

Hyperledger Trade Finance Special Interest Group Meeting

12th May 2020



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Trade Finance Special Interest Group

12th May 2020, 3.30pm SG/HK Time

AUTOMATIZING COMPLIANCE

DIGITISING THE RETURN TO HEALTH FOR TRADE

“One step before the Blockchain” : [Arnaud Doly](#) – [Verifeasy](#) will talk about the solution his company has conceived in order to exploit on AI and NLP with the goal to fully automatize compliance in the compliance checking under documentary credits.





Housekeeping before the presentation, panel & discussion

- 1) The Linux Foundation antitrust policy
- 2) What is a Hyperledger SIG?
- 3) Who are the chairs of the TF SIG?
- 4) Any new members and how to get involved

The Linux Foundation antitrust policy

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Hyperledger is committed to creating a safe and welcoming community for all. For more information please visit our Hyperledger Code of Conduct.



Special Interest Groups gather the community that works on a domain specific problem and aims to create an environment for open discussion, document co-creation and solution proposals. Technical Working Groups focus on technical aspects of blockchain and Hyperledger. TWG gathers community of various environments to work on global, technical solutions. SIG cuts through a vertical trying to address problems specific to that particular community.

Meet the Hyperledger *Trade Finance* SIG Chairs



Chair:
Andrea Frosinini

**Independent Trade
Finance Consultant**

Senior Trade Finance professional with a passion for innovation. Recently, I joined the Hyperledger community with the goal to offer my contribution in order to modernize the industry and develop new products by exploiting blockchain and DLTs.



Vice-Chair:
Atul Patel

Co-founder at Dltledgers

Atul Patel is associated with HLP since 2017, has co-founded the largest trade finance digitisation dltledgers platform with HLP and is one of the most passionate supporters of HLP and key tenets are how Linux Foundation is operating HLP. I would be looking at strengthening and revitalising the TF community to move forward with innovation that's happening around the world blending core research with itrade finance use cases.



New members & how to get involved

How to get connected and involved:

1. Visit the Wiki and join the mailing list

<https://wiki.hyperledger.org/display/TFSIG/Trade+Finance+SIG>

1. Put your name on the Member Directory on the Wiki

<https://wiki.hyperledger.org/display/TFSIG/Membership+Directory>

1. Get on Rocket Chat <https://chat.hyperledger.org/channel/trade-finance-sig>

2. Attend Meetings, reach out, everyone is welcome!

Any new members please introduce yourself :) All volunteers



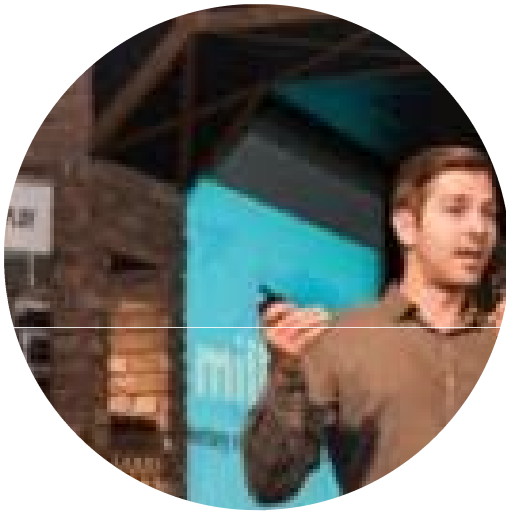
Linux Foundation ID (LFID)

Linux Foundation ID (LFID) is a free account that identifies you and securely provides access to web sites of The Linux Foundation, our projects, and our service providers.

In order to participate in the Hyperledger Chat rooms (powered by Rocket chat) or edit the Hyperledger Wiki (powered by Confluence), all community members need to have a LFID. See instructions and video on How to Setup a LFID.

Expert Panel to be moderated by Julian Gordon

12th May 2020, 330pm SG/HK Time



Arnaud Doly



Atul Patel



Andrea Frosinini

+ all you attendees :)

How AI is going to simplify trade finance operations

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The challenges of artificial intelligence

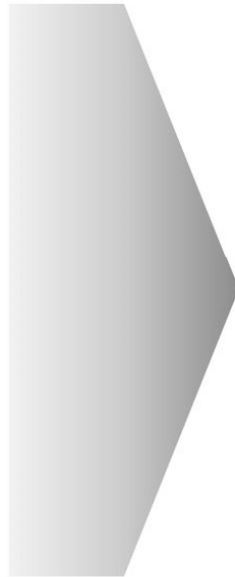
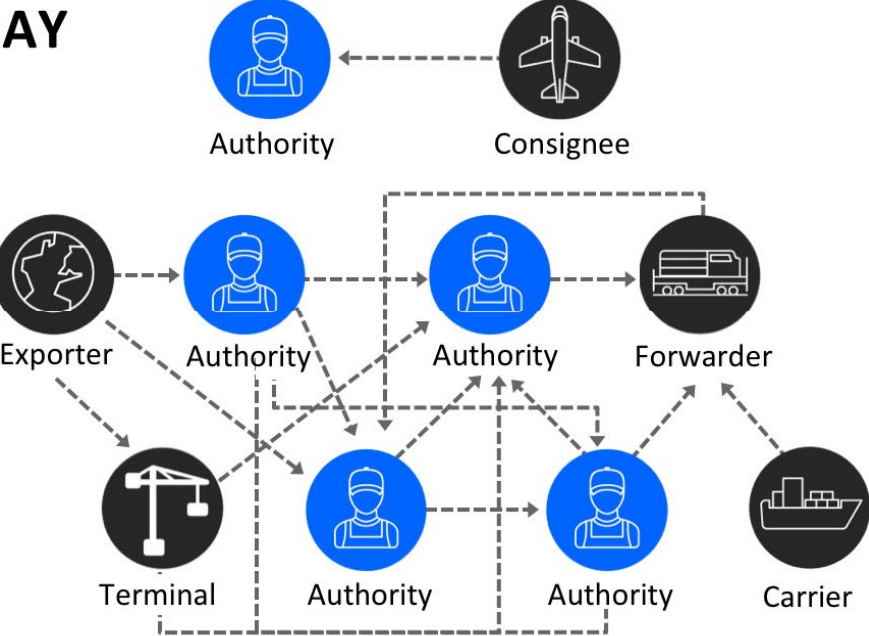
Helping humans to **take decisions quicker** based on the AI work.

Speeding up operations by removing time-consuming manual processes.

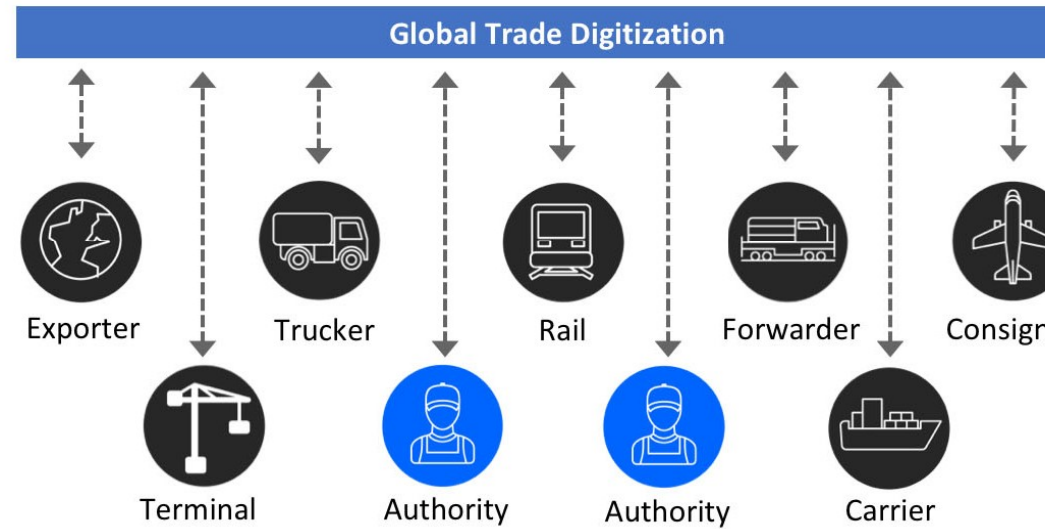
Mitigating risks associated with knowledge-based tasks.

Optimising automation of complex processes.

Documents and data journey



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Underlying technologies

Computer Vision: extracting semantic information from a picture.

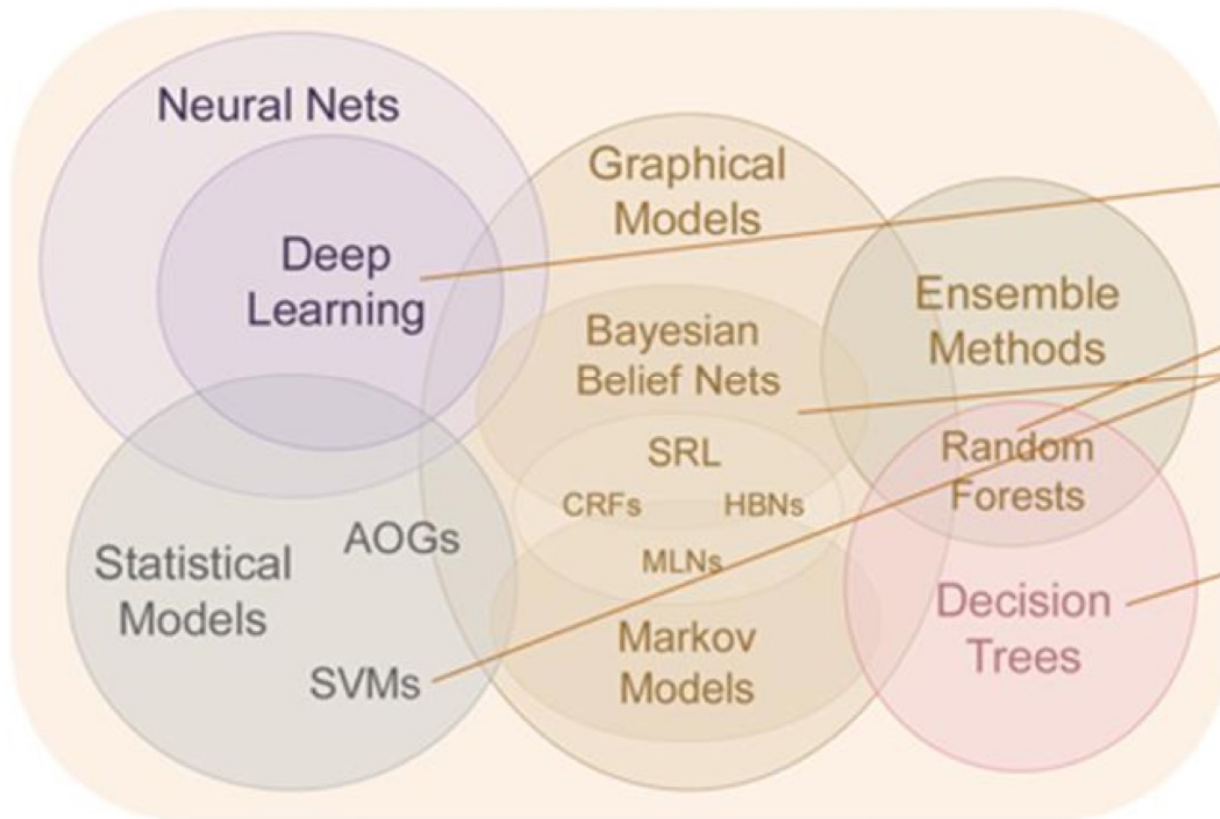
Natural Language Processing/Understanding: training computers to read and understand relevant text.

Machine learning: the computer learns without being explicitly programmed.

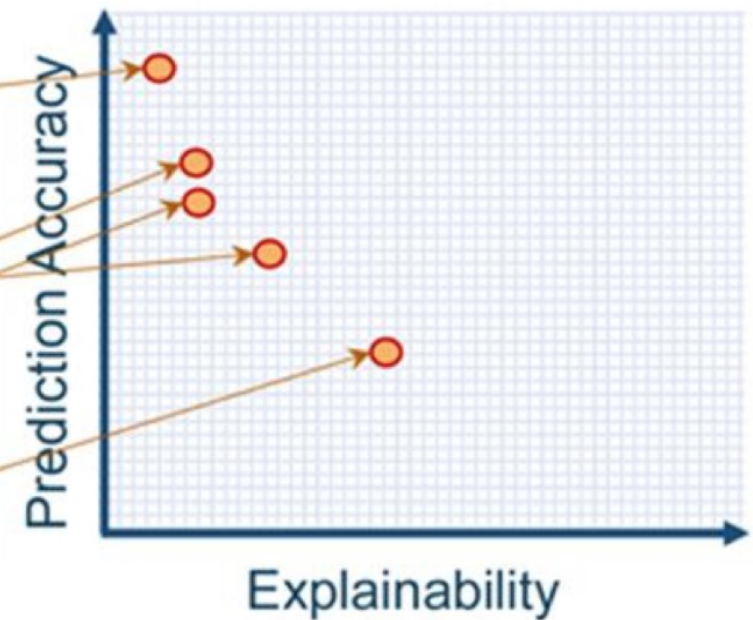
Data analysis: analysing the extracted data against sets of rules.

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Learning Techniques (today)



Explainability (notional)



Implementing AI to drive smart decisions



User Assist:
macros,
scripts,
Robotic
Desktop
Automation

End-to-end
Process: UI
Automation,
Document
Processing
(OCR), Robotic
Process
Automation

Image
recognition,
document
type
recognition,
hand writing
recognition
(ICR)

Predictive
analytics,
algorithms,
pattern
recognition

Expert system,
Machine
Learning,
Neural
Networks,
Smart Process
Automation

Simple, repetitive tasks

Complexity

Complex, multi-system

	Task Robot	Meta Robot	IQ Robot	AI Robot
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Replicate complex process actions. - Perform actions taken by humans at presentation layer of any desktop-based application - Capable of executing multi-steps processes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Leverage API-level integration to create system-to-system automations - Share automation with task bot - When combined with task bots, meta bots are ideal for multi-skill processes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Learn and adapt over time - Become independant but with fewer errors - Leverage unstructured data - Capable of making decisions based on accumulated learning and experience 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Combines smart data and smart algorithms - Decision making based on machine learning and synthesis of large datasets
Use Case	Repetitive, rule-based tasks relying on structured data	Complex, scalable processes	Managing through fuzzy rules and processing unstructured data	Language interaction processing and dealing with high amount of unstructured data

Input

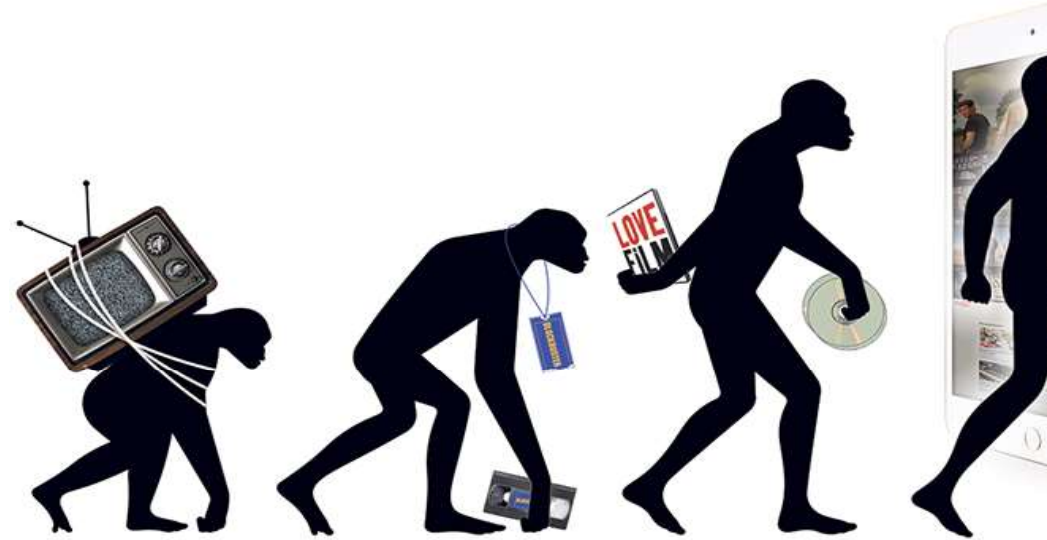
- Checks the document when issued to allow for immediate correction in case of discrepancy.
- Checks the data when inputted on a digital platform to allow for immediate correction in case of discrepancy.

Output

- Checks the document when received to allow for immediate decision based on the results.
- Checks the data when consulted on a digital platform to allow for immediate decision based on the results.

Initiatives and resources out there today

▶ Please the Wiki



Please ask questions, voice opinions, suggest ideas!

- What can we as a SIG to help address/document this?

Thank you!