Using Blockchain for Identity Management

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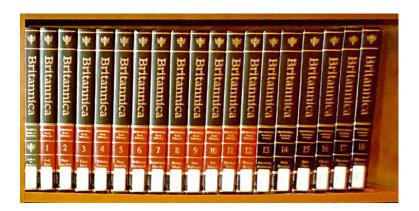


Agenda

- ❖Introductions & Agenda
- ❖What is Blockchain?
- Healthcare Use Cases
- Blockchain for Identity Management
- Discussion & Questions



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Password Management





Bitcoin





What Is Blockchain?

- ❖It's a Chain of Blocks?
- Any questions?
- Enjoy the conference!



Blockchain Origins

- ❖ Adopted by Satochi Nakamoto in 2008 for Bitcoin
 - Origins date back to 1991
- Eliminated the Trusted Authority (i.e. Banks)
- Greatly Improved Transaction Times
- Greatly Improved Confidentiality and Security
- Created Whole New Industries
 - "Miners"
 - "Exchanges"



What Is a Block?

- Contents
 - Hash of Previous Block
 - **❖**A Time Stamp
 - Data
- Features
 - Cannot be Changed without Consensus
 - Cannot be Changed without Changing all Subsequent Blocks



What Is a Blockchain?

- Ledger of Transactions
 - ❖Shared Among Peers
- ❖ Starts with a Genesis Block
- Types
 - Public (Permissionless)
 - Private (Permissioned)



Current Use Cases

- Cryptocurrency
- Identity Management



Healthcare Use Cases

- Consent
- Health Information Exchange
- ❖ Master Patient Index/Access
- ❖ Drug Providence
- Prior Authorization
- Provider Directory



Benefits of Blockchain

- Transparency
- Authentication
- Auditing
- Security
- Overhead
- Middlemen
- **♦** Cost



Blockchain Negatives

- ❖ Do we have a Problem Here?
- ❖ Are we Feeding Mayo to the Tuna?
- Complexity
- Infancy
- ❖ Different Middleman



What You Will Need

- Broker Service
- Patience
- Programming Staff
- Patience
- Use Cases



Identity Management

- Password Management Example
- Patients Control Own Identity
- Transactional/Register Approach
- Integration Requirements



Current Healthcare Solutions

- Enterprise Master Patient Index
- Personal Health Record Technology
- Distributed Information
 - ❖ Multiple Patient Records



New Norms

- People will Control Their Personal Information
- ❖ Can People Control There PII?
- Facility Implementation
- Macro-Implementation

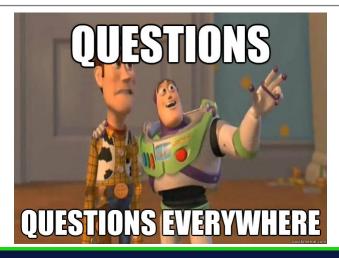


Can it Be Done?

- Complexity?
- Cost?
- Scalability?
- ❖ Does it Fix a Problem?



Questions/Discussion?





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