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GLOBAL BLOCKCHAIN CONGRESS

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“ I wanted to extend my heartfelt gratitude to the entire Agora team for orchestrating such a first-class event. The caliber of both the founders and investors in attendance was truly exceptional, making the experience invaluable.

A special thank you specifically for the team’s meticulous coordination of all the meetings. Their efforts ensured that everything ran seamlessly.

David Robnett - Managing Director & Co-Founder, *Asset Token Ventures*



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GLOBAL BLOCKCHAIN CONGRESS

The Global Blockchain Congress is a closed-door, by invitation only, exclusive event that connects, via pre-arranged and pre-scheduled one-on-one meetings, crypto projects that are raising funds with pre-qualified investors from all over the world.

Cryptocurrency investment has been gaining traction in the UAE over recent years, driven by the country's favorable regulatory environment, increased interest in blockchain technology, and its ambition to become a global crypto hub.

The Global Blockchain Congress is a perfect platform for startups to meet, face to face, and one-on-one with the most active and engaging local, regional, and international investors.





The Global Blockchain Congress leverages the experience gained through the hosting of 14 editions of the event in Dubai, 1 edition in Vietnam, 1 edition in London, & 1 edition in Singapore to ensure maximum return on Investment for all of our sponsors.

This is not a conference nor an exhibition.

This is an exclusive, closed-door, congress between investors and hand-picked Blockchain projects looking to raise funds.

It is the only event of its kind and it will bring together qualified investors (VCs, Private Equity Firms, Family Offices, Crypto Funds, and High Networth Individuals) with blockchain startups looking to raise funds.

Our Events Across the Globe



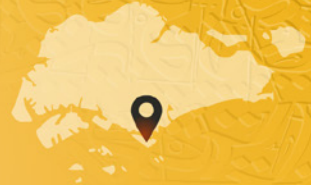
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WHAT MAKES THE GLOBAL BLOCKCHAIN CONGRESS DIFFERENT?

- The event is not a conference or an exhibition, it is an investment platform.
- The entire event is focused on pre-arranged meetings between you and qualified investors of your choice.
- This format guarantees the best return on investment of your time and money.
- Qualified investors (Family Offices, VCs, Private Equities, Crypto Funds, etc) will meet with you to explore the opportunities of investing in your company.

- 100 Investors with a combined budget of over 5 Billion Dollars.
- Only 20 Blockchain Startups will be introduced to the Investors.
- Live Streaming of all pitches with more than 10 thousand viewers.

**The premier event
connecting blockchain
innovators with leading
investors.**



HOW DOES IT WORK?



We bring the investors for you.



We qualify them for you.



We send you, 10 days prior to the event, a complete list of investors attending the event, including their company names, job titles, investment budget, and background info.



You choose the investors you want to have one-on-one meetings with during the event.



We arrange one-on-one meetings for you with the Investors of your choice & send you your personalized schedule before the event.

THIS IS HOW WE QUALIFY THE INVESTORS

The investors have all been qualified based on the following:



Each investor fills in a booking form that extracts important data for you: Their name and title, contact details, the name of the investment organization they represent, the type of investment organization they represent (VCs, Private Equity, Crypto Fund, Family Office, etc), their investment budget, the industries they invest in, their preferred mode of investment (token or equity) and their investment strategy (short-term or long-term focused).



They are the ultimate decision makers in the organization when it comes to investment decisions.



They are actively looking to invest in Blockchain Startups & Digital Assets.



They have a minimum investment budget of \$5 Million.



UAE: A Leading Global Crypto Hub in 2025

The UAE continues to lead globally in crafting a forward-looking regulatory environment for digital assets.

The Federal Tax Authority's exemption of cryptocurrencies and virtual assets from VAT has significantly increased their appeal to both retail and institutional investors. In a major step toward integrating blockchain into the national financial system, the Central Bank of the UAE granted in-principle approval for a dirham-backed stablecoin under its new Payment Token Service Regulation framework.

Dubai's Virtual Assets Regulatory Authority (VARA) has licensed over 1,000 crypto-related entities to date, helping position the UAE as a premier destination for blockchain innovation.

This regulatory clarity has also attracted substantial capital inflow. Prominent venture capital firms such as Cypher Capital, Further Ventures, Shorooq Partners, and Ghaf Capital Partners are actively investing in Web3 startups, further fueling the ecosystem. Abu Dhabi's MGX fund made headlines with its \$2 billion investment in Binance, one of the largest institutional crypto investments globally.

These strategic developments reflect the UAE's commitment to becoming a world-class hub for digital asset innovation and investment.





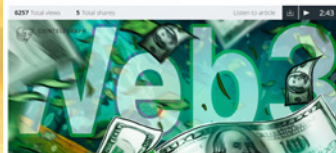
Abu Dhabi-backed investor buys into Binance with \$2 bln of crypto

By Elizabeth Howcroft and Federico Mancini
March 10, 2025, 3:19 PM GMT+2 Updated 2 months ago



Sigma Capital's \$100M fund plans to invest in 100 Web3 projects

The Dubai-based venture capital firm said it plans to invest in 100 early-stage Web3 projects, 25 liquid tokens and 10 fund-of-fund allocations.



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Animoca Brands to fund UAE startups with Dubai office launch



The Defiant

Maldives Signs \$9 Billion Deal With Dubai's MBS Global to Build Blockchain Hub in Malé, Exceeding GDP

The Maldives has signed a \$9 billion deal with Dubai-based MBS Global Investments to develop a blockchain and digital assets financial hub in Malé, the capital city

By: DeepNews • May 05, 2025



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RAK DAO partners with SuiHub MENA to capitalize on the UAE's web3 growth momentum

RAK DAO

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Bodhi Ventures

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NewTribe Capital

OKX Ventures

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Waterdrip Capital

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Wintermute

Woodstock Fund

YZi Labs

Zee Prime Capital

Program - Day 1: Thursday, October 30th, 2025

08:30 - 09:30 60 Minutes	Registration and Refreshments
09:30 - 09:35 5 Minutes	Opening Remarks - Welcome Note <i>Hadi Malaeb - Co-Founder & CEO, Agora Group</i>
09:35 - 10:05 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Web3 in the UAE: Building the World's Most Forward-Thinking Blockchain Ecosystem The UAE has rapidly positioned itself as a global hub for Web3 innovation, backed by a progressive regulatory framework and a government eager to embrace digital transformation. Entities like VARA and ADGM are creating a clear and supportive environment for blockchain and digital asset businesses, attracting leading global players to the region. Panelists will discuss the unique opportunities and remaining challenges of scaling Web3 adoption in the UAE, and why the country is becoming the launchpad of choice for the next generation of decentralized technologies.
10:05 - 10:25 20 Minutes	Title Sponsor Presentation
10:25 - 10:35 10 Minutes	Presentation
10:35 - 10:45 10 Minutes	Presentation
10:45 - 10:55 10 Minutes	Presentation
10:55 - 11:05 10 Minutes	Presentation
11:05 - 11:15 10 Minutes	Coffee Break & Networking Session

11:15 - 13:00 1hr 45 Minutes	Meeting 1 - 15 Minutes Meeting 2 - 15 Minutes Meeting 3 - 15 Minutes Meeting 4 - 15 Minutes	Meeting 5 - 15 Minutes Meeting 6 - 15 Minutes Meeting 7 - 15 Minutes
13:00 - 14:00 60 Minutes	Prayer Break & Lunch	
14:00 - 14:30 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Crypto's Next Chapter: From Hype to Fundamentals The crypto industry is entering a phase where real-world utility, sustainable models, and regulatory clarity take center stage. This panel explores how builders, investors, and institutions are shifting focus from speculation to substance.	
14:30 - 15:00 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Reimagining Infrastructure: How DePIN is Powering the Decentralized Future DePIN is reshaping how we think about physical infrastructure by leveraging blockchain to create decentralized, community-owned networks for everything from wireless internet to data storage and energy grids. This panel will explore the transformative potential of DePIN in Web3, where users can own and operate key infrastructure components, disrupting traditional models of centralized service providers.	

15:00 - 15:30 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Tokenizing the Future: Real-World Assets on the Blockchain The tokenization of real-world assets (RWAs) is opening up new frontiers for investment, liquidity, and asset management. This panel will explore how blockchain is enabling the fractionalization and democratization of traditionally illiquid assets such as real estate, commodities, art, and even intellectual property. With growing interest from institutional investors and global adoption, tokenized assets are poised to redefine ownership, offering greater accessibility, transparency, and efficiency in asset trading.	
15:30 - 15:45 15 Minutes	Coffee Break & Networking Session	
15:45 - 17:00 1hr 15 Minutes	Meeting 8 - 15 Minutes Meeting 9 - 15 Minutes Meeting 10 - 15 Minutes	Meeting 11 - 15 Minutes Meeting 12 - 15 Minutes
17:00	Chairman Closing Remark & End of Day One	

Program - Day 2: Friday, October 31st, 2025

09:00 - 09:30 30 Minutes	Registration and Refreshments
09:30 - 09:35 5 Minutes	Opening Remarks & Welcome from the Chairman of the Congress
09:35 - 10:05 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Unlocking the Power of AI & Blockchain: A New Era of Decentralized Innovation The convergence of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and blockchain is creating a new wave of innovation, unlocking powerful use cases across various industries. This panel will delve into how these two disruptive technologies can complement each other to enhance security, transparency, and efficiency.
10:05 - 10:35 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Securing Funding for Crypto Projects: Key Strategies Raising capital for crypto projects has become both an exciting and challenging endeavor in today's fast-evolving market. Experts will discuss the importance of regulatory compliance, building a solid community, and creating compelling value propositions to attract investors. In addition, panelists will explore what investors specifically look for when evaluating crypto projects, including team experience, tokenomics, scalability, and use case viability.
10:35 - 10:45 10 Minutes	Presentation
10:45 - 11:00 15 Minutes	Coffee Break & Networking Session

11:00 - 13:00 2 Hours	Meeting 13 - 15 Minutes Meeting 14 - 15 Minutes Meeting 15 - 15 Minutes Meeting 16 - 15 Minutes	Meeting 17 - 15 Minutes Meeting 18 - 15 Minutes Meeting 19 - 15 Minutes Meeting 20 - 15 Minutes
13:00 - 14:00 60 Minutes	Prayer Break & Lunch	
14:00 - 14:30 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Unlocking the Power of Decentralized Finance Decentralized Finance (DeFi) has redefined how we think about money, markets, and financial inclusion. But what does it really take to unlock its full potential? In this panel, leading innovators & investors will explore how DeFi is evolving from early experimentation to robust infrastructure that challenges traditional finance.	
14:30 - 15:00 30 Minutes	Panel Discussion Navigating the Future: Investment Trends in Web3 As Web3 continues to reshape industries, investors face both unprecedented opportunities and evolving challenges. This panel will explore the key trends driving the Web3 ecosystem in 2025, from decentralized finance (DeFi) to emerging verticals like DePIN, Gaming, and AI-integrated protocols.	

15:00 - 15:30
30 Minutes

Panel Discussion

Building a Sustainable Token Economy: Avoiding Hype, Ensuring Utility

In a market saturated with speculation and short-lived token models, sustainability and real-world utility have become the defining traits of long-term success. This panel will explore how projects can design token economies that go beyond hype, focusing on tangible value creation, user incentives, and long-term ecosystem growth.

15:30 - 15:45
15 Minutes

Coffee Break & Networking Session

15:45

The Global Blockchain Congress Awards Ceremony & Closing Remarks.

Attendees from the Previous Global Blockchain Congresses



5,450+

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Chief Executive Officer
*The Blockchain Center –
Abu Dhabi*



Alec Goh
Head
HTX Ventures



Alex Scott
Regional Lead
Superteam Middle East



Aly Madhavji
Managing Partner
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Amit Mehra
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Borderless Capital



Cristian Ulloa
CEO & Co-Founder
Liquid Loans



Dr. Jez Mohideen
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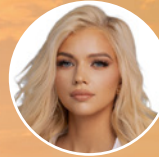
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Vineet Budki
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Executive Chairman & CEO
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Abdulla Al Dhaheri
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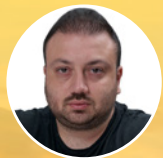
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We are at the early stages of a once-in-a-century transformation in financial services. The digital revolution driven by advances in AI, computing, and the datafication of everything is converging with blockchain, smart contracts, and tokenization. At their core, these are access and pricing technologies, providing not only efficiency but also an immutable and transparent audit trail.

This convergence is enabling the rise of new asset classes, including real-world assets (RWAs) and nature-based assets, as well as sovereign-supported, gold-backed, multi-country stablecoins potentially foreshadowing a digital Bretton Woods and a currency realignment.

Most importantly, these technologies will unlock the datafication and productization of the planet's natural assets. To save the planet, we must first learn to value it and this transformation provides the tools to do exactly that.



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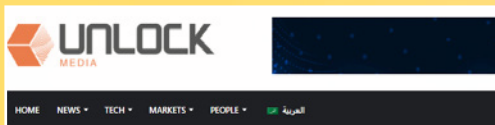
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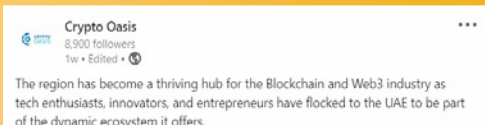
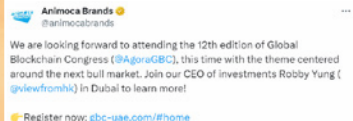
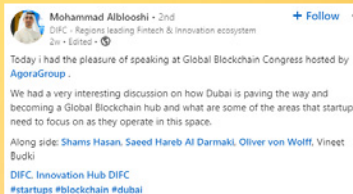
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UAE Agora and X Ventures launch Blockchain competition

The X Competition will give blockchain entrepreneurs the chance to win up to \$2 million in funding.

News Desk - 26 January 2022

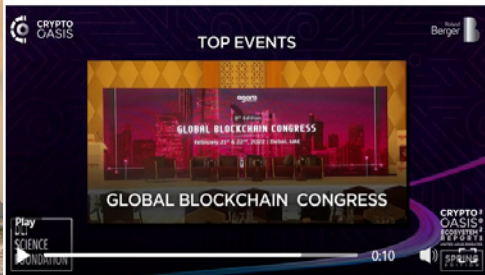
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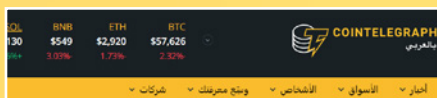


The region has become a thriving hub for the Blockchain and Web3 industry as tech enthusiasts, innovators, and entrepreneurs have flocked to the UAE to be part of the dynamic ecosystem it offers.

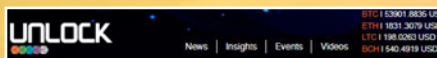
Download a copy of the Crypto Oasis ecosystem report to delve deep into the industry's most influential events. <https://t.ly/joni>

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UAE Agora Group pave the way for Blockchain startups to meet with MENA investors



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Cypher Capital Signs Strategic Investment Deal with [Prasaga](#)

We are happy to collaborate with [Prasaga](#), a designer of the next evolution of blockchain architecture. We signed the agreement yesterday at the Global Blockchain Congress.

Thanking the entire [Prasaga](#) team and the [AgoraGroup](#) for the great event.

David Beberman
Michael Holdmann
Jay Moore
Bijan Alizadeh



After Dubai, Vietnam is the first country selected to host the Global Blockchain Conference

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The 10th Global Blockchain Congress (GBC - Global Blockchain Congress) will be held in Vietnam on July 11 & 12, 2022. Besides Dubai, Vietnam is the first country selected to host the event.

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VietTimes - Ông Hadi Malaeb - nhà sáng lập, CEO của Agora Group - đã khẳng định như vậy tại Hội nghị Blockchain Thế giới, khai mạc sáng nay, ngày 11/7, tại Hà Nội.

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Agora have seen the vision prior to that being a vision in Dubai when they were hosting the GBC when Crypto was still seen as something negative. What they have done has been super successful in navigating the storm and what we see today at the GBC is just brilliant with so many great minds & amazing projects coming together all under one roof.

There was a real vibrant atmosphere and everyone understood that we are in a building phase and we were able to have this togetherness all down to the amazing Agora team for putting this show together and making everything flow so smoothly.

Mohamed Ezeldin - Head of Tokenomics, *Animoca Brands*



Agora has exceed my expectations on how a Project-VC event should be organized. The meetings were well organized, well paced and every project was given sufficient time to introduce their concepts to the VCs, with enough off time in between to socialize and mingle around with the rest of the participants. It was one of the events that I find that the fees was worth every dollar spent, and was happy to take away the experiences, lessons and contacts obtained in this 2 day event. It has been an honour to be invited by Agora to come and pitch Staynex at the event, and will be keen to attend future versions.

Bernard Lau - CEO & Co-Founder, *Staynex*



We had the privilege of joining the 14th Global Blockchain Congress (GBC) in Dubai. This premier event brought together top Web3 investors, entrepreneurs, and industry leaders, providing a unique platform to exchange insights and forge meaningful connections.

We had the opportunity to connect with key leaders shaping the Web3 landscape and discover innovative founders leveraging MENA's strengths to drive blockchain adoption. Their fresh perspectives and groundbreaking ideas reinforced the region's growing impact on the global Web3 ecosystem.

A big thank you to Agora Group for hosting this incredible event!

Takashi Hayashida - Managing Partner, *Taisu Ventures*



It has been my honour and privilege to have been invited to speak at and participate in the most prestigious and most innovative events in the web3 and Blockchain industry. I can confidently say, without fear or favor, that GBC matches these events stride for stride.

One simply needs to look at the luminaries in attendance to know how well regarded this event is and deservedly so.

I will be back next year as will the team from Cypher Capital Group. Agora remain best in class when it comes to arranging these events and their continuous striving to further improve their offering serves them exceedingly well.

Vineet Budki - CEO, *Sigma Capital*



We are thrilled to share our positive experience at our first attendance at the GBC. This event has proven to be an invaluable platform for forging personalized and tailored connections within the blockchain community. Unlike larger, overwhelming conferences, the GBC strikes the perfect balance in size, fostering an environment conducive to quality networking. This setting allowed us to engage meaningfully with key individuals who showed a genuine interest in our project. We are eagerly anticipating the next GBC. Our experience this year has set a high precedent, and we look forward to participating again!

Christian Trejo - CSO & Co-Founder, *BBACHain*



The 13th Agora's GBC was well-organized and offered plenty of opportunities to connect with fellow VCs and founders. On the project side, we are currently doing follow-ups with startups from my 1-on-1 meetings, several of which are showing promising potential.

On top of that, our portfolio projects participating in the event highlighted the exposure to a great number of VCs, ongoing investment conversations, and honest feedback. I'm not going to miss the next editions of GBC in Singapore and/or Dubai.

Petr Hluze - Investment Manager, *Black Alpha Capital*



The GBC event was probably one of the best investor conferences I have been to. A great venue, great attendee list, and excellent management. We met about 10 high quality investor leads on a 1-to-1 basis, who were looking to deploy money, and had lots of other networking opportunities throughout the event and into the evening.

The management team was fantastic, and arranged a number of ad-hoc meetings for us. Every need was attended to, and staff were fun, friendly and focused on helping us to raise funds. Overall an excellent event, and couldn't recommend it enough. 5 stars!

James Dunthorne - Founder & CEO, *Neuron*



This is the 4th time that we have participated in Agora's GBC and Agora's team have been nothing but utmost welcoming & very helpful to our project! Every time that we were working on a fundraiser, we've been treated very kindly and they've been bringing investors and helping our project grow. The level of follow-up after the events are very critical and they've been doing an excellent job both pre and post event. I couldn't recommend the Global Blockchain Congress more.

Neil Kapoor - Business Development, *Casper Labs*



The Congress coincided with the Token2049 event and for or us the whole experience of GBC was our most fruitful event.

The process of pairing investors with projects 1:1 was an excellent way to build relationships with the investor communities, leading to focused follow ups. Thanks to Agora for a great event, starting with our arrival to the event on day one, and ending with our award. I recommend the GBC to any serious project out there.

Brendan McKittrick - Founder & CEO, *AEROBLOC*



As the Head of Business Development at Cointelegraph Accelerator, my role involves attending numerous significant conferences annually. This extensive travel schedule often leads to experiences with overcrowded events, which can be quite exhausting. However, I was pleasantly surprised by the high caliber of attendees at the recent GBC conference. The event's selective audience truly set it apart. Notably, two of our portfolio companies from the Cointelegraph Accelerator have garnered substantial preliminary commitments following their participation in this conference. We are now eagerly anticipating the conversion of these commitments into actual investments.

Anna Shakola - Business Development Manager, *Cointelegraph Accelerator*



The experience at this event was amazing! Everything was more than well arranged. We were promised at least 10 meetings with investors but it was closer to 20! The difference between other events and Agora is that everyone knows why they are there. 1 side comes to raise funds, the other side is searching for a project to put their funds in. I can advise EVERYONE to go to the next one. Met incredibly interesting people. In one word "amazing".

Randy van Brien - CEO, *Bitsliced*



When we participated in the 1st edition of the Global Blockchain 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 - CEO, *Woonkly*



Embarking on a 16-hour journey from Brazil to attend this event wasn't a simple feat for our startup. However, from the moment we set foot here, the rapport established with prospective venture capitalists worldwide has been remarkably encouraging.

Now, as we return home, we do so with more than just promising conversations; we carry the weight of over 12 major venture capitalists expressing keen interest in our venture, eagerly scheduling follow-up discussions. I would like to extend heartfelt gratitude to the organizers of the GBC for their tireless efforts in orchestrating such a remarkable gathering. Your dedication has provided us with invaluable opportunities, and for that, we are sincerely thankful.

Lucas Schoch - Founder & CEO, *BWS*



The Global Blockchain Congress was an incredibly efficient and high-impact event. In just two days, we connected with top-tier investors and made the most of every moment to achieve our goals. We also met outstanding startups that are driving innovation in the industry. The event was exceptionally well-organized, with comprehensive materials that made follow-ups seamless. Overall, a fantastic experience!

William Hsu - CSO, *FinTax*



I am very pleased about the performance and success of the Agora Global Blockchain Congress event! You feel all the efforts and dedication that the team put into turning this conference into a hit! From the registration counter, to the main stage where they picked the best panelists and to the section where start-ups pitch to investors all was very well done! It is truly a quality conference.

Feras Al Sadek - Managing Partner, *Ghaf Capital Partners*



The quality of investors was exceptional, providing great networking and partnership opportunities. The arrangements were equally impressive, making the event smooth and enjoyable. It was one of the most productive events for InvoiceMate and will definitely be part of the next one.

Muhammad Salman Anjum - CEO, *InvoiceMate*



It was truly a pleasure to be part of such a well-organized and high-caliber event.

I was particularly impressed with the quality of discussions, the caliber of investors and projects in attendance, and the structured approach to facilitating meaningful connections.

The Agora team did an excellent job curating a platform that fosters real engagement and strategic opportunities.

Overall, it was a fantastic event, and I appreciate the opportunity to connect with key industry stakeholders. I look forward to future collaborations with Agora and seeing how the congress continues to evolve.

Jimi Ibrahim - CBDO, *IOPn*



The 2nd SEA edition of the GBC in Singapore was awesome! Curated, small number, cozy environment for unique networking, well-designed 1-1 speed meeting with founders.

It was a great experience at one of the nicest venues in Singapore, with a curated crowd. Well done—we made valuable connections and found several potential investment opportunities.

Steve Lee - Co-Founder & Managing Partner, *Neoclassic Capital*



Pitches are good and all, but have you ever sat on a table for 8 hours with 30 minutes one-on-one meetings with 50 rotating investors? Agora is next level. I went to this conference last year, and it was like speed dating with investors. THIS IS EXACTLY HOW IT SHOULD BE. If you're in #Dubai or can get there, and are looking to raise funds for your project, this is your jam.

Nikita Sachdev - Co-Founder, *Luna Media Corporation*



I always admire the events organized by the Agora Group and the Global Blockchain Congress was one such initiative. Being a partner at NewTribe Capital, we always struggle finding new investment opportunities in the top growing startups that could deliver us long term benefits but the 1 on 1 format implemented by this event was unique and very efficient indeed. I'd recommend this as a must attend event.

Juliet Su - Partner, *NewTribe Capital*

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- Partner recognition as Strategic Partner during event opening.
- 10 minute keynote speech in front of all attendees.
- Live online streaming of your presentation.
- Branded corporate table inside the one-on-one meetings room.
- 20 one-on-one meetings with investors.
- Partner’s logo and branding as Strategic Partner on all marketing material at the event.
- 4 partner’s representatives to attend the event including full access to the conference agenda, gala dinner, cocktail reception, breakfast, 4 coffee breaks, and lunch.

Post-Event Deliverables

- Edited video file of your presentation.
- Access to high level post-event report.
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Strategic Partner

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Live Event Deliverables

- Sponsor of the Coffee Break.
- Partner recognition as Strategic Partner during event opening.
- 10 minute keynote speech in front of all attendees.
- Live online streaming of your presentation.
- Branded corporate table inside the one-on-one meetings room.
- 20 one-on-one meetings with investors.
- Partner’s logo and branding as Strategic Partner on all marketing material at the event.
- 3 partner’s representatives to attend the event including full access to the conference agenda, gala dinner, cocktail reception, breakfast, 4 coffee breaks, and lunch.

Post-Event Deliverables

- Edited video file of your presentation.
- Access to high level post-event report.
- Database of all delegates.

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Live Event Deliverables

- Partner recognition as Gold Sponsor during event opening.
- 10 minute keynote speech in front of all attendees.
- Live online streaming of your presentation.
- Branded corporate table inside the one-on-one meetings room.
- 15 one-on-one meetings with investors.
- Partner's logo and branding as Gold Sponsor on all marketing material at the event.
- 3 partner's representatives to attend the event including full access to the conference agenda, gala dinner, cocktail reception, breakfast, 4 coffee breaks, and lunch.

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Live Event Deliverables

- Partner recognition as Silver Sponsor during event opening.
- Branded corporate table inside the one-on-one meetings room.
- 12 one-on-one meetings with investors.
- Partner's logo and branding as Silver Sponsor on all marketing material at the event.
- 2 partner's representatives to attend the event including full access to the conference agenda, gala dinner, cocktail reception, breakfast, 4 coffee breaks, and lunch.

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- Database of all delegates.

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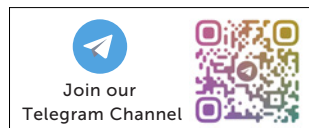
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- Full database of attending investors with their names, position, contact details and breakdown of their budget and investment appetite 10 days before the event's date.

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- Partner recognition as Bronze Sponsor during event opening.
- Branded corporate table inside the one-on-one meetings room.
- 8 one-on-one meetings with investors.
- Partner's logo and branding as Bronze Sponsor on all marketing material at the event.
- 1 partner representative to attend the event including full access to the conference agenda, gala dinner, cocktail reception, breakfast, 4 coffee breaks, and lunch.

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