**Week 2, Lesson 1 Resources: Smart Contracts.**

The following resources were selected to provide an overview of the topic of Smart Contracts. We would like to acknowledge the authors of the various web articles, videos, and papers for their insightful discussions and analytics which help formed the basis for some sections of the lessons and modules.

**Title of resource:**[**Smart Contracts: The Blockchain Technology That Will Replace Lawyers**](https://blockgeeks.com/guides/smart-contracts/)

Resource type: Website

Description: Article explains what smart contracts are and how they allow for the disposal of intermediaries which will saves time and conflict for governments and corporations.

**Title of resource:**[**Introduction to Smart Contracts**](http://solidity.readthedocs.io/en/develop/introduction-to-smart-contracts.html)

Resource type: Website

Description: Introduction to the basics of smart contracts and solidity.

**Title of resource:**[**What is Ethereum?**](http://ethdocs.org/en/latest/introduction/what-is-ethereum.html)

Resource type: Website

Description: Introduction to Ethereum, Ethereum Virtual Machine, and how they work.