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# Yard

## A Better Event Calendar

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## Yard: Who we are



## A Million Opportunities

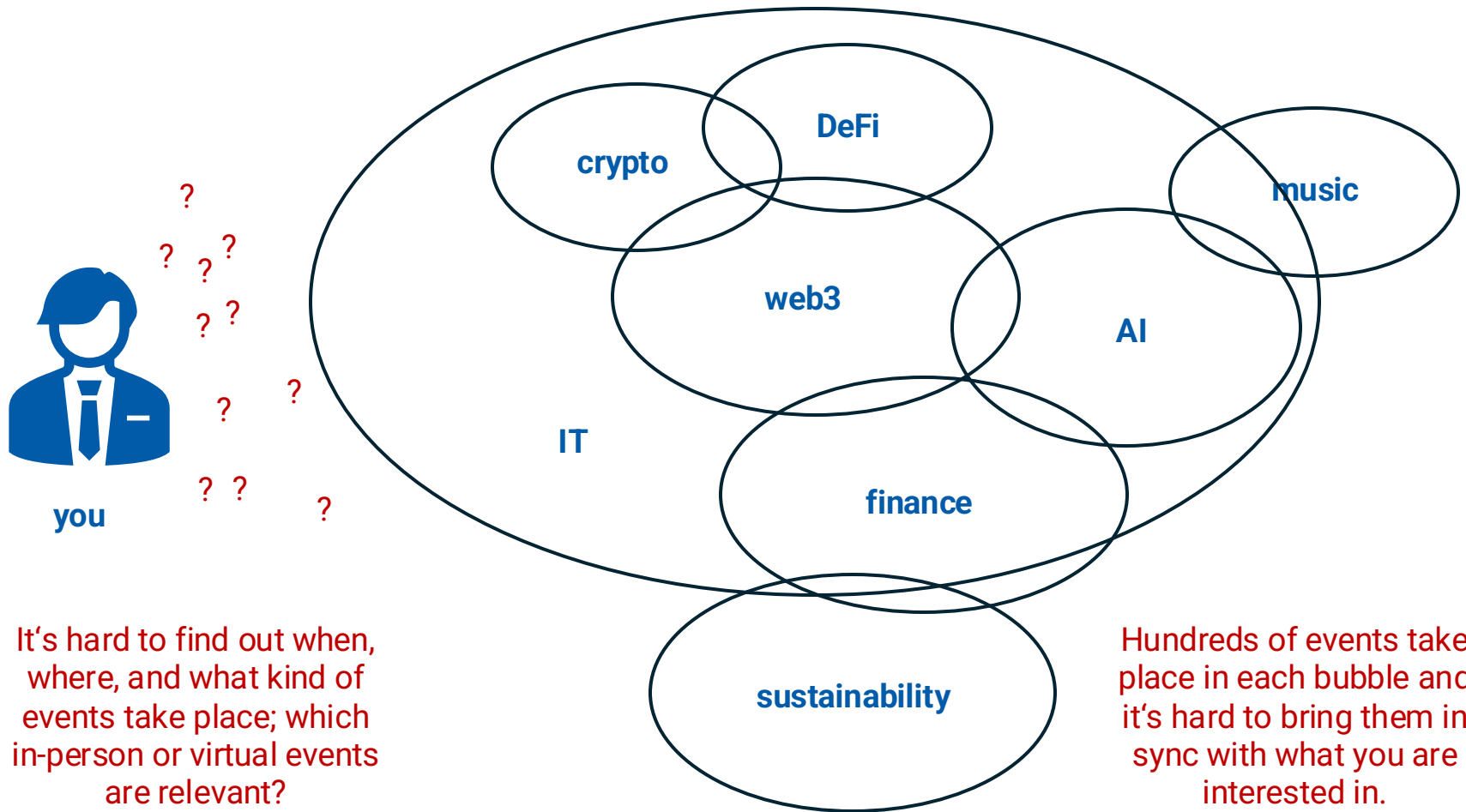
In today's fast-paced world, staying up to date with relevant events is a time-consuming challenge for most people. The problem lies in the fragmented nature of events and individual interests of everyone.

You may have to search across multiple websites, review outdated information, follow social media accounts, join countless mailing lists, and rely on recommendations just to find out about events that are crucial to your career or business. So, how do you find relevant events?

Let's Yard: <https://www.yard.global>



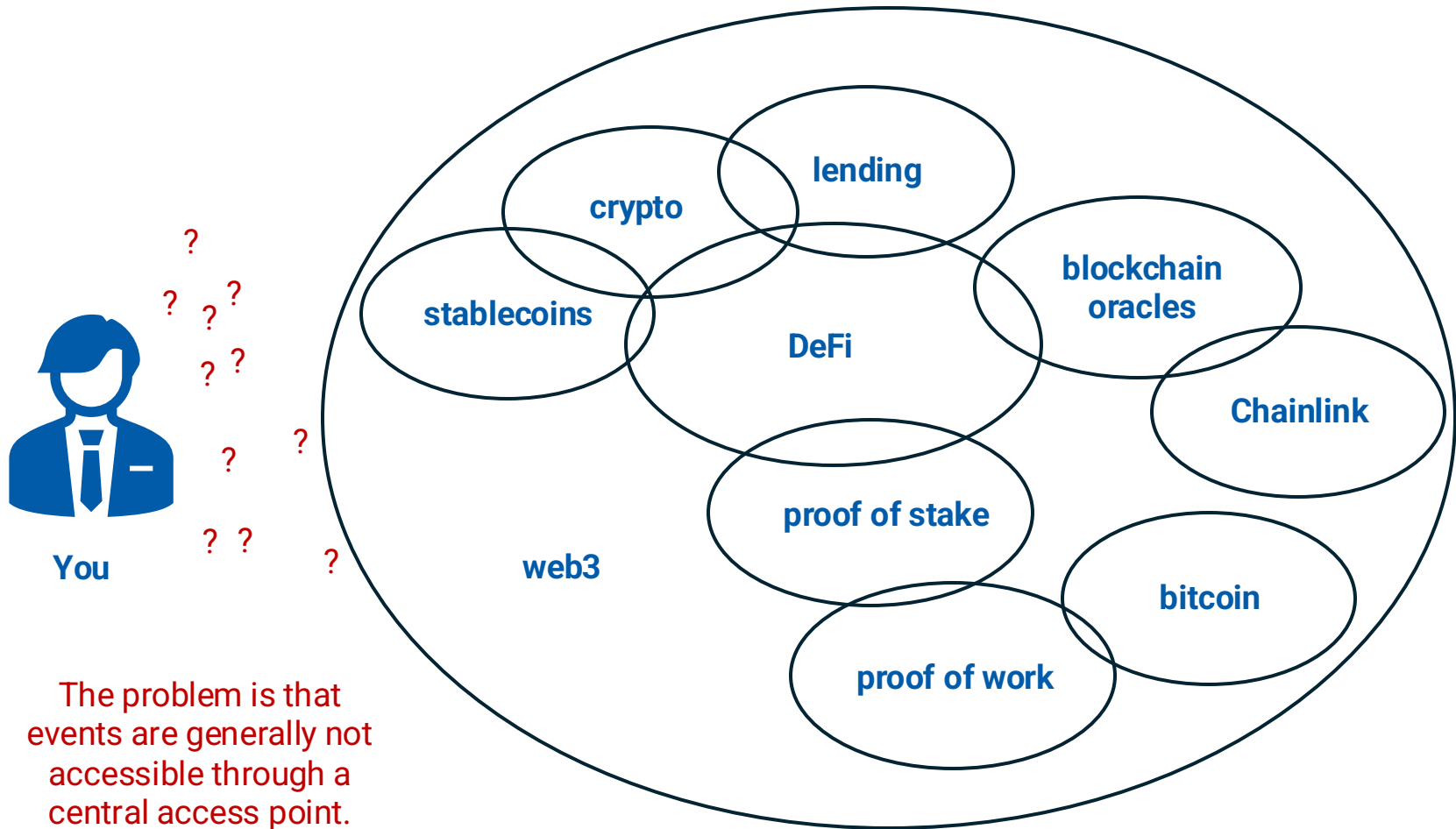
Events happen in several industries, are sometimes connected.



It's hard to find out when, where, and what kind of events take place; which in-person or virtual events are relevant?

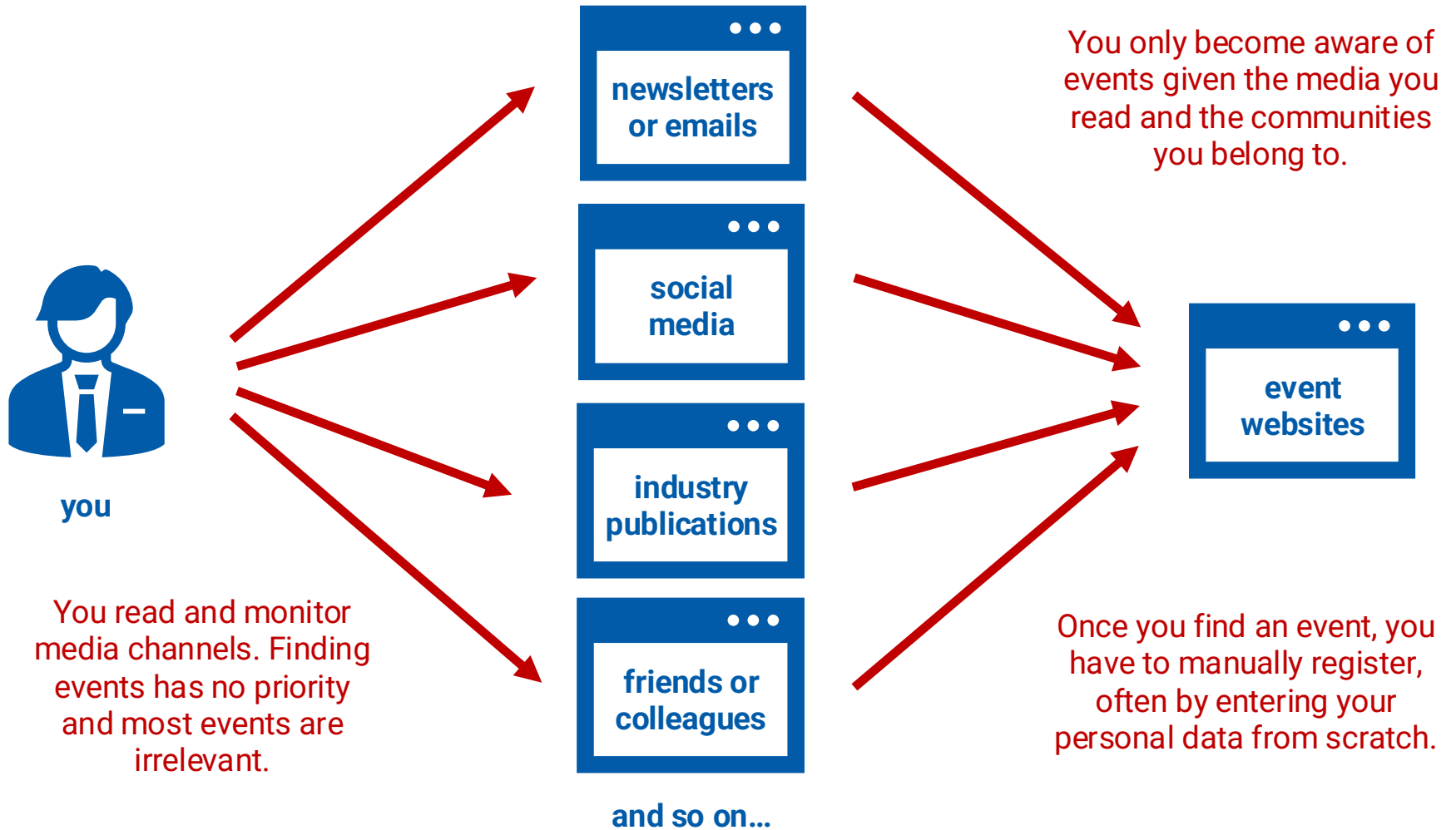
Hundreds of events take place in each bubble and it's hard to bring them in sync with what you are interested in.

# Finding events even in one industry is overwhelming.

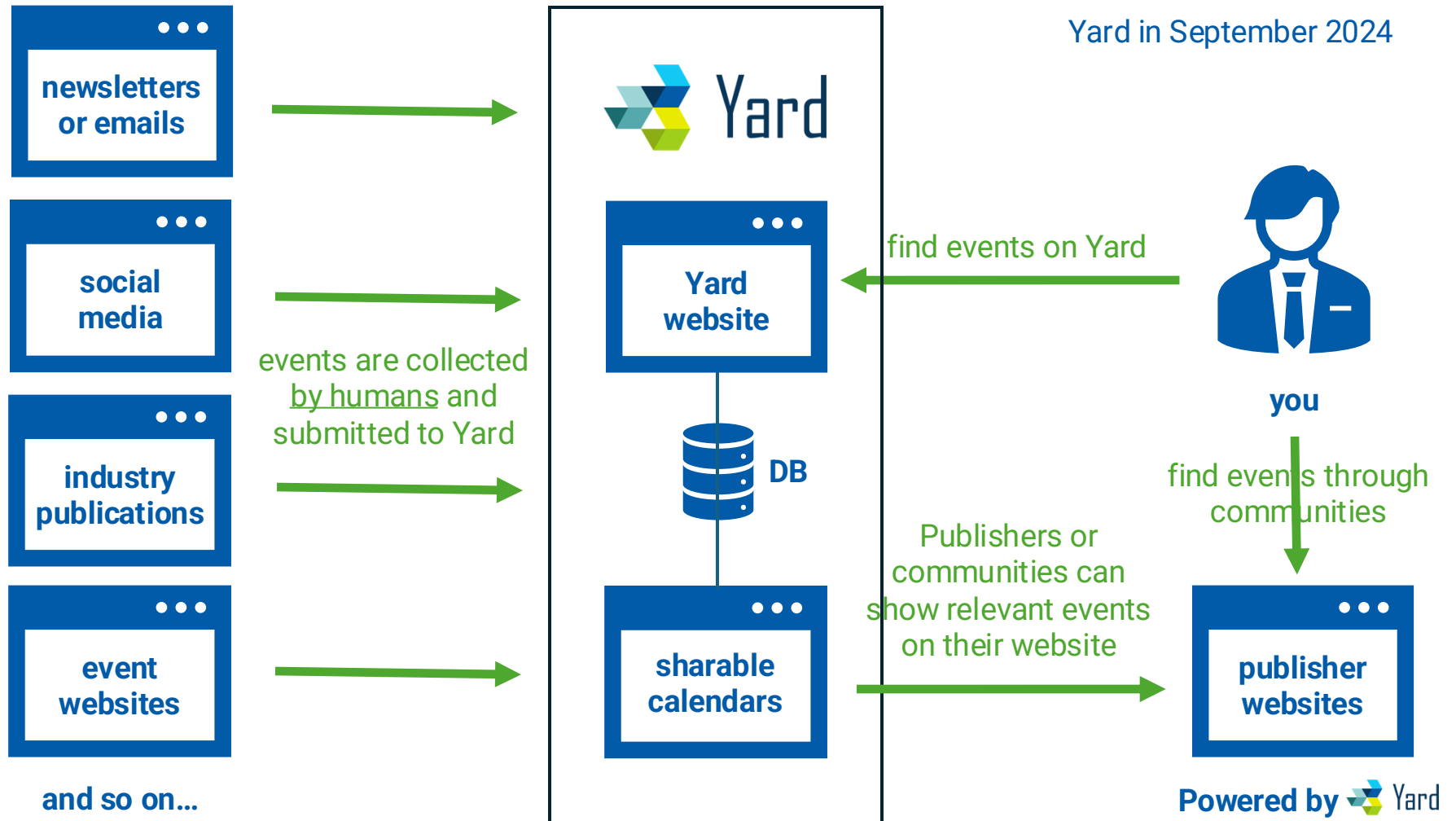


The problem is that events are generally not accessible through a central access point.

## Right now: Finding relevant events is time-consuming and frustrating.



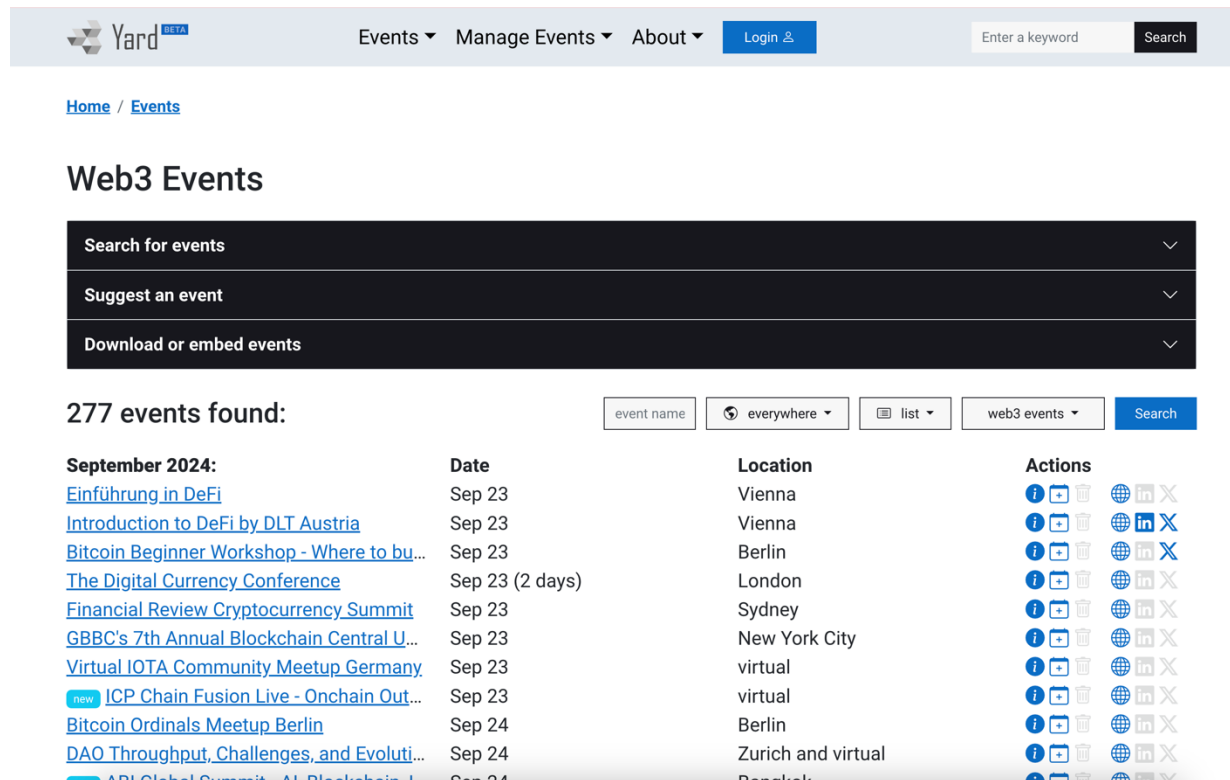
# Yard is making events more accessible



## Yard website: Hundreds of events

Yard was launched in September 2024 with the goal of allowing users to easily find events in the field of Web3 and finance technology. While the events are currently curated by researchers, the team wants to automate the process of finding and listing events as much as possible.

As of September 2024, there are 500+ events listed worldwide of which 250+ events are in the field of Web3. Discover events: <https://www.yard.global/events/>



The screenshot shows the Yard website interface. At the top is a navigation bar with the Yard logo, menu items for 'Events', 'Manage Events', and 'About', a 'Login' button, and a search bar with the placeholder text 'Enter a keyword'. Below the navigation bar is a breadcrumb trail 'Home / Events'. The main heading is 'Web3 Events'. A dark sidebar on the left contains three options: 'Search for events', 'Suggest an event', and 'Download or embed events'. Below this, it states '277 events found:'. To the right of this text are filters for 'event name', 'everywhere', 'list', and 'web3 events', along with a 'Search' button. The main content area displays a list of events for September 2024, with columns for Date, Location, and Actions. The Actions column includes icons for information, share, delete, and social media links (globe, LinkedIn, X).

Date	Location	Actions
Sep 23	Vienna	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
Sep 23	Vienna	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
Sep 23	Berlin	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
Sep 23 (2 days)	London	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
Sep 23	Sydney	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
Sep 23	New York City	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
Sep 23	virtual	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
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Sep 24	Berlin	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
Sep 24	Zurich and virtual	[Info] [Share] [Delete] [Globe] [LinkedIn] [X]
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## Yard website: Drill down into events

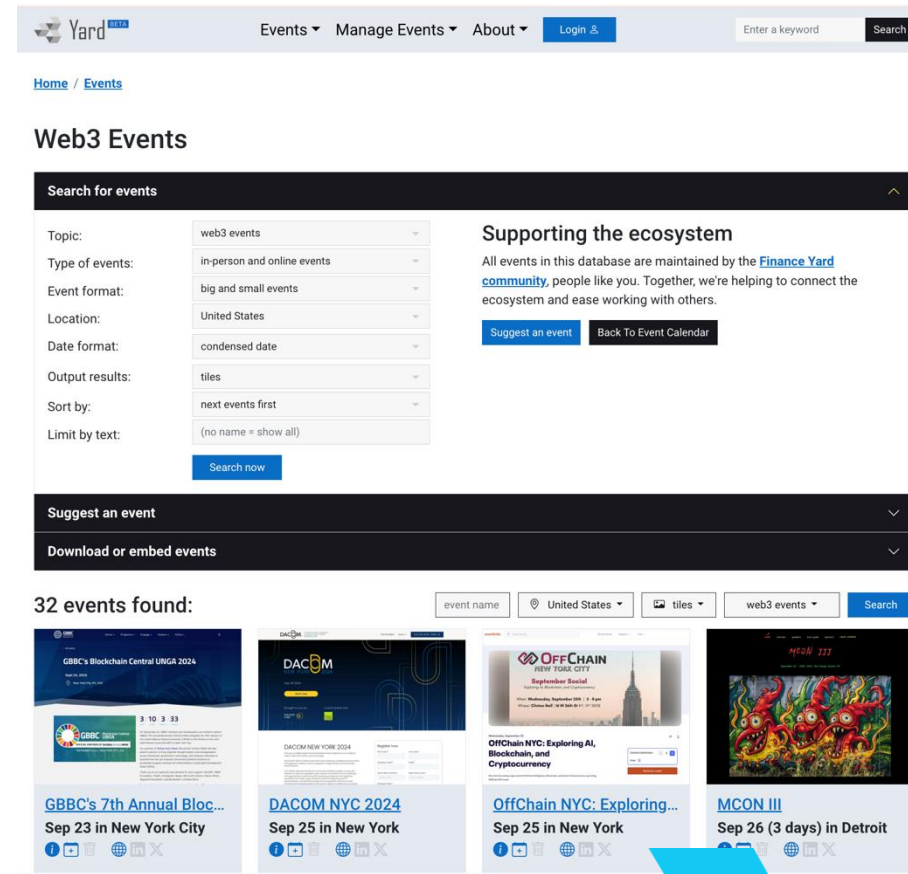
Users can limit the search results through a variety of filters and display options. By adjusting these settings, they can limit the results to only specific regions or topics to be displayed.

Yard is estimating the number of in-person and virtual events to be **above 3k each year** just concerning the Web3 field, so indexing and filtering the events will be a special focus for the months to come.

Yard is planning to add additional fields and categories, such as the cost to attend an event.

Search form for events:

<https://www.yard.global/events/?show=search-form>



The screenshot shows the Yard website's search interface for Web3 events. At the top, there's a navigation bar with 'Yard' logo, 'Events', 'Manage Events', 'About', and 'Login &'. A search bar is on the right. Below the navigation, the page title is 'Web3 Events'. A search filter section titled 'Search for events' contains several dropdown menus: 'Topic' (web3 events), 'Type of events' (in-person and online events), 'Event format' (big and small events), 'Location' (United States), 'Date format' (condensed date), 'Output results' (tiles), 'Sort by' (next events first), and 'Limit by text' (no name = show all). A 'Search now' button is at the bottom of this section. To the right, there's a section titled 'Supporting the ecosystem' with a paragraph of text and two buttons: 'Suggest an event' and 'Back To Event Calendar'. Below this, there are sections for 'Suggest an event' and 'Download or embed events'. The main content area shows '32 events found:' with a search bar and filters for 'event name', 'United States', 'tiles', and 'web3 events'. Four event cards are visible: 'GBBC's Blockchain Central UNGA 2024' (Sep 23 in New York City), 'DACOM NYC 2024' (Sep 25 in New York), 'OffChain NYC: Exploring AI, Blockchain, and Cryptocurrency' (Sep 25 in New York), and 'MCON III' (Sep 26 (3 days) in Detroit). A large, colorful geometric logo is in the bottom right corner.



## Become a Calendar Partner: Integrate the calendar on your website



Users can not only discover events through the Yard website, but can also find events through Yard calendars. A Yard calendar can be integrated into any website and automatically contains all listed Yard events. This enables industry associations, news portals, and other communities to share relevant events to their audience – without the necessity to enter them.

As a Yard Calendar Partner, you will get access to an admin area for filtering upcoming events by topics/tags, or region. This way they can also add missing or private events, which should not be available with anyone else. A Calendar Partner make own discount codes available through its calendar, which will not be shared with in other connected calendars.

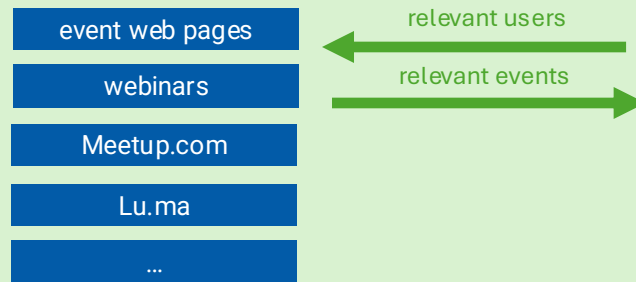
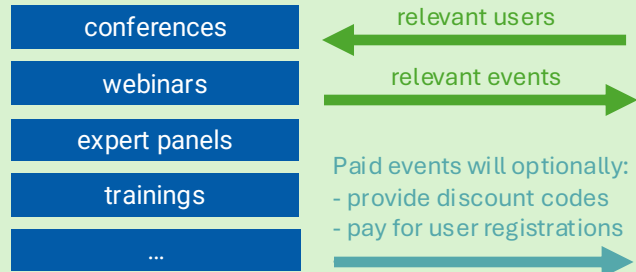
More details: <https://www.yard.global/calendar-partner/>



# Yard will make (relevant) events accessible to (relevant) parties

## Paid Events (Websites)

Event organizers can optionally become a Media Partner.



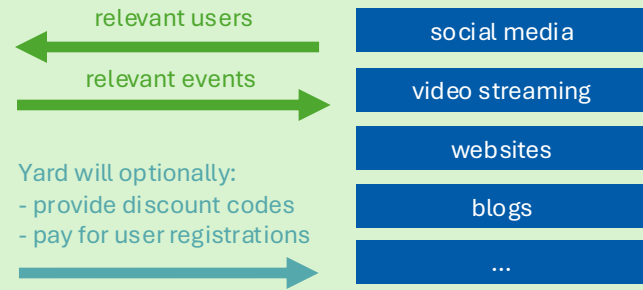
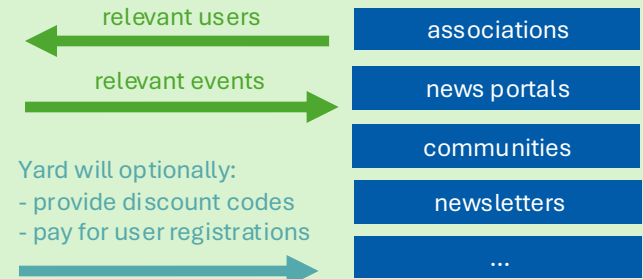
## Free Events (Websites)

Yard will add events to its calendar and link to them.



## Professional Publishers

Publishers can integrate the events as Calendar Partner.



## Influencers or Bloggers

Partners share event links as Affiliate Partner or Ambassador.

## Become a Media Partner: Get more attendees



Event organizers who offer paid events can become a Yard Media Partner:

- An event organizer will provide a custom discount code to Yard which allows calendar users to save cost during the event registration process.
- Yard may get a commission when users register for a paid event using the discount code. Yard may share the commission with a partner, if the registered user booked through them.
- An Event organizer can promote a specific event through Yard to relevant audiences.

More details: <https://www.yard.global/media-partner/>



## Future outlook for Yard

Currently, all events shown in the calendar are curated by the research team. Besides having manually managed events, Yard plans to automate the indexation and publication of relevant finance events. Yard plans to add way more events in all areas of finance (beyond Web3, fintech, and AI).

Yard will introduce event alerts for specific topics, tags, time frames, and regions. So, users and partners can stay informed about events matching their exact criteria using their preferred communication methods (email, social media, etc.).

Furthermore, users will be able to play a more active role in dealing with events, such as rating and recommending events to others.

More details: <https://www.yard.global/events/roadmap/>



## Yard Advisory Board



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