating DeFi and NFTs" and was the first event in the MENA region to explore the challenges and opportunities of NFTs. We had an amazing lineup of speakers who delved into issues that matter in the industry:

- How has Covid 19 affected Investments in Blockchain Projects?
- Out of 101 investment opportunities presented to them, VCs only invest in one. How can companies

increase their chances in getting funded by VCs?

- How is Dubai becoming a major hub for crypto and blockchain?
- Building the bridge between DeFi and NFTs
- DeFI Evolution from Vampire Attacks, Farming and APY Wars, to cross chain, oracles and security.

Leveraging its position as an international investment and trade hub, Dubai has been pushing hard into the disruptive technology sectors, including Blockchain. Recently, the Dubai Multi Commodity Centre started issuing licenses for crypto businesses to operate in Dubai with full legal rights. This has prompted many blockchain and crypto companies to open local branches in Dubai or to move their entire operation here. This week, the newly launched National Program for Coder, was announced under the directives of His Royal Highness Sheikh Mohamed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President and Prime Minister of the UAE and Ruler of Dubai, with the aim of attracting 100,000 brilliant coders to Dubai. This initiative will surely add to Dubai's drive to becoming the city of the future and an international hub for blockchain. With access to funding, unparalleled infrastructure, a cosmopolitan population, a competitive talent pool, and a tax-free jurisdiction, Dubai IS the place to be for any crypto or blockchain company!

Our event aims to significantly contribute to the advancement of Blockchain technology in the Arab World by providing a unique platform that will connect regulators, Investors, business leaders, government officials and disruptors in a cutting edge conference agenda and via pre-arranged one-to-one meetings between investors and digital assets startups. This is the type of events where you get the most out of your participation by being pro-active, so it was lovely to see our sponsors and investors meet with as many people as they can, open as many discussions as possible and take full advantage of all the networking opportunities available for them.

Looking forward to seeing you again during our 8th edition of the Global Blockchain Congress on November 8th and 9th 2021 in Dubai, where we will be talking about renewable energy, sustainability and the role of blockchain in disrupting this sector by solving some of its main challenges and creating many new opportunities in the process.

Regards,



Gaurav Dubey

Founder & CEO
Olex & TDeFi

Dear Readers,

In the middle of the pandemic, when the world was struggling to run businesses virtually, Dubai opened its arms for innovative ideas from the blockchain ecosystem. It gives me great pleasure to say that Agora Group and TDeFi team were able to execute an event at such a grand scale where ideas were brought to life.

I would like to thank the DTCM, the Ministry of health, venue, and the teams of both the organisations to pull the event following all the health and safety protocols. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the participants - sponssors, investors, media firms, speakers and the guests to make the 7th edition of the Global Blockchain Congress, a huge success. Any amount of appreciation will not be able to make up for the efforts put up by our co-host of this event - Agora Group. This event welcomed 300 delegates, 120 investors, 50 speakers and 25 projects and it was

broadcasted live all over the world on leading media channels and a personalized Livestream on TradeDog' Youtube account

In the middle of all the speculations, the innovative concept of an alternative form of currency - Crypto Assets have been able to mark its presence with institutions and large corporates accepting Bitcoin and other assets as a form of payment. While the world was struggling with negative yields and high hassles for borrowing, Decentralised Finance (DeFi) offered solutions for better yields and instant loans. As I write this message, the total value locked in the DeFi ecosystem has crossed \$40 billion but still the ecosystem is posed with multiple challenges which we tried to solve during this event.

- How to build the required trust to bring mass adoption to this ecosystem?
- What are the regulatory challenges that need to be addressed to bring this solution into the mainstream?
- What are the challenges a startup faces that is trying to build a solution and how can the participants of this ecosystem come together to solve these challenges?

What steps are required to provide an international stage for disruptive crypto startups that can complement the traditional ecosystem and make it more transparent and efficient?

It was a driving thought that my team and I were obsessed with, and that led to the creation of TDeFi, a DeFi acceleration and mentorship program. Due to our foundational understanding of the corporate and enterprise ecosystem, and a primordial connection with the crypto industry, we decided to channel our expertise into excavating worthwhile DeFi and NFT startups and lead them to success through mutual sweat and blood.

We thank our event partner Agora Group for helping us build a powerful and industry-backed ecosystem for emerging startups at the Global DeFi Congress. Our sponsors, investors, business partners, mentors, and advisors really contributed to the success of this event to an immense degree.

The presence of leading personalities from the crypto industry and the government of the UAE depicted the weight of enthusiasm people have regarding this immensely capable financial sector. I am now anticipating to watch more valuable projects in the 8th edition of the Global Blockchain Congress scheduled on Nov 8th and 9th, 2021 in Dubai.



Daniel Santos

CEO

Woonkly

Dear attendees,

For the Woonkly team and for me personally, it has been an immense pleasure to participate as title sponsors of the 7th Edition of the Global Blockchain Congress: Celebrating DeFi and NFTs, organized by one of our strategic allies in MENA, Agora Group.

Since the irruption of Decentralized Finance and Non Fungible Tokens in the blockchain landscape, there has been a whirlwind of change and events that lead us to firmly believe that they are here to stay, that there is no turning back, and that there still is a long way to go.

During our meetings in Dubai with delegates, investors, speakers, and projects of the global blockchain ecosystem, there were countless questions and debates about DeFi and NFTs. But above all, we reflected on how the future of DeFi and NFTs should include certain regulations to fight current limitations such as lack of transparency, scams and anonymity.

At Woonkly, we believe that introducing regulated products to the ecosystem, such as the regulated AMM we launched during the Congress: defi.finance, will create new opportunities, invite new players such as institutional investors, and generate more confidence among users. That is why we embrace the Hybrid Finance "HyFi" market as the bridge between DeFi and traditional regulated financial institutions. From the Woonkly team, we would like to take this opportunity to thank the Agora Group and all of the attendees for their contribution to the blockchain landscape. We would also like to thank Dubai and its citizens for their warm welcome.

The diversity of players, events, investments, and projects converging in the city of Dubai are leading it to become the next global blockchain and crypto hub. At Woonkly, we are proud to be part of this productive ecosystem and look forward to creating new partnerships and successfully develop the ones we undertook during the Congress.

We leave with the certainty that we are building the future of finance together and that this will be huge and unstoppable.

Best regards,

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MARKETING REACH



47

Countries present at the congress



25,000+

Size of our Database & reach



3,000+

Event brochures emailed



300+

Questionnaires filled



Phone calls made to decision makers



1,500+

Companies & organizations contacted



10,000+

Views on live streamed videos



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My keynote speech during the launch of the 7th Edition Global #blockchain Congress

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Elated and honoured to be a part of the conversation around #Crypto and the way forward.

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Crazy how AgoraGroup, alongside #TDeft, managed to put on such a confound show for all of us.

While sharing the stage with all the brilliant minds, it made us realize how the conversation is not about competing but about joining hands and working towards nutruing the orgoto ecosystem. It's essential to educate the masses about the nuances around the ecosystem.

Congratulations to all the folks behind these impressive startups, ColeFantary, Woodsky, CitumFoundation, Vanilla Network, QChein, DREE, Goldfingr - Members-Only Global Investment Club, TheDematerialised, and many others to making it through and providing a roadmap to the future of Crysto. 27 6

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Watch the full coverage of the event on TradeDOG's Youtube channel by clicking on: https://inkd.in/eRymHe4.

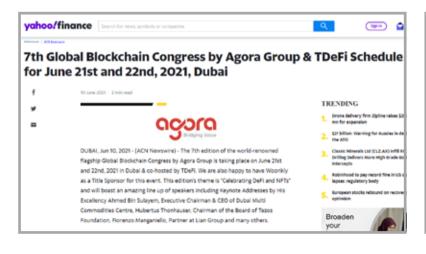
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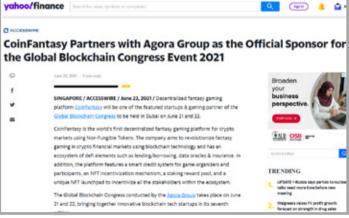














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Con el CEO de Woonkly Daniel Santos (Mr. Santos) en el cocictal ofrecido por Woonkly (tremendo Yatch) previo al evento de la 7ma. Edition of Global Blockchain. Congress celebrada en #Dubal.

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What a fantastic event attended by some value investors and evangelists of the Biockchain ecosystem. The world is changing with decentralization and it's an opportunity for us to experience the power of decentralization.

We at Mass DeFi discussed our idea at the event.

This is our initiative to give you the ownership of your money in the true sense. Watch us presenting at the Global Blockchain Congress at Dubai. https://lnkd.in/eKuPcWy



We are excited to announce Mass Defi as a Gold Sponsor for our 7th edition Global Blockchain Concress.



Attended Agora's Global Blockchain Congress in Dubai. Very Excited on Dubai's adoption and growth in the blockchain space.

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Nelson Cabrera Medina CEO in CRIPTOVISION sharing the project to QTUM team in the 7th. Edition Global Blockchain celebrating DeFi and NFTs in Dubai. Follow us in our Telegram Official Channels to know more about us:

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Josef Holm - 2nd

Draper Goren Holm Blockchain Venture Studio & Fund



I had a great time fireside chatting with Sheesha Finance CEO and CasperLabs MD for MENA, Saeed Hareb Al Darmaki at the AgoraGroup Global Blockchain Congress in *Dubal. We discussed the global rise of *DeFl and our commitment to expanding access to funding for #blockchain #startups in MENA.





Rutherford Atayobo - 2nd

Co-Founder & Operations Director at Vanilla Nativorki

The 7th Global Blockchain Congress - Celebrating DeFi & NFT's have come and none. But this event will no down in history as the event that ushered Vanilla. Network and by extension it's new offspring "Sin City" and her flagship blockchain product, the metaverse into the hearts of investors and key industry players.

On the 22nd of June, we unveiled the Sin City project in this auspicious event held in the heart of Dubai. In this project, we are going build a metaverse - a virtual real. estate with a gaming suite that empowers land currens to build urban real estate. virtually. There will be the casinos, restaurants, high rise buildings, shopping mails. clubs, lounges as well as a door to the gaming suites that will be developed by Dutch Games based in Netherlands where gamers will focus on becoming the biggest kingpin in the high octane action thriller laced with bloody battles to control the Sin City underworld. The utility token #VSIN will power all transactions in the platform.

Current partners for this project are the UK based Toefs, a blockchain tech incubator and accelerator. Matic now Polygon - a blockchain project powering gasless & fast. frictionless dagos/transactions on the Ethereum Network. WhiteBit and the legendary DUTCH GAMES.

Users of meraverse will decide what they want to become, own real estate that they can sell for money with high returns or simply become gamers.

Details later...

#blockchain #nft #defi #matic #otc #cryptocurrency #gaming #ethereum





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Last week, Ahmed Bin Sulayem shared his insights at the AgoraGroup conference 2021 - an exclusive congress for investors and hand-picked Blockchain & DeFi projects looking to raise funds.

We are happy to work closely together with Ahmed bin Sulayem and look forward to growing Dubai's crypto ecosystem together.

Hadi Malaeb, Rim El Aridi, Obai Khaddai, Ralf Glabischnig, Fabio Schlaf, Gustavo Figueroa, Nicolai Reinbold, Tracy Trachsler, DMCC Crypto Centre

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Our Foundar Saeed Al Darmaki was in a fireside chat with Josef Holm of Draper Goten Hollm at Global Blockchain Congress. He believes that your should get involved in the Defi ecosystem, and a user-finefully aspect of letting users access thate technologies is very important for the whole ecosystem and overall intrastructure growth across URE and Globalis.

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Moreover, we should educate people about these technologies and let them develop innovative solutions for the future.

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"Woonkly, the startup that aspires to become a unicorn, is going after the Middle. East market as the main geometr of the Global Biockshain Congress in Dubis. Housand on decentralized finance and the very popular Non Fungble Tokans (NFTs.)."

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Partner Metalaw / Incernet, Fincech & Blockchain lawyer / Adjunct Professor SC...

Happy to have moderated a vivid panel on DERI and NFT at the Global Blockchain Congress in Dubai https://fried.in/dnaue5U We discussed out the following topics:

- Is Decentralized finance a hype like ICO's, ICO's or other trends, or is it the future and for a long time?
- What about farming and institutional investors ?
- What is the future of NFT? Is Defi a good match for NFT (e.g. governance, farming and lending, tolenisation and segundary market.)?

Governance token: how to ensure a decentralized governance of NFT platforms? For example, Rarible, a creator-centric NFT marketplace decided to enroll a governance token called "RARU" and put up the steps to ensure that the platform is being regulated by a Decentralized Autonomous Organization (DAO)

Lending: will NFT collectibles and art become collaterals against DeFi lending

Tokenisation:

With all the hype that the NFT market is getting these days, many consumers would want to get into the market and make money by buying into profitable NFTs. However, with every headline emphasizing the millions that NFTs are being sold for, it can seem inaccessible to the everyday person. Some project allow users to buy fractions in evenerable of NFTs as opposed to buying one outright.

Music inclustry: NFT's will play a crucial role in proving right ownership and royalty payment, in a decentralized environment. See www.Copyrightcoins.com forupto foruptocurrency effector #601 #eff #music.

Thanks to the excellent panelists: Hubertus Thonhauser Sergel Khitrov Anna Tutova Findosh Shalkh



AGENDA - MONDAY, JUNE 21st, 2021

08:00 – 09:00 60 Minutes	Registration and refreshments	10:55 – 11:05 10 Minutes	Presentation Solving the Film Business Profitability Problem with Smart Contracts
09:00 – 09:10 10 Minutes	Opening remarks - Welcome of the chairman of the event - Rim Aridi, Co-Founder & Managing Director, Agora Group		- Edward Mercado • Film Vault - Film Production Manager, estudios amazonia - g.a mercado • TheFaustFlick - Film Producer & Director, estudios amazonia
	- Daniel Santos - CEO, Woonkly - Gordon Einstein - Founding Partner, CryptoLaw Partners	11:05 – 11:15 10 Minutes	Presentation Making Crypto Ownership Simple, Worldwide!
09:10 – 09:30 20 Minutes	Keynote Opening Address His Excellency Ahmed Bin Sulayem - Executive Chairman & CEO, DMCC		Brian McGinty, Founding Leader, CryptoPerformance
09:30 - 09:50	Fireside Chat - The Global Rise of DeFi		One to One Meetings Ballroom 2
20 Minutes	- Josef Holm, Founding Partner, Draper Goren Holm - Saeed El Darmaki - Founder, Sheesha Finance	11:15 – 11:30 15 Minutes	Meeting 1
09:50 – 10:10 20 Minutes	Presentation	11:30 – 11:45 15 Minutes	Meeting 2
20 Minutes	The future of regulation of NFT and DeFi projects Daniel Santos - CEO, Woonkly	11:45 – 12:00 15 Minutes	Meeting 3
10:10 – 10:20 10 Minutes	Presentation DeFi - Gamblification or Path to Crypto adoption	12:00 – 12:15 15 Minutes	Meeting 4
	- Baiba Broka - Chief Legal Officer, Mass DeFi - Shantnoo Saxsena - Chief Operating Officer, Mass DeFi	12:15 – 12:30 15 Minutes	Meeting 5
10:20 – 10:30 10 Minutes	Presentation Qtum a Proof of Stake climate-neutral DeFi and NFT ecosystem	12:30 – 12:45 15 Minutes	Meeting 6
	Antonio Saaranen - Head of BD & Investment, Qtum Foundation	12:45 – 13:00 15 Minutes	Meeting 7
10:30 – 10:40 10 Minutes	Presentation Inheriti, Digital Inheritance Secured Jürgen Schouppe - CEO & CTO, Inheriti	13:00 – 14:00 60 Minutes	Prayer break and lunch
10:40 – 10:55 15 Minutes	Presentation	14:00 – 14:40 40 Minutes	Panel Discussion How do Institutional investors invest? A study by Harvard Business Review on how VCs invest reveals some shocking numbers. For each investment, a VC reviews 101 opportunities. Is it different when it comes to investing in Blockchain and Digital Asset startups? This panel will shed light on how Institutional investors decide on which project to invest.
	Marjorie Hernandez - Co-Founder, LUKSO		
	Presentation The Future is Dematerialised Karinna Nobbs - Co-Founder, The Dematerialised		

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- Ralf Glabisching - Founding Partner, CVVC
Fireside Chat The Institutionalization of Bitcoin and Blockchain - Ting Peng - Editor-in-Chief, Cointelegraph China - Miko Matsumura - General Partner, gumi Cryptos Capital
Panel Discussion The case of Dubai as a major blockchain and crypto hub for attracting investors and talents. Moderator: - Jorge Sebastiao, CEO, Nimbus & Founder, Global Blockchain Organization Panelists: - Bijan Alizadeh - Managing Partner, Phoenix VC - Samy Karim, Director - Business & Ecosystem Development, Binance - Thomas Stray - CEO, Endemaj Funds - Jaafar Al Doori - Director of Strategic Partnerships, Lead Ventures
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AGENDA - TUESDAY, JUNE 22nd, 2021

08:00 - 09:00 60 Minutes 09:00 - 09:05 5 Minutes	Registration and refreshments Opening remarks and welcome from the Chairman of the Congress	10:25 – 10:35 10 Minutes 10:35 – 10:45 10 Minutes	Presentation The X-factor in crypto data Ola J. Lind – Director, SoBitx
	- Gordon Einstein - Founding Partner, CryptoLaw Partners - Gaurav Dubey - Founder & CEO, O1ex & TDeFi		Presentation The Tipping Token; Creating a revolution of generosity
09:05 – 09:35 30 Minutes	Panel by the Co Host of the Congress TDeFi Cohort Panel Discussion		- Tom Davis - Co-Founder, Tipping Token - Kevin Harrison - Co-Founder, Tipping Token
	Moderator: Gaurav Dubey - Founder & CEO, O1ex & TDeFi Panelists:	10:45 – 10:55 10 Minutes	Presentation Firdosh Sheikh - CEO & Co-Founder, DRIFE
	- Ameusts: - Waqas Nakhwa - Co-Founder & CTO, Aqar Chain - Niyazi Yılmaz - CEO & Founder, Bitay - Ben O. El Idrissi - COO & Founder, Aimedis - Marouane Fikri - Co-Founder, Vanilla Network	10:55 – 11:05 10 Minutes	Presentation M1NT Our Future! The Next Big Thing for The Next Big Things Rob Charles - Founder & CEO, Goldfingr
	- Firdosh Sheikh - CEO & Co-Founder, DRIFE	11:05 – 11:15 10 Minutes	Presentation Decentralized multi-chain platform launch (IDO) and future of Ideaology
09:35 – 09:45 10 Minutes	Presentation Vanila Network - Invest, Stake & Play	11:15 – 11:35	Khaled Alkalbani - Founder & CEO, Ideaology Panel Discussion
09:45 – 09:55 10 Minutes	Marouane Fikri - Co-Founder, Vanilla Network Presentation New generation crypto ecosystem Dmitry Buslov - CTO, Ochain	20 Minutes	Tokenization of Real Estate Moderator: - Ralf Glabisching - Founding Partner, CVVC
09:55 – 10:05 10 Minutes	Presentation World's first decentralized fantasy gaming platform for crypto markets using NFT's Harishkarthik Gunalan - Co-Founder, Coin Fantasy		Panelists: - Hadi Kabalan – Head of Blockchain Ventures, Quara Holding - Stephan Rind, Founder and CEO, BRICKMARK
			One-on-one Meetings
10:05 – 10:15 10 Minutes	Presentation Why blockchain gaming is only just beginning Jamie Thomson - CEO, Vulcan Forged	11:35 – 11:50 15 Minutes 11:50 – 12:05	Meeting 12
10:15 - 10:25	Presentation	11:50 – 12:05 15 Minutes	Meeting 13
10 Minutes	Cross the Ages - Trading and collectible NFT Sami Chlagou - CEO, Cross the Ages	12:05 – 12:20 15 Minutes	Meeting 14

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13:05 – 14:00 55 Minutes	Prayer break and lunch
14:00 – 14:15 15 Minutes	Presentation DeFi evolution - from vampire attacks, farming and APY wars - to cross chain, oracles and security Oleg Ivanov - Co-Founder, Berezka DAO & CB Capital
14:15 – 14:45 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Building the Bridge Between NFTs and DeFi Moderator: - Thibault Verbiest, President, IOUR Foundation & Partner, Metalaw Panelists: - Vadim Khramov, Founder & CIO, Edge Capital Management - Hubertus Thonhauser, Chairman of the Board, Tezos Foundation - Anna Tutova, CEO, Coinstelegram - Sergey Khitrov, Founder, Listing.Help & Jets.Capital
14:45 – 15:00 15 Minutes	Presentation Defying DeFi most common misconceptions: How to ride the hype wave without falling. Eloisa Marchesoni, Tokenomics Expert, Blockchain & Al Angel Investor
15:00 – 15:30 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Blockchain Trends and Investments Moderator: - Dmitry Chirun - CTO, Decentralised VC Panelists: - Lou Kerner - Managing Partner, Blockchain Coinvestors - Juwan Lee - Chairman & Group CEO, NexChange Group - Animesh Saxena - Chief Investment Officer, Growmore Group - Michelle Chivunga - CEO / Investor, Global Policy House
	One-on-one meetings

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16:00 – 16:15 15 Minutes Meeting 20

15 Minutes

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Chairman closing remark and end of Congress

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Co-CEO Investment Bank

Relationship Manager

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Endemaj Funds

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Euphoria Capital Partners

EverdreamSoft

Global Blockchain Organization

Global Investment

Global Policy House

Goldfingr

GRIP Investments

Gulf Islamic Investments

IAMA & FIP INC.

Ideaology

Ikia Ventures

Inheriti

IOP Capital Kairos Fund

Lead Ventures

Liquiditi

Listing.Help & Jets.Capital

London Capital

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Film Producer & Director

CEO

EO & Founder

Founde

CEO & Business Developer

CEO

Founder & CEO

Director of Partnerships

Co-Founder & CEO

CEO

CIC

CEC

Head of Community Growth

Executive Director

Co-Founde

Director of Strategic Partnership

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Founder & CEC

Managing Directo

Co-Founder

CEO

Chairman & CEO

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Mass DeFi

Master Ventures

Mensis Capital
MikadoLue Capital

MMM Ventures

Nakheel Capital

Newfields Group NewTribe Capital NexChange Group

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Olymp Capital
Outlier Ventures

Phoenix VC

Phoenix Wealth Pimlico Partners

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Qchain

Qtum Foundation

Quara Holding

Requus

Partner

Chief Operating Officer

Managing Partner

Director

Founder

Partner

Executive Chairma

Investment Analyst

Chairman & CE

Founder & CEO

Senior Advisor

Venture Partner

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LFU Co Equad

Co-Founder

CTO

Chief Strategy Officer

Head of Blockchain Ventures

Managing Directo

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SASCO Holdings Scytale Ventures Shariah Islamic Bank

Sheesha Finance Shorooq Partners

SoBitX

Sunny Ventures SuperWorld

Swiss Blockchain & Ecosystems

TDeFi

Tezos Foundation

Tezos Gulf TFL Tech

The Dematerialised Tipping Token

Triskelion VC
True Global Ventures

Vanilla Network

Venture Catalysts

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Vice President

CEO

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Managing Director

President Founder

Co-Founder & CEO

Founder

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Chairman of the Board Managing Director

CEO

Co-Founder

Managing Director General Partner

Co-Founder

Regional Partner – MENA

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Vulcan Forged VVentures

Woodstock Fund

Woonkly

Director of Investment Relations

CEO

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Founding Partner

CEO



When we participated in the 1st edition of the Global Bockchain Congress, we were able to secure funding and partnerships that allowed us to get to where we are today.

To all the Blockchain projects, whether in the early or advanced stages, we assure you that the Global Blockchain Congress experience is unlike any other summit. This Congress is an exclusive, closed-door opportunity to connect with the greatest investors from the MENA region.

Daniel Santos, Woonkly - CEO



I really enjoyed the Agora blockchain conference. A great format with interesting speakers and one on one meetings with startups. It was good to meet people in person again and share our ideas. The quality of the presentations was excellent and we met again some interesting startups with whom we have follow up discussions. The format is very effective and allows us to have exposure to great startups in a couple of days what otherwise would have taken months.

Jack Smies, IOP Capital - Executive Director



The 7th Global Blockchain Congress was a delightful event with its exclusive content, diverse speakers and international participants. My primary goal was to meet and mingle with experts, professionals and investors in Crypto, DeFi and Blockchain industries. I found what I was looking for, if not even more. The event exceeded my expectations in multiple accounts. A very well-done conference with seamless organization.

Niyazi Yilmaz, Bitay - CEO & Founder



The 7th edition of the Global Blockchain Congress – Celebrating DeFi & NFTs was one of its kind and much required event for businesses to flourish in these times when the world is going through difficult times. Mass DeFi team had some great discussions with investors and the leaders of the Blockchain ecosystem. Thanks to Agora Group and TDeFi for putting up such a great event

Rishabh, Mass DeFi - Founder & CEO



The Global Blockchain Congress by Agora is a powerful platform for connecting thought leaders, investors, and innovators in the world of blockchain. It enables collaboration within the emerging blockchain space, allowing exploration of ideas and opportunities as we venture towards a more digital future. It's a highly recommended space for learning, growing, and networking with the people who can shape tomorrow, and an honour to be a part of such a momentous event.

Thomas Stray, Endemaj Funds - CEO



We have been Investing in Crypto Ventures for years now including participating in unique and well-known projects right from their seed days. What Agora does is provide a trust-worthy platform for funds like us to engage with the choicest of projects and get an early access to either partner with them, or, participate in their funding rounds. More importantly, they bring "trust" to this process, which is a crucial factor. Looking forward to participating in more such events in the future.

Ganeshram Gunalan, Darq.Capital - Co-Founder



Agora was everything and more than I expected. We had the chance to meet some incredibly well-respected individuals of the blockchain investment communities. The event was organized to the T, well-structured and we'll be coming out again soon!

Jamie Thomson, Vulcan Forged - CEO



Ideaology is working with Agora for almost a year now, and their events always provide us visibility and partnerships we need to grow our project. It was awesome to be back to live events after all those online events last year!

Amar Kovacevic, Ideaology - CTO



The 7th edition of the Global Blockchain Congress was a great come back experience after the pandemic. The number of attendees and especially the number of one to one meetings was fruitful. The TDeFi team was also there to handhold at every stage.

Waqas Nakhwa, Agar Chain - Co-Founder & CTO



We found the organization to be brilliant! The team was very accessible, the event was very well organized and we will be very happy to participate in the next conventions organized by Agora.

Sami Chlagou, Cross the Ages - CEO



I want to thank Agora Group for a great conference! The facilities were great & we got to meet some great teams and interesting people. Overall a good layout for the conference.

Mattias Borg, Qtum Foundation - Business Development Manager



My overall feedback is very positive. The quality of projects and people was definitely higher than at some other conferences. The panel discussions were focused and one-on-one meetings were great. Organization was done very well.

Vadim Khramov, Edge Capital Management - Founder & CIO



The 7th edition of the Global Blockchain Congress enabled us to interact with creative and brilliant minds from the crypto space. The overall experience was great and we would be happy to participate every year!

Mikita Gagalani, NewTribe Capital - Analyst



Thank you, Agora Group Team! The 7th Edition of the Global Blockchain Congress has been a complete success! We are very proud of the results and to have been the Title Sponsor of the event - congratulations to all the team and participants! See you soon!

Woonkly Team



The Global Blockchain Congress in Dubai is one of the most exclusive events for innovators, startups and investors, bringing people together. It was really a fantastic experience for me and for DRIFE. I participated in this event for the second time and I could feel the energy and the excitement in the room.

Firdosh Sheikh, Drife - CEO & Co-Founder



As expected, Hadi, Rim and the entire Agora Team delivered a superb event. The event was professionally executed – Superb planning and great investors.

They managed to deliver on their promise: Showcasing talented Blockchain based entrepreneurs and their crypto business solutions to savvy and seasoned investors.

g.a. mercado, estudios amazonia - Director



I really was super impressed with the organisation of Agora's 7th edition Global Blockchain Congress. Everything was meticulously planned and the team ensured that as investors we had our time allocated well

I will definitely attend future events organised by Agora.

Kunal Savjani, Shoroog Partners - Managing Director



We want to thank Agora Group for the great organization of the 7th Edition of the Global Blockchain Congress in Dubai 2021! CRIPTOVISION was presented to potential investors with a great chance!

We will now move on the next step to start global commercial operations of our 6 business lines!

Nelson Cabrera, Criptovision - CEO & Founder



Agora is a great initiative to bridge the gap between investors and projects. The team is very efficient in organizing the event, bringing quality content, θ quality speakers. Kudos to the team for pulling off another successful event!

Shantnoo Saxsena, Mass DeFi - Chief Operating Officer



Agora's conference is one of the best conferences I ever visited as I was amazed by the way they presented us with investment opportunities and sent us our one to one schedule in advance. Very high profile speakers and topics were well selected. Networking opportunities were also great and valuable in building partnerships for the future.

Ahmed Ali Mousa Alnaqbi, Ali Mousa Holding Group - Group CEO



Thank you very much for hosting such an amazing Congress! Safe Haven was extremely pleased with the networking opportunities provided by Agora at the Global Blockchain Congress in Dubai - communication was clear, smooth, and concise. Our primary goal was to increase awareness about the importance of decentralized inheritance and personal backup plans, via Inheriti, which was facilitated well with the guidance and assistance of Agora's organization skills. Many angel investor and venture capitalist meetings were hand-picked by Agora to match sought services and blockchain technology that we provide. Accommodations pertaining to lodging/catering was above expectations and all levels of comfort were taken into consideration. We strongly recommend other blockchain projects to attend congresses held by Agora in the future.

Tyler Doussan, Inheriti - Head of Community Growth



This year's Global Blockchain Congress by Agora Group was yet another great success, with the quality of the speakers line-up and the caliber of the blockchain community under one roof. We have been attending the Agora events for a few years now and the consistency and development of the events is truly inspiring. It was a no brainer for us to work hand in hand with Hadi and Reem to combine our forces and offer the participating companies a strategic partnership to further their reach into this region. Kudos to the Agora team to being so passionate in their work and bringing us events that create great opportunities to all involved.

Mohamed Al Banna, HH Sheikh Juma Al Maktoum - Senior Advisor



The 7th Edition of the Global Blockchain Congress exceeded our expectations and I am glad to have been a delegate at the event. I have attended many industry events but I can't boast that any met the standard of this Congress.

From the presentations, fire-side chats, networking opportunities to the social events, everything was well planned. What amazes me the most is that no delegate was left behind as we all felt that sense of belonging.

If the future of blockchain is to be exactly how we have all imagined it, a decentralized world where systems work, this event needs to bring all industry players together periodically. Can't wait for the next event!

Constantin Ene. Vanilla Network - CTO



As an early stage startup, Agora's model of connecting great projects directly with a fantastic set of investors in a tightly held event and over one-on-one meetings is very unique and extremely rewarding. The feedback, interests and partnership that are possible because of this format of engagement, makes it unique and trust-worthy. Not only is Agora able to bring together the comprehensive set of investors and ventures together, but they are hands on when it comes to making sure and mutually productive event for investors and startups alike.

Harishkarthik Gunalan, Coin Fantasy - Co-Founder



On behalf of the Goldfingr team, we would like to thank you for hosting and organizing this 7th edition of the Global Blockchain Congress. It has been a pleasure for us to present and attend your sharp gathering. We have appreciated the networking opportunities which were well organized, we might have been able to secure some funding. A fantastic outcome of the conversations and relationships made.

We believe that Agora is a well-established middleman, future oriented and ready to make a change. We recognize the fact that Agora can be a network booster as well as a business development facilitator. We overall very much enjoyed our experience and will be coming back for more.

Goldfingr Team



It is indeed amusing to witness the level of access and exposure to great opportunities, the Agora Group guarantees to yet a nascent markets like DeFi and NFTs. Attending the 7th Global Blockchain Congress organized by Agora was an affirmation of how bridging value truly is.

Khalid Al Mahfouz, Ascend E-Ventures - Business Dev. Director



Firstly congratulations on conducting a very successful event during these times. I believe it was a refreshing change for everyone and we had the opportunity to meet with a lot of interesting people and ideas during this conference.

For me, it was my first Blockchain event, and it was a great opportunity to learn about the latest developments and meet with different people from across the globe to share ideas and concepts.

Thank you once again for the invitation and looking forward to attending your upcoming conferences.

Roshan Shah, Al Mal Capital - Executive Director

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- 3rd Annual
 Healthcare Disrupters Congress
 September 27th, 2021 | Dubai, UAE
- 1st ANNUAL Legal Disrupters Congress September 28th, 2021 | Dubai, UAE
- 8th Edition
 Global Blockchain Congress
 November 8th & 9th, 2021 | Dubai, UAE



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