# ML + WebAssembly Working Group

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# Agenda

- Introductions
- Goals, structure
- High-level "problems"
- Discuss: other problems, requirements, use cases

## Introductions

- In one minute, please state:
  - your name
  - your company
  - your interest in wasi-nn

## Goals

- More community participation!
- Concretely, in the next six months:
  - move wasi-nn to phase 3
  - resolve key spec barriers to deployment
  - increase implementation robustness: more frameworks, more testing, more engines
  - move spec and implementations forward together
- Further out:
  - set the stage for future low-level extensions
  - ...

### Structure

Proposed: an informal W3C work group that feeds into the WASI subgroup

#### Some factors:

- There's precedent for this with the wasi-crypto working group
- Not all involved parties are BA members
- BA SIG would be more implementation-focused; spec work needed
- Keep administrative overhead low!

#### • Forum:

- Video meeting every 3 weeks (notes—where?)
- Review spec PRs on GitHub

## "Problems"

- Phase out WITX; progress with WIT (better language bindings!)
- Fix usability paper cuts (<u>names vs numbers</u>, <u>resources</u>, <u>errors</u>, <u>execution target</u>, etc.)
- Support LLMs (<u>bytes</u> vs string2tensor?)
- Unclear if immediately needed: metadata? alignment? model chaining?
- <your issue here>

Question: which of these is a priority for you to contribute to?

# Not yet "problems"

- Training—wasi-nn is still focused on inference
- WebNN compatibility—or does someone want to work on this?
- Low-level API—prepare for this, but not needed in the next six months?

• Proposed: we keep these in mind but focus on the previous "problems" for the next six months (community building)

## Open Discussion

- To set up future meeting discussions:
  - Other use cases?
  - Other requirements?
  - Other critical problems?