

# ROUNDTABLES

## MONDAY, MAY 22, 2017

<b>ROUNDTABLE TRACK 1</b> <b>DUFFY/COLUMBIA</b>	<b>ROUNDTABLE TRACK 2</b> <b>TIMES SQUARE</b>	<b>ROUNDTABLE TRACK 3</b> <b>HUDSON/EMPIRE</b>
<p><b>HYPERLEDGER</b> 10:30 am - 11:30 am</p> <p><b>GET TO KNOW HYPERLEDGER'S DISTRIBUTED LEDGER TECHNOLOGIES &amp; USE CASES</b></p> <p>The focus of this roundtable will be to foster an open discussion on some of the different DLT frameworks incubated by Hyperledger including Sawtooth, and Iroha. It will discuss the projects' progress so far, technological advantages, differences and best use cases. We'll also look at how we are bringing these projects together from an architectural and community POV.</p>	<p><b>RIPPLE</b> 10:30 am - 11:30 am</p> <p><b>XRP IN ACTION: A LIVE DEMO AND EXPERT Q&amp;A</b></p> <p>This session shows the power of XRP versus Bitcoin in a live demonstration of a global payments use case. Following the demo, we take a deeper look under the hood through a facilitated Q&amp;A with Stefan Thomas and David Schwartz, moderated by Patrick Griffin, regarding upcoming plans to solidify XRP's role as the digital asset for payments.</p>	<p><b>CME GROUP</b> 10:30 am - 11:30 am</p> <p><b>HOW BLOCKCHAIN IS CHANGING GOLD MARKETS</b></p> <p>AlphaPoint and BitGo join CME Group for a technical Q&amp;A about RMG, the new digital gold standard.</p>
<p><b>SYNECHRON</b> 11:45 am - 12:45 pm</p> <p><b>ACCELERATING YOUR BLOCKCHAIN APPLICATION DEVELOPMENT</b></p> <p>This session will discover what firms can do to accelerate their blockchain application initiatives including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• an assessment of the top blockchain/DLT platforms (Ethereum, Hyperledger Fabric, Quorum and Corda)</li> <li>• your blockchain ecosystem and who you need to go from POC to Pilot</li> <li>• the top use cases that are leading the way already including Trade Finance, KYC and Mortgage Processing</li> <li>• building blocks, toolkits, and accelerators to leapfrog application development</li> <li>• future-proofing applications with scalability, interoperability, and privacy in mind</li> </ul>	<p><b>MICROSOFT</b> 11:45 am - 12:45 pm</p> <p><b>BUILDING AN INTEGRATED BLOCKCHAIN APPLICATION ON AZURE</b></p> <p>In this session we will review new offerings aimed at accelerating end to end blockchain app development on Azure, including support for additional blockchain implementations and a deep dive on a new framework that will greatly accelerate blockchain PoC development</p>	<p><b>ERNST &amp; YOUNG</b> 11:45 am - 12:45 pm</p> <p><b>INDUSTRIALIZATION OF THE BLOCKCHAIN IN EMBEDDED FINANCE – THE CONVERSATION BETWEEN HUMANS AND MACHINES</b></p> <p>Concurrent innovations in smart hardware and sensor technology utilizing blockchains have opened the door on expanding communication between machines and humans. The transmission of value based on logic embedded in machines can be unlocked using blockchains to enable value to autonomously and securely occur in micro-increments and at a relatively low technological cost. Money moving based on software, with no humans involved.</p> <p>Explore the nuances of embedded finance using blockchain applications across your enterprise. Consider the implications for your existing operations and how this might reshape your business model. In a world where value moves as freely as data, embedded finance is poised to launch a new wave of business ecosystems.</p>
	<p><b>BITSE</b> 1:45 pm – 2:45 pm</p> <p><b>BITSE AND BLOCKCHAIN</b></p> <p>Bitse, China's premier blockchain service company, will illustrate the usability of blockchain technology in supply chains from manufacturing to post consumption with its VeChain product. Bitse's CEO and COO, DJ Qian &amp; Sunny Lu, will highlight the company's global progress, its relationship with PwC and will reveal the details of its new partner program.</p>	<p><b>THROUGHBIT</b> 1:45 pm - 2:45 pm</p> <p><b>BLOCKCHAIN AND THE INDIAN RUPEE- INTRODUCTION TO THROUGHBIT</b></p> <p>Cryptocurrencies are an asset class. Every</p>

**COOLEY**  
1:45 pm - 2:45 pm

**THE FIRST LEGAL DELAWARE  
DAO; A BLOCKCHAIN BANK; AND  
A HEADLESS EQUITY-TOKEN  
SALE: ADVANCED TOPICS IN  
CRYPTO-LAW**

If you want to hear lawyers lecture on blockchain regulations, feel free to nap through a panel. Then, join this roundtable talk on the disruptive businesses you could actually build using the new laws that are about to reshape the market. Cooley's Blockchain Technology team will lead a discussion on some of tomorrow's most disruptive opportunities. Some of it will be weird.

**CHAIN**  
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

**CHAIN DEMOS IVY: SECURE  
SMART CONTRACTS FOR  
FINANCE**

The Chain team will introduce Ivy, its high-level language for writing secure smart contracts. Chain's engineers will then live code several smart contracts for different use cases to demonstrate how to programmatically control value on Chain's blockchain platform.

**THROUGHBIT (Cont'd)**  
1:45 pm - 2:45 pm

asset class has been and will continue to be traded. The methodology and the techniques used in conventional trading have been passed on to trading in cryptocurrencies, stalling the possible innovations.

A disruptive product deserves disruptive tools. The complexity of cryptocurrencies coupled with its volatility has kept the larger populace from getting in.

This round table will give you an insight into the

- usage of blockchain for effective hedging for the common man
- possibility of making trade orders with 'zero' balance
- true price control for traders.

**CITI**  
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

**STRATEGIES FOR BUILDING  
MINIMUM VIABLE ECOSYSTEMS**

Learn how Citi Ventures and several of its partners including Cisco, IDEO and others work to unlock opportunities in blockchain by developing minimum viable ecosystems through cross-sector partnerships

**DASH**  
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

**DASH PRESENTS: HOW  
CRYPTOCURRENCY WILL  
EXPAND FROM NICHE TO  
MAINSTREAM**

Dash, short for Digital Cash, is one of the most popular digital currencies. Dash has pioneered a number of firsts in digital currencies, including the first and longest-lived Decentralized Autonomous Organization (DAO), the first instant confirmations, the first optional transaction privacy feature, the first two-tier and incentivized network infrastructure, the first self-funding mechanism, and the first explicit voting-based governance structure. This continuous innovation, focused on the consumer and merchant, has made Dash a leading cryptocurrency with a fast-growing ecosystem of services integrating Dash natively alongside Bitcoin.

In an interactive presentation, Ryan Taylor, CEO of Dash Core, will articulate why cryptocurrency is in its general infancy today, while detailing the steps necessary to make digital currencies commonly utilized payments instruments in the future.

The session will explore the strengths and weaknesses of the Bitcoin protocol, the low hanging fruit that the next generation of blockchain-based currencies have captured, the solutions necessary for every party in a value chain to embrace digital currency, and how Dash will maintain a rapid Evolution.

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## TUESDAY, MAY 23, 2017

Moderator **(M)**  
 Host **(H)**  
 Presenter **(P)**  
 Judge **(J)**

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<p><b>COGNIZANT</b> 10:30 am - 11:30 am</p> <p><b>DRIVING THE FUTURE OF CAPITAL MARKET &amp; GLOBAL TRADE WITH BLOCKCHAIN: A LIVE DEMO OF COGNIZANT'S DLT SOLUTIONS</b></p> <p>In late 2016, Cognizant embarked on a mission to go beyond the media hype to perform primary research to discover where the banking and financial services market truly is regarding distributed ledger technologies. Come hear Cognizant's take on how the industry can now act on DLT as Cognizant presents a live showcase of two solutions for capital markets and global trade.</p>	<p><b>PERKINS COIE</b> 10:30 am - 11:30 am</p> <p><b>INTERACTIVE ROUNDTABLE: HOW TO SOLVE THE DIGITAL IDENTITY PROBLEM</b></p> <p>Where the "Building a Foundation for Decentralized Identity" panel on Monday looked at digital identity from a technological angle this roundtable will address digital identity from a policy, legal, business, and governance angle. Today, a person's digital identity is fragmented across the numerous providers of services that rely on all or part of the person's identity to deliver services. Maintaining multiple digital identities across the Internet creates privacy and security risks and also poses significant challenges for businesses that need to accurately verify a person's identity for business and regulatory compliance reasons. Distributed ledger technology offers a potential solution as it allows for the creation of a decentralized, portable, secure, and entirely user-controlled online identity system, often referred to as self-sovereign identity. The use cases for self-sovereign identity are numerous: from helping users regain control and privacy over their digital identities, helping refugees that have lost or do not have state-issued credentials safely and privately identify themselves, to allowing businesses and governments to streamline processes that improve efficiency. Hear from our panelists as they discuss the evolution of self-sovereign identity and its potential to shape how digital identity is addressed around the world.</p>	<p><b>BITGO</b> 10:30 am - 11:30 am</p> <p><b>A BLOCKCHAIN FOR EVERY ASSET, STARTING WITH \$1B IN ROYAL MINT GOLD</b></p> <p>2017 is the year that any asset can be digitized, traded on a blockchain and secured with functional digital wallets. The revolution has just begun. CEO Mike Belshe will describe BitGo's approach to building the blockchain for Royal Mint Gold in partnership with CME Group and AlphaPoint. He will also describe his vision for what comes next on the digital asset frontier.</p>
<p><b>DELOITTE</b> 11:45 am - 12:45 pm</p> <p><b>TAKING BLOCKCHAIN LIVE</b></p> <p>Blockchain will be bigger than imagined, but is harder than expected. We have identified 20 essential questions to consider in order to go beyond Proof of Concept and will discuss them as a group. Addressing these questions early will increase the chances of successfully harvesting the benefits of blockchain.</p>	<p><b>RSK</b> 11:45 am - 12:45 pm</p> <p><b>RSK GLOBAL RELEASE ROUNDTABLE</b></p> <p>Join us to learn more about RSK. We'll show how to program smart contracts powered by Bitcoin. We'll discuss how to merge-mine RSK, partners, solution providers, RSK University and the Ambassador</p>	<p><b>BLOCKSTACK</b> 1:45 pm - 2:45 pm</p> <p><b>HOW TO BUILD ON THE NEW DECENTRALIZED INTERNET WITH BLOCKSTACK</b></p> <p>LBLOCKSTACK is a full stack for building decentralized apps where users control their identity, storage, and payments, and where apps run without remote servers on a new decentralized internet. Cofounders Muneeb Ali and Ryan Shea will go through why the internet is broken, how Blockstack is built to increase user safety and freedom on the internet and will demo Blockstack for building apps on the decentralized internet.</p>
<p><b>AUSTRADE</b> 1:45 pm - 2:45 pm</p> <p><b>THE AUSTRALIAN BLOCKCHAIN ECOSYSTEM</b></p> <p>A discussion on Australian leadership in emerging blockchain standards, regulation and proof-of-concept experience. Led by Nick Giurietto, CEO of the Australian Digital Currency Commerce Association with panelists from the legal and accelerator community and a view from startups in the Australian ecosystem.</p>	<p><b>IBM</b> 11:45 am - 12:45 pm</p> <p><b>BLOCKCHAIN IS A TEAM SPORT – "SPARK" YOUR NETWORK IN IBM'S GARAGE</b></p> <p>The IBM Bluemix Garage for blockchain is where it all comes together. The Garage</p>	

## ACCENTURE

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

### THE LAST MILE TO A COMPLETE BLOCKCHAIN-BASED DISTRIBUTED IDENTITY

## IBM (Cont'd)

11:45 am - 12:45 pm

brings blockchain innovation services, business leaders, technical architects and developers who want to gain a deeper understanding of the technology together. Blockchain development consulting provides a deep study of use cases and an understanding of blockchain risk that can help your team take concepts to production. Join the conversation with IBM Blockchain experts to learn about how to create ideas with the IBM Design Thinking method, and how to develop a blockchain application with your team in an agile manner.

## GIGA WATT

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

### BITCOIN FOR UNDER \$500. REALITY FOR A PERSONAL MINER AND A MAJOR INVESTOR

A cryptominer's thorny path: high entrance threshold, economic dependence on price and investment surges, high power rates, hidden costs, and other unforeseen obstacles. Cryptomining leaves no room for error, and the key question is how can someone with just a thousand – or several million dollars – succeed in it. Come and learn if you can still mine successfully from home, which cryptocurrencies you should choose, and what it costs to mine nowadays.

Presentation 'Mining facility for pennies'  
Jenia Kokotuha - Head of Business Development, Cryptonomos  
Tokenization of cryptomining infrastructure and minimization of mining costs is the name of the game. Come and learn if it's possible to build a long-term business on mining, how you can get into professional mining with just several thousand dollars to shell out, how to further slash costs in large-scale mining, and how to generate income from cryptomining even if you aren't into mining yourself.

## EOS

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

### A NEW ECONOMIC INFRASTRUCTURE

Smart Governance and scalability are the next major challenges in the conversation on Smart Contracts. We will demystify smart contracts and enable you to understand the future of self-governing blockchains. This panel will also discuss innovative approaches to building antifragile smart contracts that support horizontal scaling to millions of transactions per second.