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Summary

James Young and Natascha Tiotuico discussed Phase One of their project, focusing on building a digital twin and an onboarding agent, wherein James Young clarified the revised onboarding strategy where Mother DAO members would first create their digital twin on Gaia and then enter their inference node URL using a Discord `\`/start\`` command, simplifying implementation due to limited resources. Natascha Tiotuico was confirmed as the PM/QA for Phase One and will start building the onboarding agent on Gaia, consulting with Coach Jay for technical support. James Young outlined Phase Two, which includes integrating the `\`/start\`` command with the mother orchestrator agent, registering the inference node for 8004, posting attestations, and integrating with Babylon for an XP-based "fractitional game" to build reputation and learning.

Details

Notes Length: Standard

- **Meeting Setup and Initial Context** James Young and Natascha Tiotuico began the meeting by addressing James Young's internet connection issues and Natascha Tiotuico mentioning they had already spoken with Coach Jay about meeting preparation. James Young acknowledged the complexity of the current work, stating a realization that leveraging 8004's momentum to build the reputation part would be beneficial, though articulating this vision was initially challenging. James Young felt that communication had improved, especially after Coach Jay understood the vision by spearheading the white paper.

- Phase One: Digital Twin and Onboarding Agent** Natascha Tiotuico proposed starting with understanding the process of building digital twins, specifically the "mother da member journey". James Young agreed, outlining that the process would start in the Mother DAO Discord server with a slash command, for example, `/start``, which would use the Collab bot to retrieve the member's smart account address and Discord username, and then send this information to Gaia to launch a Gaia inference node for the user's digital assistant. James Young noted that they would bootstrap this process with Gaia to drive adoption, but eventually, the system would accommodate other providers like OpenAI and Gemini.
- Onboarding Process and Educational Content** Natascha Tiotuico raised concerns about user understanding, suggesting the need for educational content and campaigning before the `/start`` command, especially since the concept of a digital twin is a "huge leap" for people outside the Mother DAO. James Young countered that the DAO member selection process would have a high bar, requiring prior understanding. They then pivoted the onboarding strategy: instead of a direct API call via `/start``, members would first create their digital twin on Gaia, and the `/start`` command would require them to enter the URL of their inference node. This shift was made to simplify implementation due to limited resources, utilizing an AI agent to explain and onboard users rather than integrating everything into Discord immediately.
- Role of the Onboarding Agent and Platform Choice** James Young confirmed that the immediate focus is on creating an onboarding agent on Gaia, with Natascha Tiotuico serving as the PM/QA for this Phase One. Natascha Tiotuico suggested that creating the onboarding agent would be the first task, serving as a tester for the onboarding process. James Young suggested that Natascha Tiotuico could start experimenting with different platforms like Claude or OpenAI if Gaia proves too challenging to use, prioritizing the easiest and fastest way to get Phase One completed.
- Digital Twin Creation and Guidance** Natascha Tiotuico questioned how to start building the digital twin, specifically regarding pre-knowledge and training. James Young clarified that the user would come with a "raw node," and the learning aspect—where the digital twin gains knowledge from Chaos Chain and reputation from game play—would happen in Phase Two. They advised Natascha Tiotuico to speak with Coach Jay, who previously worked at Gaia, for support on setting up and training the Gaia node. Natascha Tiotuico also asked about the need for

the digital twin to be continuously online, to which James Young responded that it only needs to be online when the user is online for interaction to occur.

- **Phase Two: Integration with Babylon and Core Systems** James Young detailed Phase Two, which includes integrating the `/start` command with the mother orchestrator agent, registering the inference node for 8004, and posting attestations. A significant part of Phase Two involves integrating with Babylon, an XP system that facilitates a "fractional game" or simulation for users to answer questions and gain coherence with their agent. This game, which will simulate a fictitious organization aiming for full automation, is designed to be played in Discord, generating data quickly to build out a "circuit" for reputation and learning. James Young is currently preparing Phase Two by setting up a Kanban board to organize the work.
- **Automation and AI-First Approach** James Young emphasized the goal of automating everything and adopting an "AI-first" approach from the beginning. They stressed the importance of solving internal problems, such as token allocation, using the system itself to validate the hypothesis that AI can automate DAO operations. Natascha Tiotuico is keen on translating theoretical AI knowledge into practical daily use and creating frameworks to overcome the technical knowledge barrier for contributors.
- **Next Steps for Natascha Tiotuico** Natascha Tiotuico committed to working on Phase One by starting the onboarding agent and their digital twin, and will consult with Coach Jay and experiment with different AI platforms (Gaia, Claude, OpenAI) to determine the easiest and fastest path forward. James Young will focus on organizing Phase Two, which depends on Chaos Chain integration, expected within a week or two.

Suggested next steps

- ☐ Natascha Tiotuico will focus on creating the onboarding agent for phase one, serving as the PM and QA everything in between.
- ☐ Natascha Tiotuico will experiment with creating the onboarding agent and digital twin using Gaia, Claude, and Open AI/Gemini, and report back on the progress, results, and any bottlenecks or issues encountered.
- ☐ Natascha Tiotuico will talk to Coach Jay to get the Gaia agent set up and start feeding it documents.

- ☐ Natascha Tiotuico will be in contact with James Young if any questions or issues arise while moving through the process of building the onboarding agent and digital twin.
- ☐ James Young will save the mapping of Discord users' ID to their digital twin in the database if the UI path of having users enter their Gaia inference node URL is taken.
- ☐ James Young will prep for phase two by putting all the phase two work, including the slash start command integration with the mother orchestrator agent, on a conbon board so that Natascha Tiotuico can track it.

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