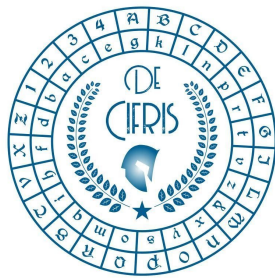


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**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2020 – at 11:00 a.m.  
Online Seminar via Zoom**

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## Updatable Blockchains

**Abstract:** Software updates for blockchain systems become a real challenge when they impact the underlying consensus mechanism. The activation of such changes might jeopardize the integrity of the blockchain by resulting in chain splits. Moreover, the software update process should be handed over to the community and this means that the blockchain should support updates without relying on a trusted party. In this seminar, we introduce the notion of updatable blockchains and show how to construct blockchains that satisfy this definition.

**Iscrizione all'evento online da effettuare entro il 14 dicembre tramite il seguente link:**

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