On Decentralized Finance Technology

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Who need to be involved to create
Healthy Eco-system for
Decentralized Finance or a like?

Tech Community's Role

- From Technical Community:
 - Regulators in G20 countries shared the idea that it is crucial to have a dialogue with stakeholders, including the tech community
- The most critical issues regulators have on the deployment of technology is:
 - Consumer Protection
 - Prevention of use of the technology for criminal activities including money laundering
- They also understand blocking innovation is a bad idea
- We have the responsibility to approach to the table to discuss this.
- We need to consider how the multi-stakeholder discussion can take place.

Last four months

- Several meetings/presentations on the topic
 - Mostly organized by the team at BSafe.Network, including me.
 - · Workhops: "DFA Workshop,", prior to Scaling Bitcoin 2019, Tel-Aviv, Sep. 8th
 - Panels:
 - Security Standardisation Research Conference 2019, London, UK, Nov. 11th, 2019
 - · Blockchain Convergence, Malaga, Spain, Nov. 12th, 2019,
 - · Other closed meetings: Some other meetings with Regulators

Governance Forum 2020 (title tentative)

 Japan Financial Services Agencies ran two-day round-table, with regulators, academia, some industry players in March, 2017-2019

• We're planning two-day meeting in early March in Japan, as reorganized version of the above, on March 9th-10th, 2020

We (finally) will have mailing-list

· We'll announce on the details soon.