

January 20, 2020

Town Hall # 49



Pops Update



People Ops

New core contributor



Gheorghe Pinzaru

Mobile UI Engineer

Hiring

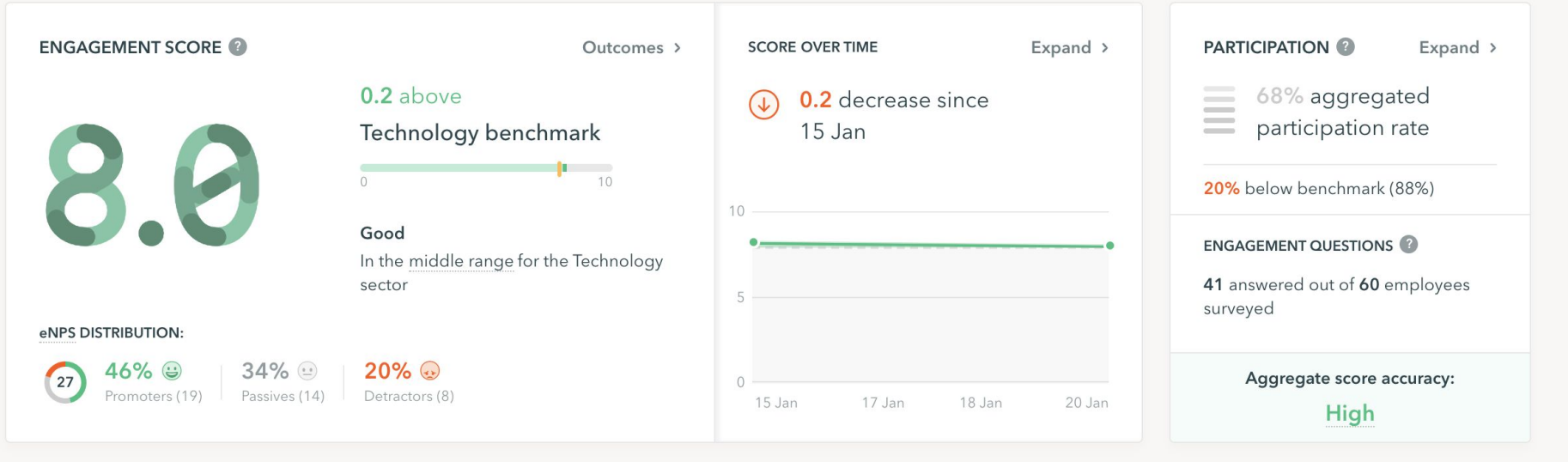
🔍 Looking for your referrals/suggestions for:

- Paid Marketing Manager

https://status.im/contribute/open_positions.html for full details.



Peakon



You can check out the dashboard here:

<https://app.peakon.com/share/ueMczhFGNEVxGXHslZqYigODiEFuJMF3>



Peakon



Key drivers of engagement

Drivers measure how satisfied employees are with the culture, leadership, and responsibilities that make up their experience at work.

[How does Peakon know this?](#)

Strengths identified by Peakon

Sorted by priorities ▼

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|--|---|--|--|--|
| | Organisational Fit | 8.7 Top 10% 0.9 above Technology benchmark (7.8) | | |
| | Reward | 7.6 Top 25% 0.8 above Technology benchmark (6.8) | | |
| | Organisational Fit > Health | 9.6 Top 5% 2.1 above Technology benchmark (7.5) | | |

Priorities identified by Peakon

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| | Goal-Setting | 8.2 at Technology benchmark | | |
| | Recognition | 7.1 0.3 below Technology benchmark (7.4) | | |



Core Update V1 Progress



Core Q1 2020

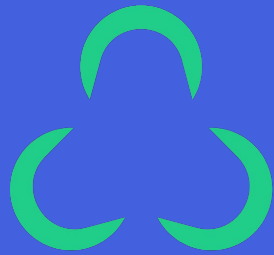
- **V1 build is approved by Apple** 🎉
 - We submitted a develop build of the app w/o 13/1/2020
 - The app was approved within 2 hours
 - We are optimistic that the official release build will also be approved
- **We will distribute a dogfooding build to CCs & ambassadors**
 - Look out for instructions today, 20/1/2020
 - Help us to kick the tires and report issues that must be fixed for release
- **V1 should be available in February 2020**
 - We were slowed down by holidays, but foresee no new blockers
 - Marketing strategy has been reduced to our usual channels, no media
- **Focus after v1 shifts to chat improvements, Waku integration & responding to user feedback**
 - The list of chat priorities is [here](#)
 - Specs for each new feature are [here](#)
 - Waku updates are available [here](#)
 - Other improvements will happen in response to user feedback to V1

Security and Infrastructure Updates



Infrastructure Updates

- **Multiple improvements for <https://dap.ps/>**
 - Fixed slow load times for ([#53](#))
 - Upgrade to Embark 4.2.1 ([#61](#))
 - Fixed loading issues on iOS ([#16](#))
 - Fixed mix of image URLs in DB ([#55](#) [#66](#))
 - Fixed caching issues with `/metadata/all` ([#17](#) [#68](#))
 - Improvements to IPFS usage ([#2](#))
 - Added `raw` subdomains for non CDN debugging
- **Deployment of `eth.prod` fleet for V1 ([infra-eth-cluster#9515e7c4](https://github.com/status-im/infra-eth-cluster#9515e7c4))**
 - <https://fleets.status.im/> now also includes Rendezvous
- **Deployment of <https://assemble.fund/> ([liquid-funding#112](#))**
- **Deployment of <https://contacts.status.im/> ([infra-misc#31](#))**
- **Deployment of <https://embarklabs.io/> and subdomains**
- **Stable IPFS cluster at <https://ipfs.status.im/> ([infra-ipfs#3](#))**
 - Ongoing work on pinning Status content ([infra-ipfs#2](#))
- **Major Nix refactor ([status-react#9605](#))**
- **Nix Cache performance improvements with CloudFlare CDN**
- **Multiple improvements to History node setup ([status-go#1755](#))**
 - <https://github.com/status-im/status-go/blob/develop/MAILSERVER.md>
- **Several Software Upgrades**
 - Docker: 18.09 > 19.03
 - Grafana: 6.0.2 > 6.5.1
 - Jenkins: 2.204 > 2.211
 - Prometheus: 2.9.2 > 2.15.2
 - XCode: 11.2.1 > 11.3.1
 - Matterbridge: 1.16.1 > 1.16.3
 - SourceCred: 0.3.0 > 0.4.1
 - Consul: 1.6.0 > 1.6.2
 - Nix: 2.3 > 2.3.2
 - Multiple Terraform Modules
- **MatterBridge adjustments**
 - Community server bridges
 - **#block-science** Slack bridge
 - Staged V1 messaging upgrade



assemble



status





A peer-to-peer and transparent funding platform.

We are part of status

We have up to \$50k in funding for core contributors and ambassadors, so if you'd like to pitch a project, you can do so now at assemble.fund

Support forum:

<https://discuss.status.im/t/assemble-is-live-support-forum/1512>

User guide:

<https://notes.status.im/lb00mUL7QEisRT9PucVsiQ?both#>

Open and Transparent Funding

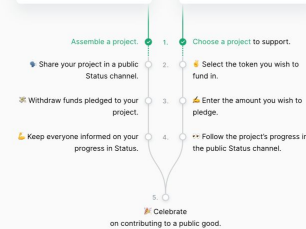
Assemble helps you to bring your web3 projects to life

Platform for Creators
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Decentralized products, community organizing, & more! Assemble connects project creators with a growing community to get the funding they need for their web3 work.

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Assemble helps you to support the projects you care most about. Find a project from the list of open proposals and fund it easily with the cryptocurrency of your choice.

EXPLORE PROJECTS →



Listed Projects

| Name | Description | Funding details | Contact person | Date created | |
|----------------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------------|
| dap.ps | Dap.ps is the first ever open economic ranking system on the web. This is the beginning of how we fight fake news! | 0.50% of 10,000DAI \$49.63 USD | Andy Tudhope | 1/14/2020 | Read more |
| StickerMkt Dashboard | An interactive analytics dashboard driven by on chain data delivering clarity and insight into the Status Sticker Market | 3.81% of 12WETH \$75.54 USD | Pete Becker | 1/12/2020 | Read more |

Assemble a project



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dap.ps

Dap.ps is the first ever open economic ranking system on the web. This is the beginning of how we fight fake news! Join [#status-dapps](#)

Contact: [Andy Tudhope](#)

49.83 DAI pledged

0.50% of 10,000 goal

\$49.61 of \$9,955.00 USD

The screenshot displays the Dap.ps interface, which is a decentralized application (dApp) ranking system. At the top, there are three featured dApp cards: **CryptoKitties** (Collect and breed adorable digital cats), **Oasis** (Trade tokens, borrow DAI, and earn savings—all in one place), and **Zerion** (Invest in DAI in a single place). Below these are several category tabs: Exchanges, Marketplaces, Collectibles, Games, Social Networks, Utilities, and Other. The main content area is titled "Highest Ranked" and lists 21 dApps in a grid. Each entry includes a rank number, a logo, the dApp name, a short description, and a DAI value with up/down arrows. The dApps listed include Dragonereum, Zerion, Ethereum Name Service, Oasis, YangDAO, Sablier, LocalEthereum, danky art, Totic Swap, Meme Factory, OpenSea, Zerion, TokenSets, SuperRare, Wildcards, Clowers Network, Aragon, Fulcrum, and Status Kudos. A "Recently Added" section at the bottom shows Torque, Compound, and Meme Factory.



StickerMkt Dashboard

An interactive analytics dashboard driven by on chain data delivering clarity and insight into the Status Sticker Market

Join [#status-stickermktdashboard](#)

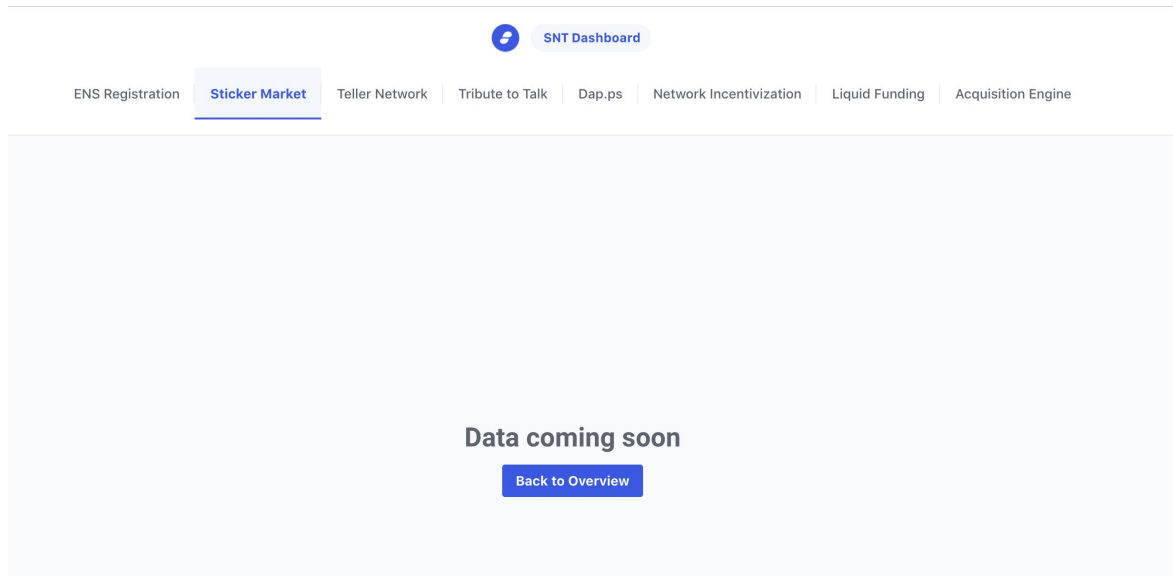
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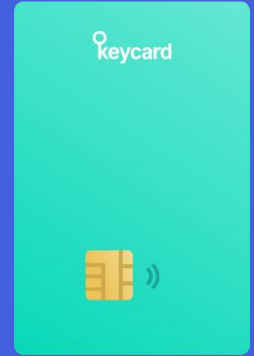
WETH pledged

3.81% of 12 goal

\$75.40 of \$1,980.36 USD



Keycard update



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- **Integration within Status**

- Card tearing issue [#9764](#)
- Until this is resolved, Keycard integration in Status v1 is disabled
- Path to solve it
 - Find the root cause within the card
 - Software tearing protection ?
 - Hardware (read/writes in eeprom) issues under certain physical circumstances ?
 - Hardware replacement solutions
 - Currently testing JCOP4 from NXP
 - Getting samples from Gemalto
 - Check if Infineon, Idemia have products solving this issue

- **Payment network**

- Iterative approach for the proof of concept
- PoC v1 defined [here](#)
- PoCv1 ready in February, currently fine tuning estimation of effort for the work remaining.





the status network

teller.exchange

- Live at <https://teller.exchange>
 - Experimental, keep trading funds limited

The screenshot shows the homepage of teller.exchange. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the 'teller' logo and a 'Sign Up' button. The main heading reads 'Buy and sell cryptocurrencies near you'. Below this, a sub-heading states: 'Teller is a secure and simple marketplace to buy and sell cryptocurrencies with people near you.' There are four main feature cards: 'Secure & Private', 'Peer to Peer', 'Worldwide', and 'Permissionless', each with a brief description. Below these is a section titled 'Most popular offers' with a sub-heading 'Choose from a growing number of sellers'. This section displays five offer cards for 'Juliana890' from Munich, Germany, each showing a 'Buy' button and a price of '1 SNT = 0.013901 €'. At the bottom, there is a section titled 'How does the trade work?' with a four-step process: 1. Store crypto in escrow, 2. Transfer money, 3. Confirm payment, and 4. Done. A 'Open App' button is located at the very bottom.





Embark



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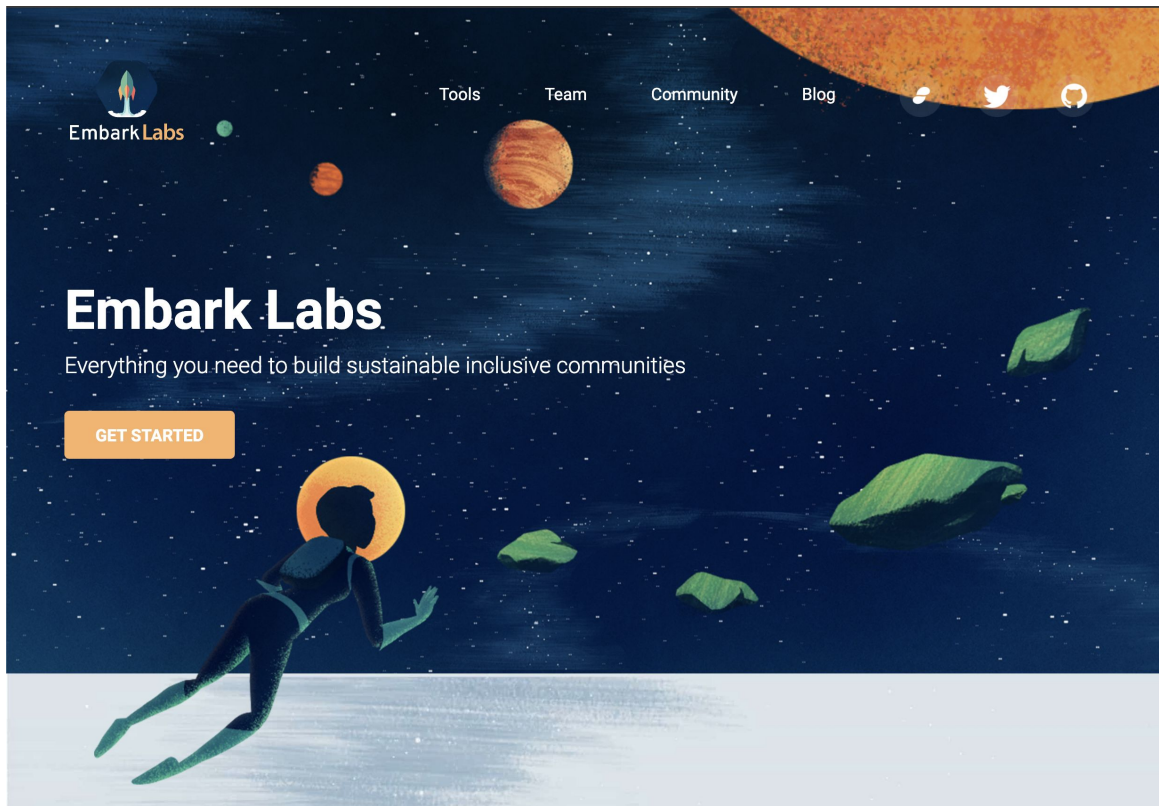
- **Embark 5.0 released!**
- **Embark 5.1 coming (very) soon**
 - New directive for interfaces and libraries configuration
 - Support for new types of plugins
 - Support controlling EVM client version in the tests
- **Nightlies system (thanks Michael!)**
 - `npm install embark@5.1.0-nightly.0`
- **Subspace Version 1.2 coming soon**
 - Support for polling
 - GraphQL Improvements



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embarklabs.io

New website!





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Main: <https://embarklabs.io>

Blog: [https://**blog**.embarklabs.io](https://blog.embarklabs.io)

Embark: [https://**framework**.embarklabs.io](https://framework.embarklabs.io)

Subspace: [https://**subspace**.embarklabs.io](https://subspace.embarklabs.io)



Q&A



#status-townhall-questions

Q1: from @cosmo:

How is the Status team organized? Are they a nonprofit? LLC? Just a bunch of geeky friends?

Any update on how close they are to solving the scaling?

What's the main issue with scaling?

