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ONTOCHAIN SUMMIT BRINGS WEB 3 INNOVATORS TO BERLIN TO BUILD A TRUSTWORTHY INTERNET



<u>ONTOCHAIN</u>, the software ecosystem for trusted, traceable and transparent ontological knowledge, funded by the European Commission, invites Web 3 innovators for the <u>ONTOCHAIN Summit</u> on June 1-2 at the world's first NFT museum in Berlin, Germany.

A two-day event to engage with the ONTOCHAIN community that will present its key software services and demonstrations, funding opportunities (grants up to €150k), and discuss topics including tokenomics, NFTs, oracles, blockchain-based knowledge management, semantic marketplaces, application-level proofs, and cross-chain interoperability, that aim at trustworthy data exchange and knowledge management.

The ONTOCHAIN core team to speak at the event include **Anthony Simonet-Boulogne**, Head of Research & Innovation at <u>iExec Blockchain Tech</u>; **Vlado Stankovski**, Professor of Computer Science at the <u>University of Ljubljana</u>, **Thanasis Papaioannou**, Principal Investigator at the <u>Athens University of Economics and Business</u>, **Alberto Ciaramella**, founder and CEO of <u>IntelliSemantic</u>, among many more to be announced.

As part of the event registration process, all Web 3 innovators can optionally apply to pitch ideas and projects that could contribute to the ONTOCHAIN software ecosystem,



and if selected present them to the entire audience at the ONTOCHAIN Summit.

ONTOCHAIN is preparing the launch of its third call for projects that will be open at the time of the Summit, meaning that attendees will have the opportunity to learn everything they need to submit a successful application and get access to grants up to €150k (equity-free), coaching, access to cutting-edge infrastructure and visibility.

The ONTOCHAIN Summit is also a unique opportunity to find partners to apply for the ONTOCHAIN grants, among the 100+ internet innovators and industry-defining leaders attending the event.

More information about the ONTOCHAIN Summit and how to register can be found at www.ontochainsummit.eu. Attendance is free and limited to the number of seats available.

ABOUT ONTOCHAIN

Under the European Commission's Next Generation Internet initiative, the ONTOCHAIN project was launched to contribute to a more human-centered Internet, an internet that fosters values of privacy, collaboration, diversity and more broadly human rights and democracy of utmost importance for the EU.

In practice, ONTOCHAIN enables the co-design, development and implementation of a new generation of trustful and decentralized web applications, federating blockchain and semantic technologies for different application domains such as eScience, eEducation, eHealth, eGovernment, eCommerce, eInfrastructures and so on.

In more specific terms ONTOCHAIN provides funding to internet innovators for developing blockchain-based knowledge management solutions that address the challenge of secure and transparent knowledge management as well as service interoperability on the Internet.

The project is operated by 7 partners with complementary expertise that form the core of a vibrant ecosystem: European Dynamics (Luxembourg), University of Ljubljana (Slovenia), IntelliSemantic (Italy), iExec Blockchain Tech (France), Athens University of Economics and Business (Greece), German Hellenic Chamber of Commerce and Industry (Greece) and F6S (Ireland).

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