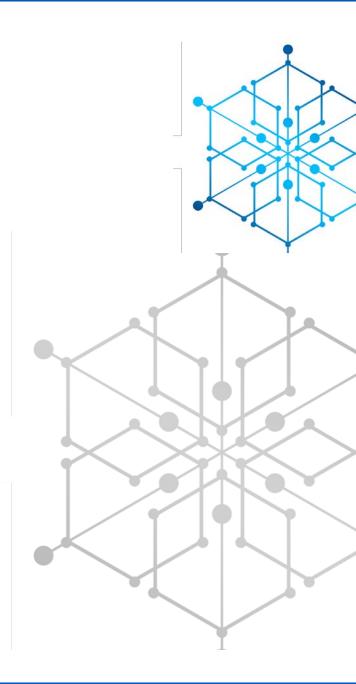


# ABCD (AI, Blockchain, Cloud, Data) Inclusive Finance

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### **Capability of the PI**



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Private Expert of Smart City Committee, Private Expert of Korean Post Office's 'Blockchain Initiative' Laid Foundation to Gwangju Al Town 2016 – 2017.

#### **Research Achievements**

- Paper Publications (SCI): 270+(75+)
- Published Books/Chapters: 8
- Int'l Patent(#): Filed 9, Registered 7
- Korean Patent(#): Filed 7, Registered 22
- Technology Transfer : 2 cases (210million KRW)
- Technology Valuation: 1 case(Central Technology Appraisal Institute, KOTEC)

#### **Research Interests**

- Blockchain Economy
- Intelligent Network
- Intelligent Sensors
- Information Theory/Cryptography

#### **Press**

- GIST BEC signs MoU with ConsenSys, a global blockchain development company (2019.07.21)
- SOLASEADO, "Blockchain will play a pivotal role in the organic connections for smart cities." (2018.08.24)
- ETnews, "IEIE Communication Society(Chairman Heung-No Lee), hosts workshop, titled, 'Future opened by Blockchain'" (2018/04/16)

#### Awards and Honors

- Haedong Scholarly Awards, The Institute of Electronics and Information Engineers, Dec. 2019
- GIST Research Award 2016 (for Contribution to Industrialization)
- Top 11 Research Outcomes of GIST, 2016
- This Month Science/Engineer Award, National Research Foundation of Korea, Jan. 2014
- Top 50 Achievements of National Research and Development, National Research Foundation of Korea, Oct. 2013
- Top 100 Achievements of National Research and Development, Ministry of Science, ICT and Planning, Aug. 2013



### ABCD Inclusive Finance

- Download the complete paper at
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## Abstract

- We live in an era of uncertain future.
- Economic booms and busts, aging population, financialization of everything, polarization of wealth, constant struggles, eruptions of pandemics, extreme weathers and natural disasters are upon us.
- To prepare for such a variety of outbursts, world leaders emphasized solidarity and cooperation; but today the global society is running in the opposite direction.
- Individual nations are absorbed with local interests and pursuing segregated goals.
- Elections and resultant policies ideologically biased and fragmented aggravate the situation and deepen conflicts.
- Consequences include populistic policies addressing superficial short-term goals while downplaying the more important longer-term goal of restoring the constitution of the economy.
- Examples include the debasing of money and polarized wealth.

## Abstract (2)

- We aim to propose a new way to deal with such problems.
- It utilizes fast evolving state-of-the-art technologies such as AI, Blockchain, Cloud, and Data (ABCD).
- A new framework, called ABCD Inclusive Finance (IF), is presented in which ABCD technologies are used to help turn things around.
- It is to build a financial solidarity network which helps us get united, enables us reach quickly to a large scale consensus, shapes public policies based on agreed upon consensus, and fosters innovation.
- A blueprint level discussion is given on how to build such an inclusive network of sovereign individuals.

## Why are we uncertain about the future?

- With Covid-19, we realized we are in the middle of a new era.
- Are U.S. and European nations leading the new era?
  - Globally, as of August 6th, 2020, there have been 18.6 million confirmed cases of COVID-19, including 702,642 deaths, reported to WHO [1].
  - Containment vs. Economy
- No one knows what kind of an era the new era will be.

## K-New Deal [9]

- Korea has shown successful in Covid-19.
  - Utilizing ICT technologies
  - Exporting K-quarantine models
- Made announcement of K-New Deal.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2020
  - Ambitious global scale project (160 B.USD; 2M Jobs)
  - Aims to build a sustainable inclusive society.
- It has two deals
  - Green New Deal
  - Digital New Deal, our focus!

## Our proposal

- GIST Blockchain Economy Center
- Aims to
  - use AI, Blockchain, Cloud, Data (ABCD) technologies
  - Focus on
    - Building human network of cooperation in solidarity
  - Open a new era with
    - Inclusive society in which citizens are empowered with economic freedom
- How can it be possible?
- Aims to build two pillars
  - Inclusive Dam and Friend Robots

## Inclusive Dam: Cooperative human network

- Dam here is a digital network, metaphoric to Hoover Dam
  - It serves the role of a Digital SOC.
- It is a network of computer nodes.
  - One computer represents each individual.
- It aims to connect individuals and have them work together.
  - Sharing data and information in a trustable fashion.
  - Offering federated learning opportunities.
  - Making decisions optimal for the members.
- It includes many stakeholders
  - Government, financial/medical/legal institutions, citizens, startups

## A Friend Robot

- Represents the interests of human partner
- Interacts with the Inclusive Dam
- Gives assistances to the human partner
- Provides its human partner's needs
  - Manages portfolio, risks, wealth
  - Timely medical attentions
  - Offering legal needs

## Philosophical Background

- Innovation and Inclusion are both needed to build sustainable society
- Innovation is not enough!
  - Tech advances make us prosper in the long run.
  - We need to continue innovation.
  - But tech advances demolish the old vested.
  - We need to let people and their families be the first priority!
- Inclusion
  - We want members be tied in solidarity: no one is left behind.
  - Members tied in solidarity can embrace creative destructions.

## Innovative and inclusive society

- Innovative Inclusive society can resolve global problems
  - Pandemics, Abrupt changes in climates, Extreme weathers, Natural disasters
  - Economic booms and busts, debasing of currencies and polarized wealth, Fall of labor value
- Move to Prosperity
  - Local economies helped out, improved living conditions for all, education opportunities for all, provision of health care services, provision of starting families/businesses/startups.

### Hoover Dam

- Hoover Dam
  - Engineering marvel in 1935
  - Largest dam
  - Gravity-arch dam
  - Withstood Colorado river for 85 years
  - Served the role of SoC
- Many critics back then.



### Do we have a Hoover Dam in K-New Deal?

• This shall be a critical question that we keep on asking for the next decades.

- Shall not be for only short-term goals
  - Elections
  - Burdensome policies
    - Debasing of currencies and increase in national debt
    - Increase public servants
- Shall serve as an SoC for the digital future:
  - Science and engineering project
  - New Digital SoC itself (cf: digitalization of the old industry)

## ABCD Inclusive Finance

- Inclusive finance is hereby defined as a new financial system which helps people in the blind spots of financial benefits. It aims to
  - 1) help those individuals who do not own assets such as low-income and marginalized citizens,
  - 2) help them to organize themselves and cooperate with each other in solidarity, and
  - 3) help them to lead a life with financial independence.
  - (cf. See the paper for other definitions such as World Bank's and IMF's)

### ABCD Innovative Finance

- Innovative Finance is hereby defined as an advanced financial system, a level improvement from the Inclusive Finance, which fosters innovation. It aims to expand the solidarity ID network to
  - 1) Empower members with economic independence
  - 2) Foster engagement in innovation
  - 3) Support high tech startups
  - 4) Raise funds globally using the Inclusive Dam

### **Proposed Governance**

#### **Governance of ABCD Inclusive Finance**





#### **Blockchain** is a

### **Trusted Computer Network**

A ledger that records the transaction details in timely order.

A Technology that keeps the recorded content in integrity.

What do you record on the ledger?

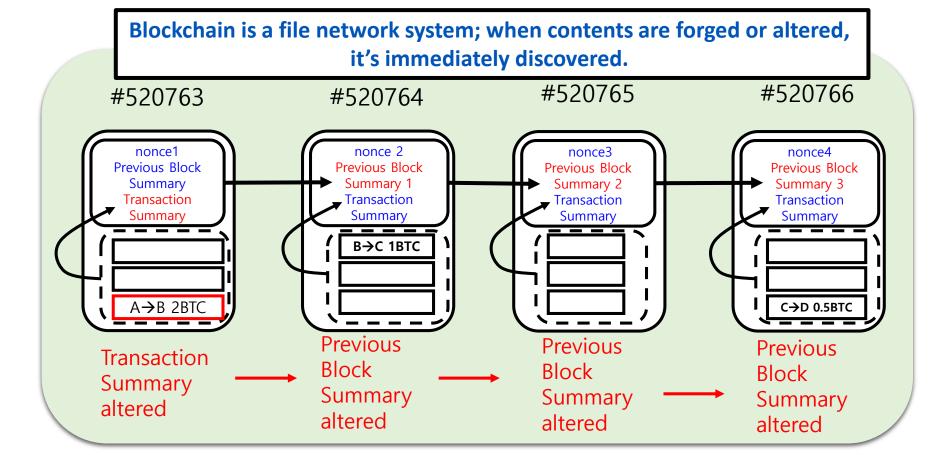
Transaction details (Bitcoin, CBDC) → Digital Currency

Important contents

→ Public Archives

Computer code and execution

→ Contract Execution Computer





### What is AI(Artificial Intelligence)?

Sensing/Calculate/Judge/Decide **An Advanced Computer Network** 

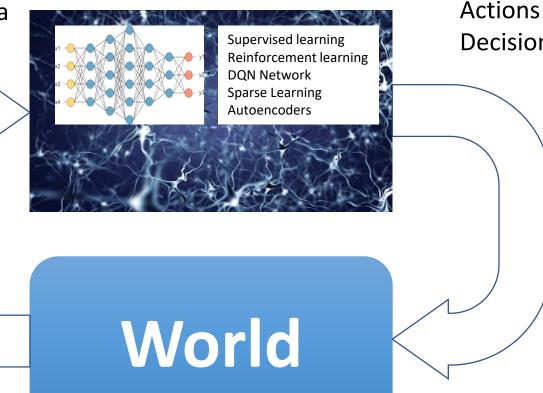
> Collects New Data Via Blockchain

**Financial Data News Crawler** Cloud

Collects **Information from** the World

### **Situational Awareness**

(New Data + Experience)

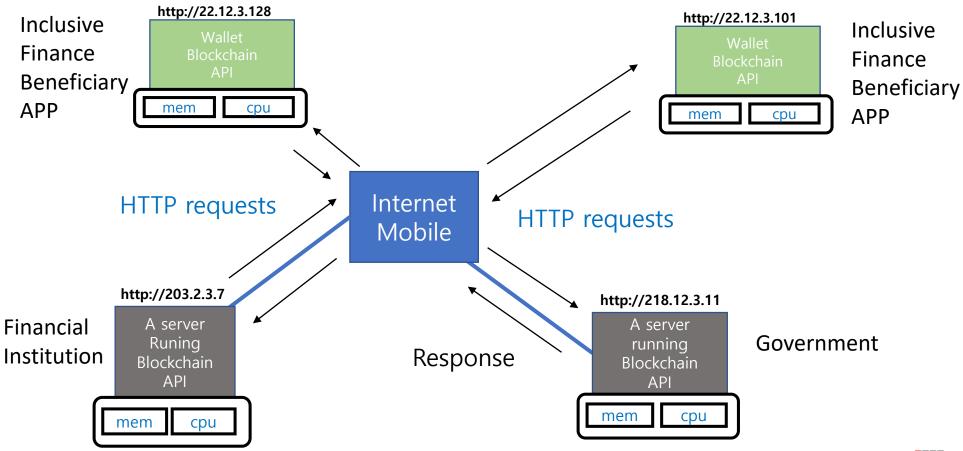


Decisions

**Forecast the Future Optimization Adaptation Advancement Evolution** 



Inclusive Finance Blockchain Internet; Anyone can participate in the program by downloading/running ABCD.core which contains a consented policy.



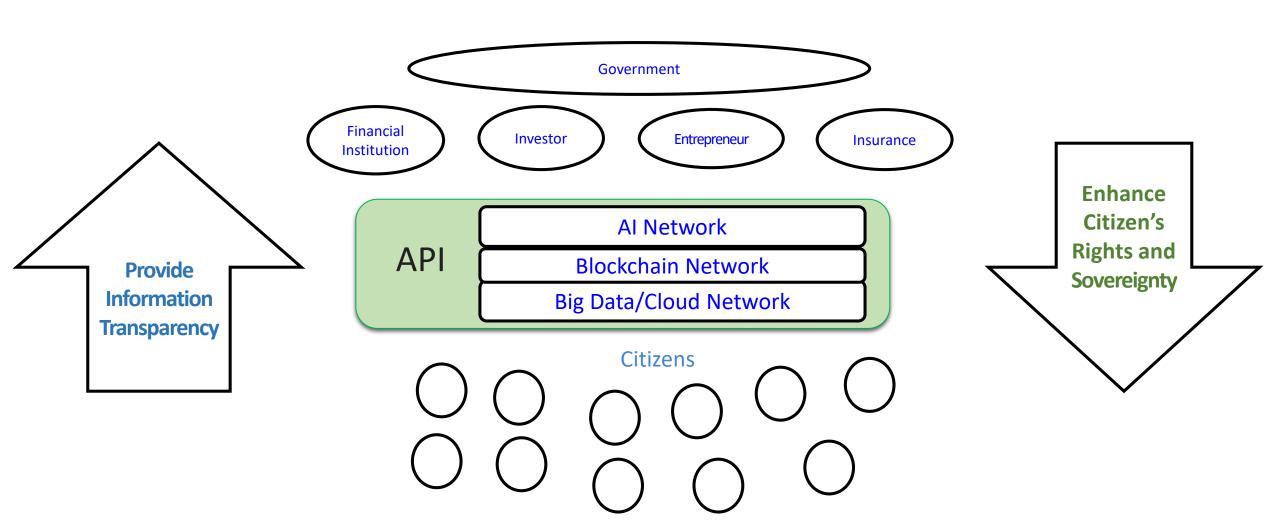


### **ABCD Value Creation Process**

Government/ Institution/Citizens	Cloud/Data	Blockchain	Al	Value Creation
NewYork/Chicago/London/Shan ghai/Bloomberg/Financial News	Data Accumulation Enhance Analysis	Transaction/Record/Informa tion/Integrity/Reliability	Optimize the decision- making process with reliable big data analysis	Creation of Wealth/ Rational Planning Model/ Financial Stability/ Build Cooperative Society
NASDAC	Data Storage  Data Processing		\$ 1	Customized Finance  ABCD Financial  Technology
	Data Management	BLOCK CHAIN		Lead the Digital Economy  Data-based Policy



### **ABCD Inclusive Finance DAM**



#### **ABCD Friend Robots**

- Robots
  - Equipped with IoT sensors
  - Connected to Inclusive Dam
  - Al updated through learning
- Provide Life Companion ABCD Brain Service
  - Finance
  - Medical
  - Legal





### **Expected Outcome of ABCD IF**

### **Customized Finance**

- Personalized Financial APP Service
  - For Student/Worker/Disabled/Housewife/Career
     Disruption/Retiree/Founder
  - Financial Risk Management
  - Support funding for Startups
  - Support funding for Citizens' ups and downs

## Fintech Startups

- Al System Trading, Al Robot Data, Smart Contract, Utilize Digital Currency, Develop New Smart Financial Technologies and Services
- Various Startups on International Financial Products Services (Pension/Bond/Equity/ETF/Real Estate/Futures/Option)
- Enhance Individual's Adaptability to Social Changes

### **Data-based Governance**

- Build a data-based policy making system
- Build an automatic data exchange system run by API
- Harmony in decision making
- Justification of policy implementation
- Resolve unnecessary disputes
- Resolve social problems (e.g. social polarization)

### **Expand Digital Economy**

- Expand the digital economy globally
- Expand trust-based transactions among world citizens

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### **Impacts**

#### 1. Technical Aspect

Trust internet

#### 2. Social Aspect

- Trust human society
- (Social Integration) Trust enabled by no-one left behind.
- (New Governance) Less struggles with automated conflicts resolutions

#### 3. Economic Aspect

- Wealth creating platform
- One world one economy
- Free citizen, free trades



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