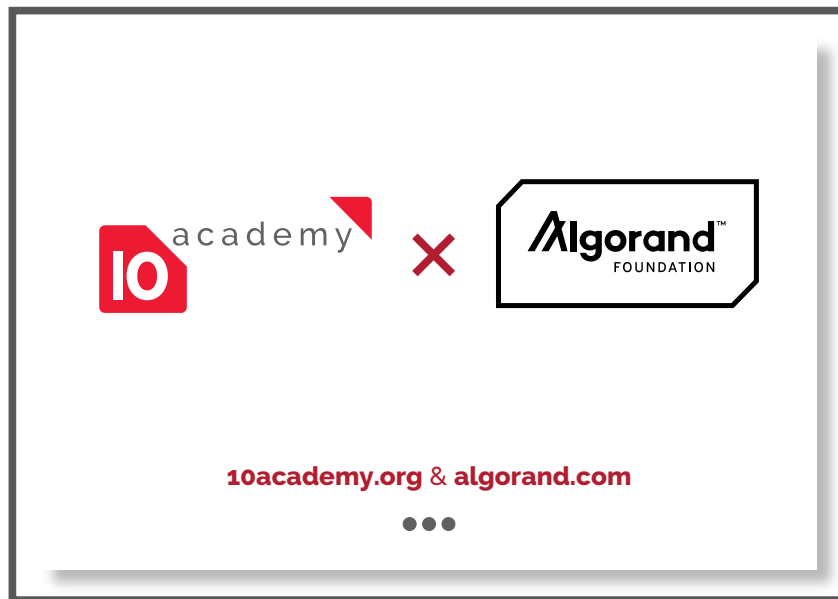


## 10 Academy partners with Algorand to help build Africa's Web3 workforce



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10 Academy is proud to announce its partnership with Algorand Foundation. Designed by Turing Award winning cryptographer and MIT professor Silvio Micali, the Algorand blockchain delivers on the promise of a borderless economy by achieving a low-environmental impact blockchain with no performance sacrifice. The Algorand Foundation's mission is to enable an inclusive, decentralised, and borderless global economy based on the Algorand blockchain technology.

"By supporting the 10 Academy intensive program, the Algorand Foundation is making an important investment in highly talented African youth to build the next blockchain-based financial solutions," states Yabebal Fantaye, co-founder and Scientific Director of 10 Academy. "Recognition from such a top blockchain with multi-billion market capitalisation is further proof for us that we are getting closer to realising our mission: building Africa's AI and Web3 workforce."

The Algorand Foundation's partnership will help to further 10 Academy's mission of building Africa's Web3 workforce creating a rich set of pathways for youth in Africa to secure decent, impactful employment with social, economic and environmental benefits. Hugo Krawczyk, Principal Researcher and Head of the Algorand Centres of Excellence (ACE) program, reiterates the importance of 10 Academy's approach: "Workforce training programs like 10 Academy are key in order to raise and nurture diverse, courageous generations of blockchain natives who can create, build, manage and innovate across all geographies."

10 Academy will hold its 6th batch of training from August - October 2022 where trainees will gain experience in Web3 (building upon the pure proof-of-stake Algorand blockchain), Artificial Intelligence, Internet of Things, and Quantum Computing.

To learn more about 10 Academy and apply for upcoming training programs, please visit: <https://www.10academy.org>

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