



Crypto For Good Conference Agenda

A Full-Day Conference on Blockchain for Social Impact
& Philanthropy.

28 January 2026
CMS Office, Cannon Street, London

Agenda*

09:00 - 10:00	Breakfast Networking	
10:00 - 10:15	Welcome & Opening Remarks	
10:15 - 10:45	Fireside Chat: Blockchain for Global Impact Mercy Corps - TBC James Newell - GSR (moderator) A scene-setting talk on how blockchain is driving transparency, inclusion and trust in social impact initiatives around the world.	
10:45 - 11:30	Panel: Rethinking Philanthropy in Web3 John Pepin - Philanthropy Impact (moderator), Louisa Richmond-Coggan, Rajesh Sinha - Launchnodes, Ismael Dainehine - EverGive A candid discussion on how crypto can rebuild trust in charitable giving and redefine what it means to do good in a decentralised world, with reference to emerging technologies shaping the future of giving.	
11:30 - 11:50	Coffee Break	
11:50 - 12:20	Panel: Engaging Crypto Wealth – Family Offices, Whales and Dolphins Stuart MacDonald – Bride Valley Partners (moderator), Harriet Kwarteng – KPMG, James Newell – GSR, Sam Roberts – Cartwright With new crypto fortunes emerging from family offices, whales and dolphins, how can charities connect effectively with this next generation of donors? This session explores practical strategies for accepting crypto donations, building trust with crypto-native communities, and aligning transparency expectations with traditional governance.	
12:20 - 13:00	Panel: Stable Value, Real Impact Kaitlin Argeaux – Crypto Mondays (moderator), Sophia Shluger – Circle, Mercy Corps, Sophia Furber – S&P Global Stablecoins are becoming the quiet backbone of digital impact, powering humanitarian relief, remittances and transparent on-chain funding. This session explores what it will take for them to reach mainstream adoption responsibly.	
13:00 - 14:00	Networking Lunch	
14:00 - 14:30	Fireside Chat: Building Ethical and Purpose-Driven Crypto Businesses Speaker – TBC Insights from a founder/CEO on creating sustainable ventures that balance profit, purpose and decentralisation.	
14:30 - 15:10	Panel: Blockchain, ESG and the Future of Carbon Markets Helen Disney – Unblocked (moderator), Ian Choo – Blue Carbon Gold, Ilya Klyachin – GoMining, Owen Vaughan – Bitroots Exploring how blockchain is transforming carbon markets, improving verification and transparency, and tackling greenwashing. The session will also examine the evolution of Bitcoin mining, its environmental impact, and how innovations in energy sourcing and efficiency are shaping the future of sustainable digital finance.	
15:10 - 15:50	Panel: DAOs & Cooperatives Soledad Contreras – CoinDesk (moderator), Amit Pradhan – Rainfall, Nick Almond – Jito, Lisa McClory – CMS How blockchain technology can expand access to financial services and create opportunities for underserved communities globally.	
15:50 - 16:00	Closing Remarks Charles Kerrigan – CMS Key takeaways and next steps for the "Crypto for Good" community	
16:00 Onward	Drinks Reception Sponsored by Launchnodes – Impact Staking Informal wrap-up with drinks and networking to close the day.	

*All sessions and speakers may be subject to change.