

Graph Advocates Spotlight

Issue #5

Welcome back to the Graph Advocates Spotlight! This week we are showcasing Advocates [Tony Wang](#) and [Vasily Istomin](#).

But first, lets take a quick look at this week's updates in The Graph ecosystem.

Community Roundup

- 14 new Graph Advocates joined the community during Wave 4. Congratulations and a warm welcome to all the new Advocates!
- There are now 29 Community Grant applications under review in [the Forum](#). Your feedback is critical to the review process! So be sure to review each one and post your questions and/or feedback for the applicants.
- [Indexer Office Hours #72](#)
- [GRTiQ Episode #75 with Alejandro Machado](#)
- Community Talk #14
- The Graph Foundation's [Messari Blog Post](#)



Upcoming AdvocatesDAO Events

Workshop: [Soulbound Studio](#)

Date: 8/23/2022

Time: 7am PST

Hosted By: Marcus Rein

Code Along: [Learn Kubernetes Basics](#)

Date: 8/20/2022

Time: 2pm PST

Hosted By: Pakaliscious

Learning Series: [An Intro to Edge & Node](#)

Date: 8/24/2022

Time: 10am PST

Hosted By: Nick Hansen

Reminder: [Subscribe to the Graph Advocates Calendar](#) to stay up to date on all Graph AdvocatesDAO events!



Advocate Spotlight

- **Name:** Tony Wang
- **Advocate Role(s):** Text Translator
- **Region:** Singapore
- **Advocate Wave:** Wave 1
- **Social Media Handles:** jlzxwt8#9506 (Discord)
- **Background:** I previously worked as an e-commerce search product manager in Shopee@Singapore, and now work as a data platform product manager in crypto mining service company, entering the Web 3 industry to learn and grow better. My main goal is to promote the Graph ecosystem in the Chinese community, especially in Singapore.



What inspired you to select the Advocate role(s) you've chosen?

1. The demand: High quality Chinese documentation is very useful because there are a lot of Chinese developers who would like to enter the Web 3 industry; 2. The supply: In addition to grasping both Chinese and English, I also have search product management experience, familiar with indexing and querying concept, which allows me to understand the Graph protocol easily.

What would you like to accomplish as a Graph Advocate?

1. Help more people in Chinese community to know the Graph and to use related service; 2. Learn both protocol knowledge and the way to work in a DAO.

What is a current challenge you think web3 will solve?

Big internet companies take advantage of user data to make money while the user could not share the earning.

Why is web3 important to you?

Enable everyone to own the data really and improve the efficiency of trade.

Which of your fellow Advocates would you like to shout out? Why or how did they help you?

Ørjan | Slimchance. Although he is very busy, he is patient to share info and help members in the community. And help aggregate important link and reference for new joiners to learn.

Reminder: You can be showcased in the Graph Advocates Spotlight by completing this questionnaire.



Advocate Spotlight

- **Name:** Vasily Istomin
- **Advocate Role(s):** Community Care, Content Creator, Text Translator
- **Region:** Europe
- **Advocate Wave:** Wave 2
- **Social Media Handles:** nltrog3n#5776 (Discord)
- **Background:** I am a team member of StakeCraft Validator. Our team consists of geeks with vast experience in developing and managing digital data and has a rich technical background



Why is web3 important to you?

Web3 is the internet owned by the builders and users, orchestrated with tokens. Web3 enables a future where distributed users and machines are able to interact with data, value and other counterparties via a substrate of peer-to-peer networks without the need for third parties. The result: a composable human-centric & privacy preserving computing fabric for the next wave of the web.

What Advocate contribution are you most proud of?

I help the Russian-speaking community by helping to find answers to users' questions.

What is a current challenge you think web3 will solve?

Web3 will decentralize the data. Because right now businesses hold our data and can use it to be commercialized and to manipulate public opinion.

What inspired you to select the Advocate role(s) you've chosen?

I am a supporter of The Graph since the testnet in which I held top15 place... I am inspired by the whole idea which The Graph brings into the World.

Which of your fellow Advocates would you like to shout out? Why or how did they help you?

Colson. Very smart and has good knowledge of The Graph and crypto in general.

Fun Fact: "Mission Control", the testnet for The Graph launched on July 27, 2020.



Data Depot: Epoch 589

Welcome back to Data Depot! Here we share the key weekly metrics of The Graph protocol. You can find additional network data on [The Graph Explorer](#).



DELEGATORS	
Total Stake	1.8B GRT
Rewards	261.1M GRT
Received Query Fees	181.6K GRT
Total Delegators	9452

INDEXERS	
Total Stake	1.0B GRT
Rewards	200.8M GRT
Claimed Query Fees	163.9K GRT
Total Indexers	167

CURATORS	
Auto-migrated signal	5.4M GRT
Version specific signal	1.3K GRT
Total Signal	5.4M GRT
Royalties - Query Fees	67.5K GRT
Total Curators	2450

Weekly Highlights

New Subgraphs

New Advocates

Indexer Rewards

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200m

Total Mainnet Subgraphs: 438

