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The dust settles on the Training Ground just moments after the beating hooves of the aspiring racers' horses trample the finish line. The warm up lap of the WRLD Leagues Try Outs is complete, the racers take their starting positions. Out of the six finalists, only two will make it through to compete in the 1000th WRLD Leagues and race for honour across the Nine Kingdoms of Phaethon.

But something rests heavy in the air. A millennium of peace between the Kingdoms has seen the people forget what this ancient tradition represents.

When all is lost to greed, vanity and self indulgence, and mankind's future is clouded with despair... there is only one hope for the Nine Kingdoms. A young stable worker with a desire to follow in their father's footsteps. But destiny has other intentions.

Will you adopt your true path? Or fall into the burning night? The fate of the Nine Kingdoms, of Mankind... of your father... rests in your hands. Will you succeed?

Neighh everyone!

Thanks for stopping by and checking out the \$WRLD Horses White Paper. In this document you find everything you need to know about \$WRLD Horses Alpha Launch, our Genesis Horse Collection and how you can get involved. It will also give an overview of what you can expect from \$WRLD Horses in the future!

\$WRLD Horses is a Horse Racing metaverse in the NFT Worlds' ecosystem. The metaverse is centred around the multiplayer experience of Horse Racing and is open to everyone through our Free to Play Races. However, if you want unlock the full experiences of \$WRLD Horses you must own a Horse NFT. This gives you access to Competitive Races, where you can compete for \$WRLD, and the Story Mode where you can complete quests rewarded in \$WRLD.

\$WRLD Horses was created by Benn King and James Meteyard, two IRL lifelong friends now living and working in London, England. We are big believers in the power of blockchain technology and its ability to revolutionise the gaming industry. We immediately saw the potential with NFT Worlds, minting one and buying two more soon after. A key focus for us is simplicity and accessibility. We want to create engaging gameplay for avid gamers who live online, as well as casual players who would like to play a few games here and there with their mates.

The expansive metaverse of \$WRLD Horses is waiting to be unlocked. If you have any questions or want to know more, please head to our Discord or Twitter channels and ask questions there. You're sure to get a response soon enough!



THE ALPHA TRACK

The Alpha Track, Training Ground, is where legends are made. Here, players will learn everything they need to know to enter the Nine Kingdoms of Phaeton in our Full Build.

In the first instance, we will launch the Multiplayer experience, with Casual and Competitive races, as well as one quest, to introduce the storyline. We will then release the full Alpha quest line in Q3. Following this, we will collect feedback from our community which will inform the full build.

In the Training Ground players will be able to:

- **Race in Casual Races.** These are free to play horse racers and are open to anyone! Players will all race on a standardised horse and there will be no \$WRLD rewards. This is so new players can get a feel for the metaverse before they invest any of their money.
- **Race in Competitive Races.** Players wager 10 \$WRLD each and the winner takes all minus a 5% House Fee which goes to the Treasury. Players must own a Horse NFT to race in these races. The Horse NFT will display its unique skin in-game and apply its unique set of stats.
- **Follow the Campaign Story Mode.** \$WRLD Horses has a story mode which is based around the multiplayer experience. Players can follow the a quest line which rewards them with \$WRLD. Players must own a Horse NFT to participate in the quest line.
- **Participating in the experience socially.** \$WRLD Horses is all about community and coming together over our love of horse racing. We will incentivise social gatherings, based around the multiplayer experience, with \$WRLD rewards from the Treasury.
- **Purchase in-game items which will effect your performance in Competitive Races e.g. speed potions.** Speed potions can be used once per race and give your horse a 5 second speed boost.
- **Show off your Horse NFT around the map to friends and competitors before taking them into a race.**
- **Compete on a leaderboard with monthly \$WRLD rewards given to players holding the top positions.**



GENESIS HORSE NFTS

Genesis Horses are a collection of 6969 Unique Custom Minecraft Horse skins generated as NFTs. Each NFT comes with its own unique set of visual traits ranked by rarity. Also, built into the metadata is a unique set of stats which will affect your horse's performance. Both the visual traits and the stats will be applied to your horse when you race in-game. We're giving 5000 Genesis Horses away for free (+gas)! White List holders will be able to mint 5 Genesis Horses and enjoy all of that utility for next to nothing. After the WL minting window has closed we will open the public sale at 0.069 ETH per Genesis Horse. The Genesis Horse stats & visual traits are as follows:

- Speed - the top speed your Horse can reach.
- Acceleration - how quickly your Horse takes to get to top speed.
- Jump Strength - how high your Horse can jump
- Handling - how easy it is to control your Horse
- HP - how much health your Horse has.
- Base Body - your horses body, head and legs
- Body Pattern - a pattern that layers over the horse's body
- Mane & Tail - the colour of horse's main and tail
- Hooves - the colour of the horse's hooves.
- Eyes - the colour of the horse's eyes.
- Nose - the colour of the horse's nose

Immediate Utility

Horse NFTs are what powers \$WRLD Horses. Whilst some aspects of \$WRLD Horses will always be free to play, owning a Horse NFT will enable players to access the full features of the game. For the Alpha Track this includes:

- Participating in Wager Races. These races allow players to wager \$WRLD in the hope of winning the prize pool.
- Participating in the Story Mode. The Story Mode opens up the expansive world of Phaethon and allows players to earn \$WRLD whilst completing quests.



GENESIS HORSE FUTURE UTILITY

As well as granting access to the full features of the \$WRLD Horses metaverse, owning a Genesis Horse will bring other benefits to its holders.

Breeding

Each Genesis Horse NFT will either be male or female. Players can breed opposite-sex pairs to create a brand new Gen 1 Horse NFT. The new Gen 1 Horse NFT will adopt a combination of the stats and physical attributes of its parents. Breeding will take place in-game and players will receive the NFT directly to their wallets. However, each time a player breeds it they will need to pay gas fees. We are mitigating this by building the feature on the Polygon Network, which has significantly lower fees than the Ethereum Mainnet .

Staking

We will introduce Staking in Q3 which will reward players for locking their Horse NFTs into a staking contract. The rewards for this are undecided at the time of writing this. We are discussing \$WRLD, NFTs, lottery tickets or in-games items as rewards. We are still debating which model we think will best serve players. Players will still be able to race with their staked horses but won't be able to list them for sale or transfer them from that wallet until they unstake them, which players will be able to do at any time.

Renting

Players who stake their Horses will further be incentivised to rent them to other players, either to race or to breed. More information will be released on this soon.

Airdrops

Each Genesis Horse will be airdropped a Horse Armour NFT soon after the reveal date. This armour will be able to be worn in-game and will have an impact on the horses stats on the course. There will be future airdrops for Genesis Horse holders too, once we launch the full game.

Automatic White List

Genesis Horse Holders will automatically be added to the White List for minting Land in our full build. As well automatic White List for other NFT collections we have in the pipeline.



STORY MODE

\$WRLD Horses is set in the fantasy land of Phaethon which is divided into nine kingdoms. Every year, thousands gather to watch and celebrate the WRLD Leagues, as racers from each Kingdom compete to be crown a Champion Racer.

In the \$WRLD Horses story mode, players will start as a stable worker in the Training Ground (our Alpha Track), doing chores for Grandmaster Duke to prepare for the daily races, well as helping various characters around the Training Ground with their problems. But your ultimate goal is that you hope to follow in the footsteps of your father, who was a WRLD Leagues Champion Racer. As such, you have an ambition to win at the WRLD League try-outs and enter the 1000th annual WRLD Leagues.

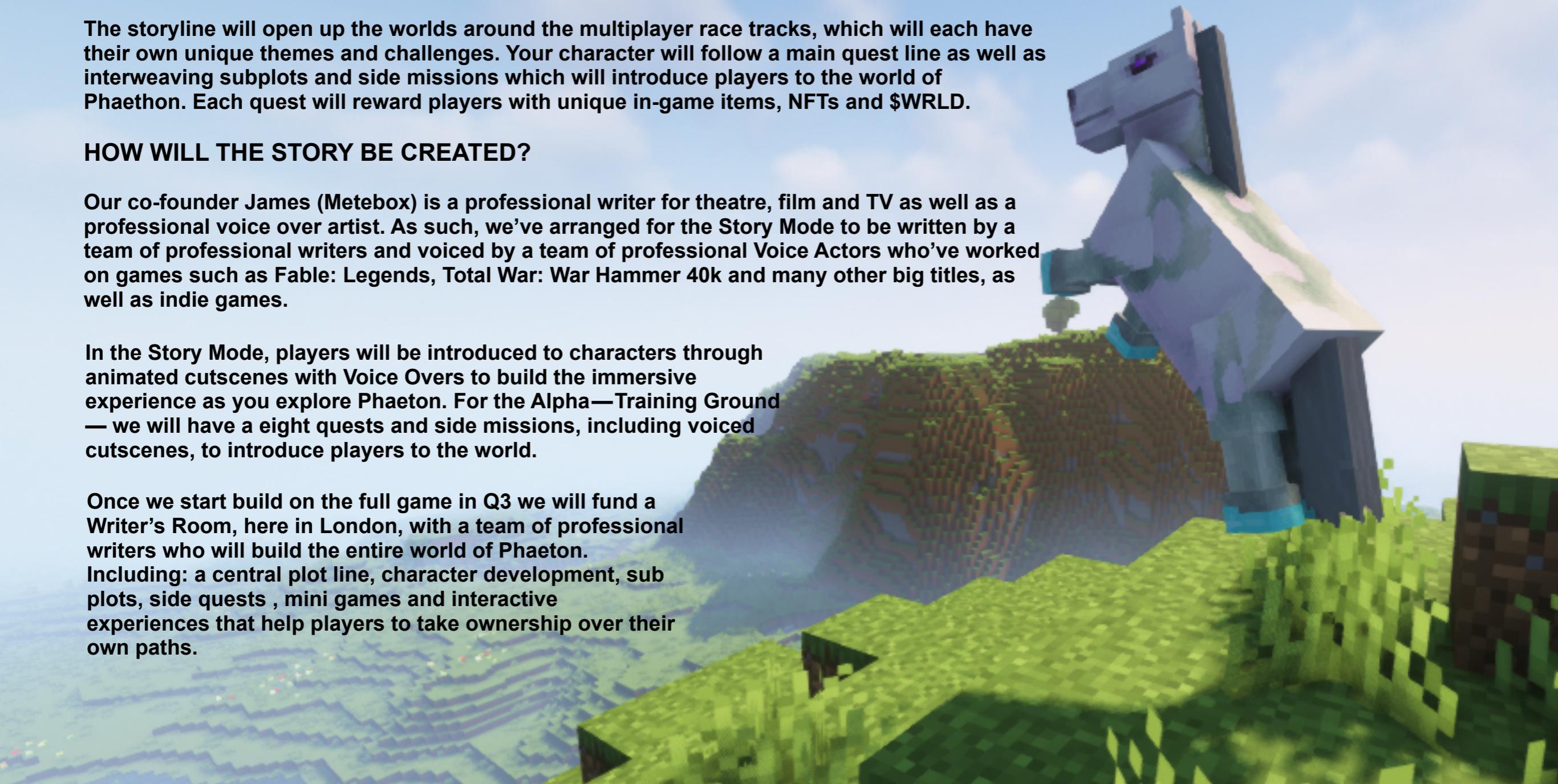
The storyline will open up the worlds around the multiplayer race tracks, which will each have their own unique themes and challenges. Your character will follow a main quest line as well as interweaving subplots and side missions which will introduce players to the world of Phaethon. Each quest will reward players with unique in-game items, NFTs and \$WRLD.

HOW WILL THE STORY BE CREATED?

Our co-founder James (Metabox) is a professional writer for theatre, film and TV as well as a professional voice over artist. As such, we've arranged for the Story Mode to be written by a team of professional writers and voiced by a team of professional Voice Actors who've worked on games such as Fable: Legends, Total War: War Hammer 40k and many other big titles, as well as indie games.

In the Story Mode, players will be introduced to characters through animated cutscenes with Voice Overs to build the immersive experience as you explore Phaeton. For the Alpha—Training Ground — we will have a eight quests and side missions, including voiced cutscenes, to introduce players to the world.

Once we start build on the full game in Q3 we will fund a Writer's Room, here in London, with a team of professional writers who will build the entire world of Phaeton. Including: a central plot line, character development, sub plots, side quests , mini games and interactive experiences that help players to take ownership over their own paths.



Business Model

We own three worlds and have commissioned Stellar Dev to complete the build of our Alpha Track. Next, we will mint our 6969 Genesis Horse NFTs and use the revenue earned from the mint price to fund the full build and start our Treasury.

We expect the Genesis NFTs to be highly competitive due to the strength of our core concept, the immediate in-game utility as well as the many benefits they will provide in the future. Our treasury will continue to draw its revenue from House Fees, royalties on secondary NFT sales, future NFT collections & the sale of in-game items.

There are also countless business opportunities available in the metaverse which we will continue to deliver. Breeding, training, advertising, land ownership, renting horses, private boxes etc will all be subject to their own House Fees to keep the economy balanced and players earning as they play. Below you can see how the Treasury funds will be distributed.

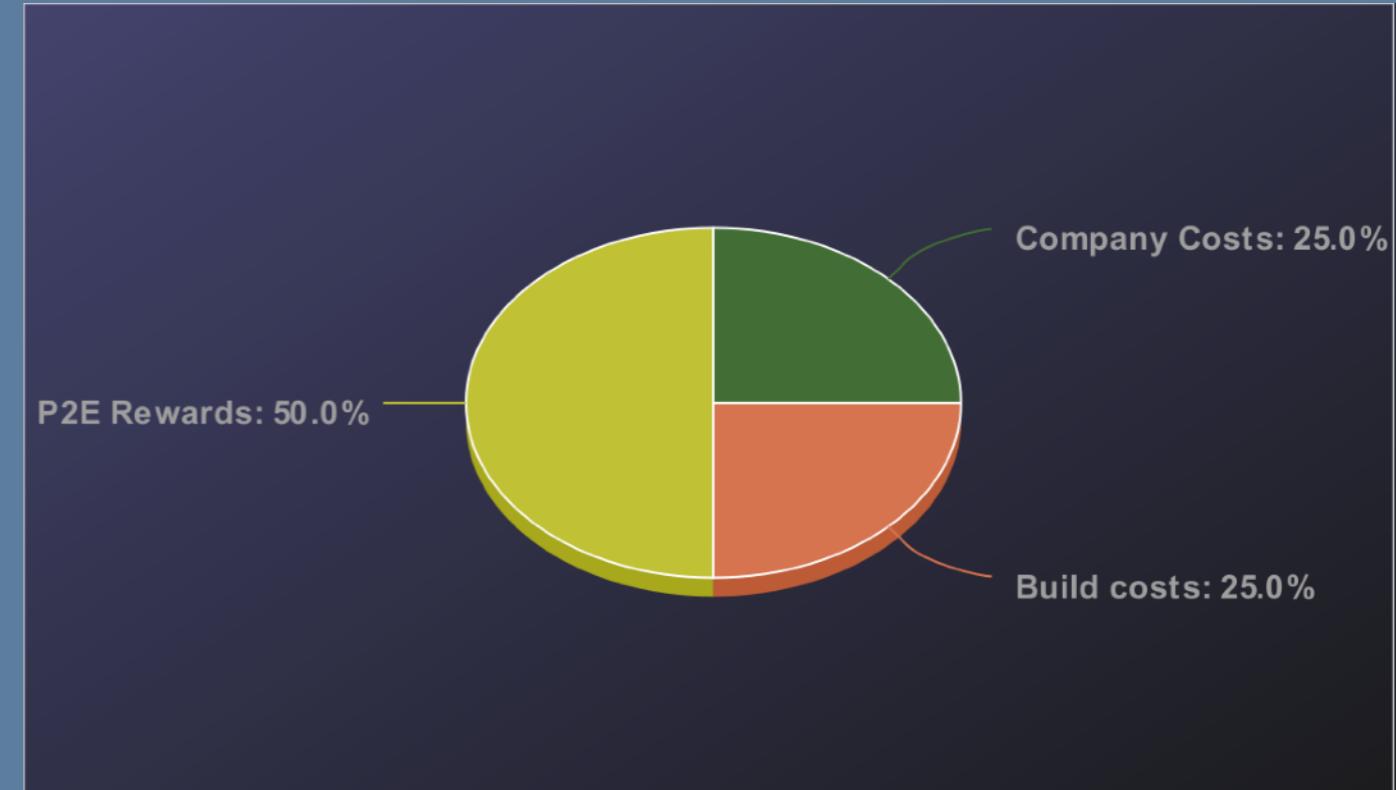
Exploitation

Sadly, we have seen some projects on the NFT Worlds Ecosystem becomes subject to exploitation via players finding loop holes in their P2E mechanics and ultimately draining their treasuries.

To prevent this, we have decided to apply a 'wager model' where players wager their own \$WRLD in the hope of winning more. Currently it's fixed at 10 \$WRLD per player, but as we grow the game we may look to create multiple options or make this configurable by players, so they can set their own wagers.

We have also applied a NFT wall, so players must own an NFT in order to participate in the features that allow them to earn. We believe the myriad of ways in which players can earn could easily amount to a redoubtable experience.

However, our game isn't intended for people to just make money. It's about providing engaging game play that rewards players for their time with incentives that have real world implications.



Betting

We currently do not have plans to include betting in the Alpha Track or Full Build. However, we may consider this in the future.

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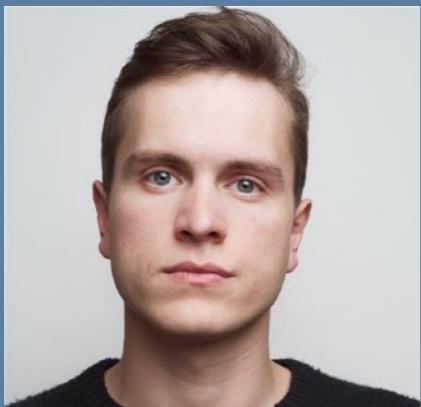
Co-Founders



Benn King

I am a web developer who just started working as a JS front-end developer for a golfing travel agency. I minted an NFT World because of the prospects of working with the JS layer/\$WRLD APIs and creating my own experiences for the metaverse. I've just started my Minecraft Development journey and have recently worked for a Microsoft partner... so it's not surprising that the documentation hasn't been kept up to date!

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James Meteyard

I am a writer and director for theatre and film and an avid gamer! I founded and ran a multi-award winning theatre company and arts charity here in London. I love creating worlds and impacting audiences with captivating art and engaging stories. I believe that part of crafting a successful metaverse draws on a lot of similar premises as making engaging art. I bring my creative mind, marketing experience and business skill set to the company and look forward to seeing how WRLD Horses develops.

Links

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