

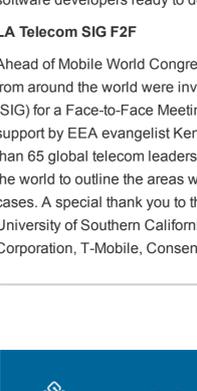


September Highlights 2018

EEA Drives Spec and Use Case Momentum with F2F Meetings in NY (Tech Spec Working Group) and LA (Telecom SIG)

NYC Tech Spec F2F

The EEA's New York City Technical Specification Face-to-Face meeting was a benchmark in our progress towards becoming the global standards organization driving interoperability in the Enterprise Blockchain ecosystem. Forty-nine EEA member companies with over 90 representatives participated in the Technical Specification Working Group meeting, engaging in lively discussions on challenging topics such as privacy, consensus, etc. EEA Technical Standards Working Group Chair Conor Svensson along with EEA Technical Program Manager Chaals Neville led the meeting, kicked off with remarks by EEA Chairman of the Board John Whelan and EEA Executive Director Ron Resnick. EEA would like to give special recognition to our host Microsoft, and member PegaSys, for sponsoring an evening get-together.



As a result of the meeting and ongoing work, the EEA will release its next major deliverable, the Enterprise Ethereum Client Specification 2.0, on Oct. 29 to coincide with Devcon4. EEA will have a table at Devcon4, so please stop by and see us if you plan to attend.

EEA is planning to release the next version of our specification in April 2019 during the Synchronize event in New York.

This is an exciting time for the EEA. We invite everyone to join our organization and help develop solutions that will become part of a global standard. Download the [EEA specification](#) document for free on the EEA website and plant a stake in the ground in an ecosystem backed by thousands of software developers ready to deliver standards-based Enterprise Ethereum solutions.

LA Telecom SIG F2F

Ahead of Mobile World Congress Americas Conference in Los Angeles, telecom leaders from around the world were invited to join the EEA's Telecom Special Interest Group (SIG) for a Face-to-Face Meeting led by EEA Telecom SIG Chair Dr. Inhyok Cha with support by EEA evangelist Ken Fromm. The EEA Telecom SIG, which includes more than 65 global telecom leaders, collaborated with telecom industry leaders from around the world to outline the areas where EEA standards can transform telecom industry use cases. A special thank you to the EEA Telecom SIG session sponsors, especially the University of Southern California for hosting our event, and SK Telecom, KDDI Corporation, T-Mobile, ConsenSys, BuildETH, and Terbine.

Recent Events



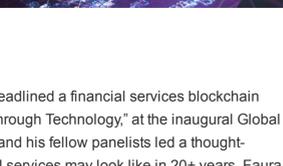
IEEE Global Blockchain Summit

Sept. 17-19 - Gaithersburg, MD

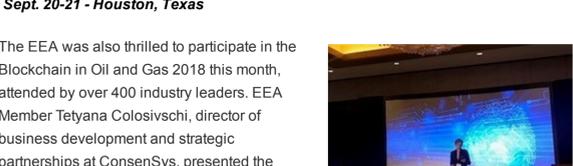
EEA member Yorke E. Rhodes, III from Microsoft was the keynote speaker at this inaugural event for the IEEE, and his presentation of EEA's standards-based approach was well received. During the summit, thought leaders, decision makers, and technologists discussed the challenges and opportunities of blockchain technology, including how to define performance, terminology, and categorization and how the IEEE should engage on blockchain standards.

ISDA, Barclays, Deloitte, and Thomson Reuters Derivhack Hackathon

Sept. 20-21, 2018, New York City, London



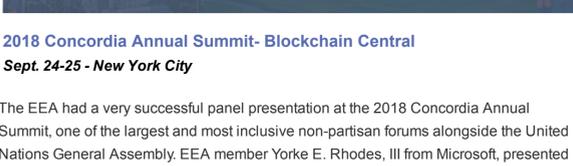
EEA members participated in a recent hackathon sponsored by Barclays and co-sponsored by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA), Deloitte, and Thomson Reuters. Fifteen teams participated in the challenge, to efficiently model post-trade processing of derivatives contracts by applying ISDA's Common Domain Model (a set of process and data standards) using a distributed ledger technology (DLT) platform of their choice. One goal of the hackathon was to determine which of the commonly used enterprise DLT platforms handles derivative life-cycle smart contracts most elegantly. EEA member Conor Svensson and his [blk.io](#) team showcased Ethereum on the Epirus platform and won the prize for best solution architecture.



GI2

Sept. 20-21 - Paris, France

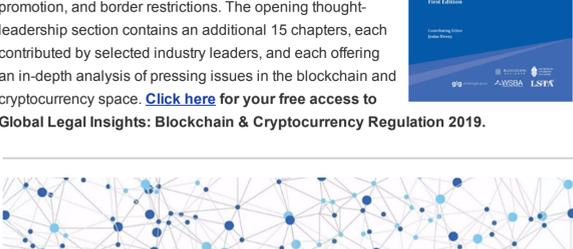
EEA Member Julio Faura, CEO of Adhara, headlined a financial services blockchain panel titled "Transforming Capital Markets Through Technology," at the inaugural Global Innovation Conference (GI2) in Paris. Faura and his fellow panelists led a thought-provoking panel discussion on what financial services may look like in 20+ years. Faura highlighted how EEA member companies like Adhara can help financial institutions and corporations leverage EEA standard-based smart contracts and blockchain to improve the execution of international payments and optimize liquidity management.



Blockchain Oil and Gas 2018

Sept. 20-21 - Houston, Texas

The EEA was also thrilled to participate in the Blockchain in Oil and Gas 2018 this month, attended by over 400 industry leaders. EEA Member Tetyana Colosivski, director of business development and strategic partnerships at ConsenSys, presented the keynote address, "Oil and Gas Companies Using New Technology to Change the Industry." The presentation explored the new possibilities and implications of EEA standards, blockchain, Enterprise Ethereum and decentralization to leaders in the oil and gas sector embracing and developing cutting-edge blockchain technologies.



2018 Concordia Annual Summit- Blockchain Central

Sept. 24-25 - New York City

The EEA had a very successful panel presentation at the 2018 Concordia Annual Summit, one of the largest and most inclusive non-partisan forums alongside the United Nations General Assembly. EEA member Yorke E. Rhodes, III from Microsoft, presented EEA's standards-based approach during a panel discussion titled, "Sanity Check: Lessons Learned from Leading Blockchain Consortia." Rhodes shared the EEA's plans and goals for the future and his excitement around the wide range of businesses looking to learn more about enterprise Ethereum. It was a great opportunity to meet with fellow leaders in blockchain. Thank you to everyone who attended the panel!

New Blockchain Publications Available

The first edition of **Global Legal Insights: Blockchain & Cryptocurrency Regulation 2019**, which includes chapters written by influencers in the legal industry, including EEA members, provides an insight into blockchain and cryptocurrency regulation in over 30 jurisdictions. Topics covered include government attitudes, money transmission laws, ownership and licensing requirements, mining, testing, promotion, and border restrictions. The opening thought-leadership section contains an additional 15 chapters, each contributed by selected industry leaders, and each offering an in-depth analysis of pressing issues in the blockchain and cryptocurrency space. [Click here](#) for your free access to **Global Legal Insights: Blockchain & Cryptocurrency Regulation 2019**.



Newest Members

The Enterprise Ethereum Alliance connects Fortune 500 enterprises, startups, academics, and technology vendors with Ethereum subject matter experts. In the last month, we welcomed 15 new members to the EEA!

Avaloq Evolution AG	Ferdon Inc	Sasken Technologies Ltd.
Clear Blockchain Technologies Pte Ltd	First National Bank of Omaha	STASIS
Dell Boomi	Jobuilders	VedasLabs
Envision Blockchain Solutions	JDcloud	VMware, Inc.
Everex	Ott Immobilien AG	Wanchain

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Upcoming Events



1000+ ATTENDEES **100+ SPEAKERS** **6+ PARTIES**

Hosho Blockchain Security Conference

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Oct. 9-11, 2018 - Las Vegas, NV

EEA members are invited to attend Hosho's inaugural [Blockchain Security Conference](#) at the Hard Rock Hotel and Casino in Las Vegas. Featuring 30 speakers, panel discussions, workshops, and a hackathon, this conference is designed for technologists, professionals, companies, and investors to discuss and share ideas that focus on real-world challenges in the blockchain and cryptocurrency space.

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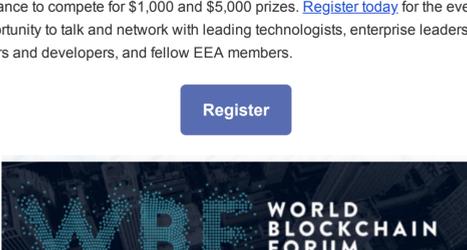


Austin Ethereum Alliance/EEA Meet-Up

Oct. 17, 2018 - Austin, TX

Join EEA Executive Director Ron Resnick and other EEA members for a meet up during Austin Blockchain Week on Wednesday, Oct. 17 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Ron will share his insight on how EEA's blockchain standards, certification program, and Special Interest Groups are accelerating the Enterprise Ethereum Blockchain Revolution. Don't miss this opportunity to network with other EEA members and discover how to drive business collaboration and market participation.

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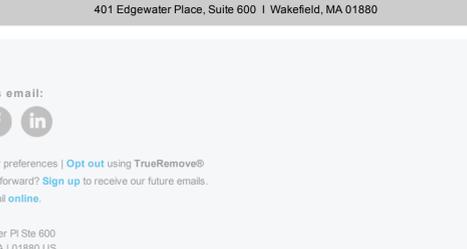


PegaSys Hackathon and Meet-Up

Nov. 2, 2018 - Prague, Czech Republic

EEA is a sponsor of the [PegaSys Ethereum Hackathon](#), a free, two-day hackathon taking place right after the Devcon4 Conference in Prague. EEA Executive Director Ron Resnick will present on the EEA and Conor Svensson, EEA Technical Standards Working Group Chair, will be on hand to mentor teams. PegaSys, a ConsenSys company and EEA member, will lead the two-day Ethereum hackathon, dedicated to generating novel ideas for enterprise Ethereum-based blockchain solutions and services. Teams will get a chance to compete for \$1,000 and \$5,000 prizes. [Register today](#) for the event and the opportunity to talk and network with leading technologists, enterprise leaders, designers and developers, and fellow EEA members.

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4th World Blockchain Forum

Nov 8, 2018 - New York City

Aaron Wright, Chair of the EEA Legal Industry Working Group and Associate Clinical Professor and Co-Director of the Cardozo Law School's Blockchain Project, will present EEA's standards-based approach at the [4th World Blockchain Forum](#) at the New York City Hilton Midtown. More than 3,000 attendees are expected to attend this two-day conference that features general and industry-focused presentations on blockchain technologies, Ethereum technology and applications and cryptocurrency and the token economy.

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