Applicant: PolkaWorld

Retrospective Funding Amount: 907 DOT Reason for Request: Polkadot HK Event

**Overview**: Following the success of hosting Polkadot Side Events during the 2023 Hong Kong Web3 Festival, PolkaWorld organized an offline Polkadot Event on April 5th, 2024 at the Fringe Club, a popular hotspot in Hong Kong. The event was held in collaboration with **9 projects** from the Polkadot ecosystem and **4 venture capital firms**. The event aims to bring together Polkadot community enthusiasts and builders to discuss Polkadot 2.0 and potential market trends following its resurgence. As hosting an offline event was not included in the task list of the <u>previous proposal</u> submitted by PolkaWorld, we will apply for retrospective funding to cover the operational costs associated with this event. Please see the event introduction and detailed expenditure below.

Event Theme: Decoding Polkadot 2.0 Date: April 5, 2024, 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Venue: Hong Kong Fringe Club: 2 Lower Albert Road, Central, Hong Kong

## **Agenda and Speakers**

1:00 PM - 1:30 PM Registration

1:30 PM - 1:50 PM Keynote Speech: The New Paradigm Brought by JAM to Polkadot

Speaker: Bryan, CTO of Acala Network

2:00 PM - 2:50 PM Panel 1: Innovations and Challenges in Polkadot 2.0

Moderator: Betty Wang, Jsquare & DFG Marketing Manager

Speakers:

Vincent, Head of Astar Ecosystem Lurpis, Co-founder of Bifrost Yuki, Community Manager of Moonbeam

Hanwen, Founder of Litentry

3:00 PM - 3:50 PM Panel 2: How Far Are We from the Explosion of Dapps in the Polkadot

Ecosystem?

Moderator: Kristen, Ecosystem Research Lead, PolkaWorld

Speakers:

Steve, Contributor to Crust

Christine, Head of Ecosystem Development at Tanssi Hangbiao, Head of Developer Relations at Vara Network

Dorian, Contributor to DOTA

4:00 PM - 4:50 PM Panel 3: Investment Trends in Web3 and the Polkadot Ecosystem in 2024

Moderator: Betty Wang, Jsquare & DFG Marketing Manager

Speakers:

John, Co-founder of YBB Capital

Max Rebol, CEO and Managing Partner of Harbour Industrial Capital

Betty Wang, Marketing Manager of Jsquare & DFG Liam, Partner of PAKA Fund / Founder of StaFi

The event link is <u>here</u>.

## Recap Photo&Videos

- By the registration deadline, 304 people had signed up for the event.
- View event photos here.
- View all recorded videos here:

Recap: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IFkxnoR3wBc

Panel 1: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FOKkuCBPRFc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FOKkuCBPRFc</a>

Panel 2: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-DGQwzoAQT0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-DGQwzoAQT0</a>

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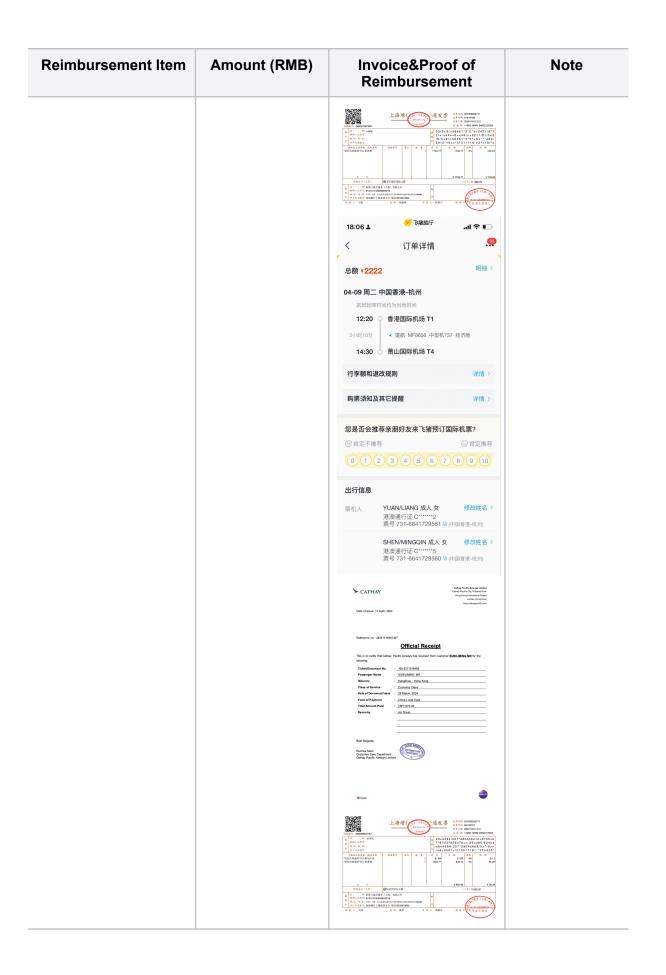
Street interview: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=81DXPAHQvc8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=81DXPAHQvc8</a>

#### A few Twitter links are below:

PolkaWorld Post 1
PolkaWorld Post 2
Acala Post
Bifrost Post
Crust Post

## **Expenses Involved in the Event**

Reimbursement Item	Amount (RMB)	Invoice&Proof of Reimbursement	Note
Airfare (Xiaojie, Liang, Kristen, Liming)	10,054	### ### ##############################	Round-trip flights: outbound and return  We still have two invoices, each valued at 2222 RMB, that have not been issued yet. I'll post the screenshots here for now, and I'll update them here once they are issued by the airline.
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Hotel (Xiaojie, Liang, Kristen, Liming)	12,342.75	FLUGGY  ARE NOTICE THOSE LIMITED  STITE SIN  STITE SIN  STITE SIN  STITE SIN  THOSE STREET  THOSE SIN  Notice SIN  THOSE	Attached is the hotel invoice for the stay from April 4th to 6th. This includes the cost of three rooms over two nights. Due to the lack of triple rooms, Liang and Kristen shared one room, Xiaojie occupied another, and Liming (male) used the third room.
Venue Fee	10,000 HKD * 0.92=9,200	Limit shorted cloud shop long #8 007 2008 01 10   beautite   Writes facing   Date   A 2002 10   Date   A 2002 10	Calculated based on the latest exchange rate of 0.92 between the Hong Kong dollar and the Chinese yuan.
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Reimbursement Item	Amount (RMB)	Invoice&Proof of Reimbursement	Note
Merchandise	7500	收据  项目 数量 金领  Polkadot tshirt 100# 4500  Polkadot 100# 4500	
Drinks (50 bottles of purified water)	622.22	REP	
Roll-up Banner	587	<b>収据</b>	

Reimbursement Item	Amount (RMB)	Invoice&Proof of Reimbursement	Note
Postage	243	19:09 1	
Subtotal Amount (RMB)	47,248.97		
20% operator fee	9,449.79		Since hosting an offline event was not included in our initially submitted proposal task list, we are applying here for a 20% operational fee to cover the staff's operational and design costs before the event and Uber and dining expenses during the event.
Total Amount(RMB)	56,698.76		
Total Amount(USD)	7,766.95		According to the latest exchange rate on OKX, 1 USDT equals

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			7.3 RMB.
Total Amount (DOT)	907 DOT		Based on the 7-day average price of DOT at \$8.56.

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