Meeting Prep (26/01/22)

Time: 9PM UTC

Introductions

Let's get busy!

My Passions

Things I love doing: Learning, Music (I play classical guitar) & Walking (through the mountains - it is where you encounter peace).

The traits I admire most in others: Authenticity, Humbleness & Patience ("is a virtue").

Things I care about: The Universe. Let's change it, for the better.

Technical Background

UG Computer Science @ The University of Manchester

PG Artificial Intelligence @ The University of Edinburgh

Full Stack Web Developer (Slightly Outdated)

Interested In Blockchain Protocols and Distributed Ledgers

I will provide a document that accounts for my experience soon (education, dev and marketing, references available on request).

One Of My Favourite Quotes

"It might be true that there are six billion people in the world and counting. Nevertheless, what you do makes a difference. It makes a difference, first of all, in material terms. It makes a difference to other people and it sets an example."

- Robert Solomon

Who's next?

Getting Organised

TLDR: Miro, GitHub, Trello, Calendar Invites (.ics), Discord, Shared Storage, e-mail.

- I do like Miro. I've not used it before, but it doesn't seem to have much of a learning curve. It does seem to have a lot of features I have not yet explored though, so I think it's worth taking some time to see what exactly it has to offer.
- As a 'tech-monkey' it's really easy for me to push stuff up to a repo. If we want to be
 1337 we could use the web-of-trust model and pull from one another in a decentralised fashion. But I would simply suggest using GitHub for anything that is technical in nature.
- Trello is useful, simple as. You know who is working on what at any given time. We should probably be using Trello.
- Calendar invites are also useful for those who regularly use calendar applications (usually embedded into mail clients).
- · Discord, of course.
- When it comes to educational resources (that we will discuss), the creation of content
 and the platform to serve it on does require disk space. It would likely be a good idea to
 obtain some shared disk space. We could use Google Drive, not that I am a fan of
 Google as a company.
- I am happy enough to communicate via e-mail, as that is what I usually see first. But I understand that anonymity is a concern, but I am happy to deal with people either via Discord or via e-mail. If we're going to use e-mail at all, you'll probably want to ensure that you're using an encrypted mail service.

Open to discussion.

Piloting This?

Over to DICK__CHUCK for this one.

Perhaps make a case for why it is a good idea.

Over to Bob for that.

Open to discussion.

Bob on Academic Research & General Comments

Over to Bob for that.

Open to discussion.

Discussion on Open Research

Bob will likely talk about this to one degree or another.

I would like to add that, given that I have a post-graduate diploma and the only thing I am required to do for an MSc is to write a research-based thesis. I will need to contact the University of Edinburgh, but in the UK you're typically allowed to transfer credits and resume your degree in the future. I do, however, need to verify this. Regardless, it would be nice to do some academic writing.

Open to discussion.

Internal & External Resources

Right, so I do still have some more research to do. However, since I am documenting all this research, it should be fairly straightforward to refine it and create a peer-reviewed knowledge base. This would be my suggestion to feed two bison with one piece of meat.

It provides internal resources for beginners within ADAO to grasp any 'more technical' details surrounding DAOs (so long as the content has been through a peer-review process); and if they really need to, they can also begin obtaining a firm grasp of the basics.

In addition, we could open this knowledge base to the public.

Furthermore, it shouldn't be too difficult to work with marketing and produce palatable articles for the public in order to increase engagement.

It would be worth sitting down with Marketing and creating a marketing campaign.

► Marketing Campaign Details (PDF Available On Request)

Open to discussion.

How might we want to distribute resources?

I would suggest a webpage/blog for articles. Post to relevant social media outlets.

Anything rather academic: featured on webpage/pinned on the blog & e-mailed to list. Post to all social media outlets.

Create a queriable knowledge base.

Open to discussion.

UI Design

If a webpage is used.

Open to discussion.

WGs Collabs

I have already made some suggestions (Dev, Marketing, Education).

Open to discussion.

Roles & Responsibilites

This depends on the outcome of the meeting!

Open to discussion.

General Notes

Is there anything we need to note or push to the next meeting?

Open to discussion.

Availability of WG Members

A regular schedule may make things easier?

Open to discussion.

Next Meeting

Approximately when should we schedule the next meeting for?

Open to discussion.

Important Dates

Open to discussion.

Any Other Business?

Open to discussion.

Any Questions? Any Additional WG Members? Thank You For Attending.

Footnotes

1. As the phrase goes "the wheels of justice turn slowly", similarly, democratic processes such as voting on-chain between a large pool of participants for many different decisions would likely introduce a slowing of processes. Furthermore, a flood of proposals would likely become too much for every member to 'pay attention to' on a daily basis; thus, voting on everything initially would seem to me to be a not so great idea. I would propose delegating the DAO members 'virtual' voting power (since they don't actually have any right now) to WG leads, which is essentially what we're already doing.