CASE STUDIES

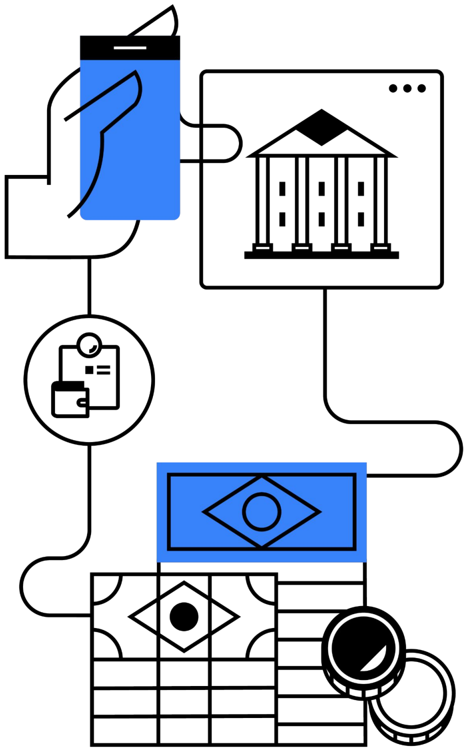
Trusted for crypto treasury

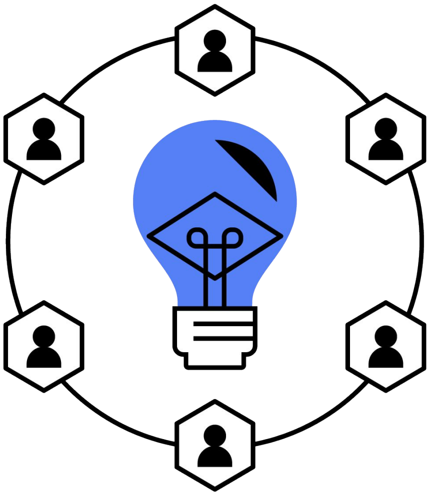
Protocols choose Anchorage Digital for treasury management

Challenge

Protocols, who often hold funds in the millions to billions of dollars in crypto, require both transparency to their community and security for their long-term funds. Early teams must also navigate regulatory complexities, as well as the many pressures of beginning to build a protocol from the ground up.

Since its founding by two security engineers, Anchorage Digital has provided custody support and efficient treasury management for protocols. When partnered with Anchorage Digital, protocols access a new standard for crypto custody so they don't have to choose between security and usability. Protocol teams and founders trust Anchorage Digital as a one-stop shop for all treasury needs, from vesting support to staking and more.





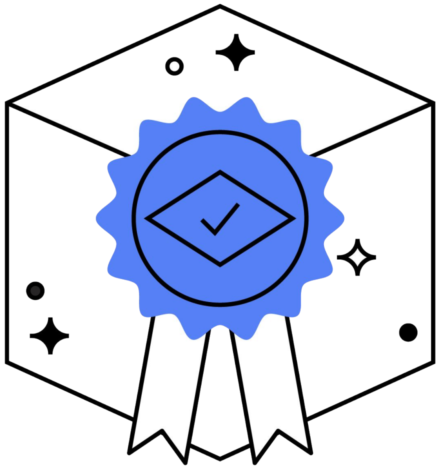
Opportunity

Anchorage Digital is a regulated crypto platform that provides protocols and institutions with integrated crypto-native services including custody, staking, trading, and governance. With the first federally chartered crypto bank in the U.S., Anchorage Digital offers protocol teams an unparalleled combination of security, product breadth, regulatory compliance, and client service.

Trusted for crypto treasury

Protocols require effective treasury management to show holders assets are secure and to keep funds accessible. Anchorage Digital works with protocols pre-mainnet through launch and beyond to help them secure custody of their treasury holdings with broad asset support.

Anchorage Digital arms protocol teams with a full-stack treasury management toolkit so they can put money to work while keeping assets secure.



Safe custody

Safeguard assets with robust security, including private keys and biometric authentication

Operations management

Create unlimited customizable wallets for any purpose: vendor payments, reserve management, employee grants, and more

Bespoke token distribution

Programmatically distribute tokens to trusted external destinations so vesting contracts are met via Anchorage Digital's secure API

Client service

Receive 24/7 support from relationship management and client experience teams

Your own blockchain addresses

Each client has one or more separate blockchain addresses, and Anchorage Digital does not commingle client assets

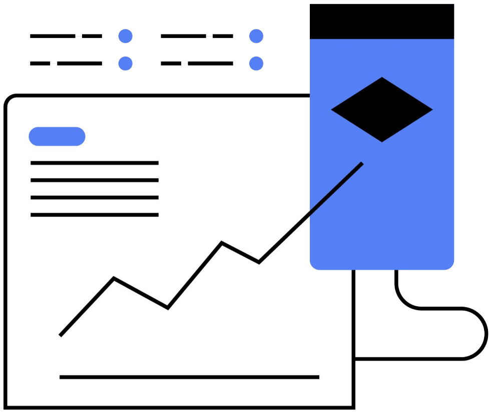
Bankruptcy protections

Anchorage Digital does not recognize client assets on its balance sheet, and they do not become part of the debtor estate in the event of a bankruptcy

Solution

Learn about the protocols tapping into Anchorage Digital's treasury management services:

Evmos: treasury management and staking



Evmos is a Ethereum Virtual Machine (EVM) Layer 1 blockchain in the Cosmos ecosystem that enables developers to launch apps and run interoperable smart contracts across any EVM and Cosmos- based blockchain.

For Evmos, it was important to provide users and developers the assurance that they were participating and building safely. Working with Anchorage Digital unlocked the benefits of custody and staking with a federally compliant bank. Now, Anchorage Digital makes Evmos custody and staking safe and secure for institutional participants.

Supported by full-stack treasury management with Anchorage Digital, Evmos's ecosystem can grow through institutional adoption, making it easy for institutions to transact across blockchains thanks to cross-chain interoperability.

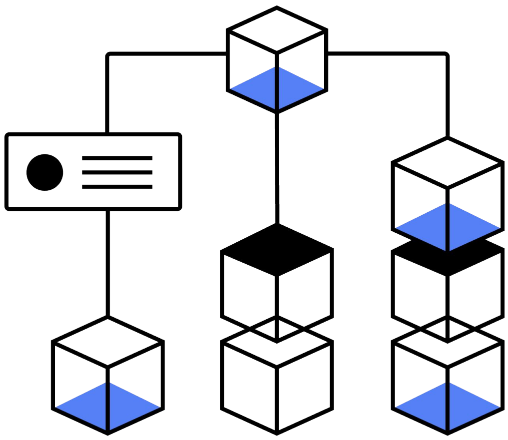
> We're very enthusiastic that Anchorage Digital is bringing its proven custody and staking services to Evmos. This key partnership gives institutions the seamless infrastructure to bolster Evmos and help ensure that this platform has a secure foundation for a thriving ecosystem of interoperable decentralized applications.

Federico Kunze Küllmer
Evmos

Axelar: vesting automation and staking rewards

Axelar is a secure cross-chain communication network. Built with Cosmos SDK, it connects users, assets, and decentralized applications (dApps) across any blockchain ecosystem.

Axelar needed treasury management support, specifically custody and vesting schedule facilitation for holders of its token, and came to Anchorage Digital. After being selected as the preferred institutional custodian and partnering with a number of token holders for custody support, Anchorage Digital was able to help ensure timely token distribution upon launch. In addition to secure custody, Axelar holders can stake through Anchorage Digital, the only federally chartered bank in the U.S. to offer staking, and collect rewards for securing the network.



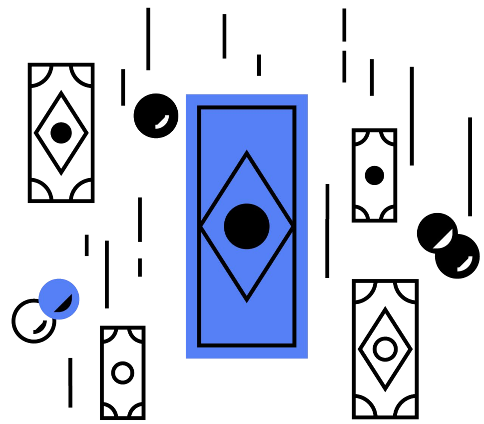
> We knew that for a crypto custodian to get on board with AXL before the token has been publicly launched, it would need to have thorough knowledge of security engineering—so we naturally turned to Anchorage Digital, who we knew would be up for the challenge. Security is the core of the Axelar network, so we couldn't be happier having a trusted, security-minded partner like Anchorage Digital offer AXL to its institutional clients—especially from the token's public launch.

Sergey Gorbunov
Axelar

Flow: custody and staking solutions

Flow is a next-generation blockchain recognized for its unique combination of scalability, usability, and environmentally sustainable features. Its architecture aims to make it easy for developers to build applications on the blockchain, including NFTs.

Anchorage Digital began supporting the Flow token in 2021 following demand from institutional clients. As a qualified custodian, Anchorage Digital offered the security and regulatory compliance necessary for the Flow team to expand with confidence.



> Flow was designed from the ground up with the consumer audience in mind, offering a best-in-class user experience the general public expects from modern platforms. That is why we’re very pleased to have the support of Anchorage Digital, giving institutional participants in the Flow network custody and staking solutions that are both secure and seamless.

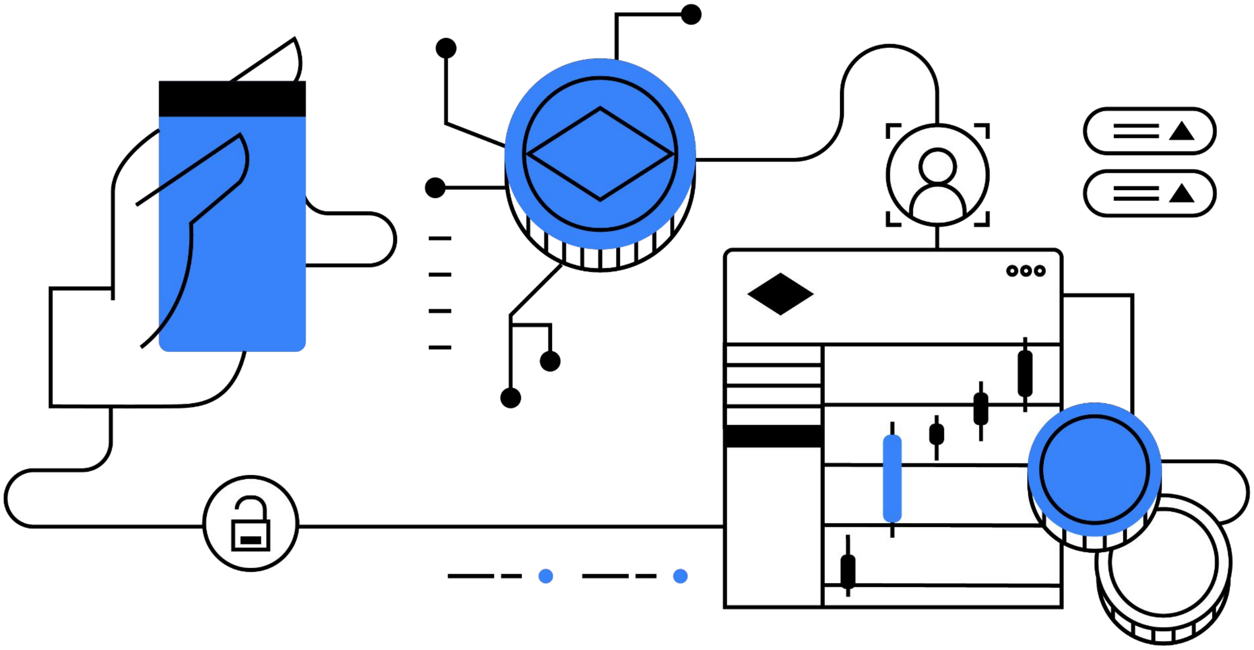
Mickey Maher
Flow

Looking ahead—activating programmatic transfers

Protocols want to partner with Anchorage Digital to add more treasury management capabilities. This includes unlocking new efficiencies with programmatic transfers to make secure crypto distributions via API for token vesting obligations.

Anchorage Digital's programmatic transfers empower protocol projects to distribute digital assets to trusted addresses. Specifically, tokens can be allotted at launch, according to contract schedules, for recurring vendor payments, or for regular payroll cycles.

Protocols can also manage treasury systematically and directly from custody with customizable, automated liquidations based on risk tolerance. To fuel their next phase of growth, protocols are actively building these automated capabilities with Anchorage Digital.



To learn more about Anchorage Digital, visit anchorage.com. To start a conversation with Anchorage Digital, please contact us at anchoragesales@anchorage.com.

Testimonials

Anchorage Digital is trusted by protocols worldwide for security, simplicity, and efficiency.

"Anchorage Digital has been a natural, mission-aligned collaborator for cLabs since day one. Best-in-class security and their ability to support all manner of on-chain participation makes Anchorage Digital a preferred custody provider for the Celo community."

Marek Olszewski, Co-Founder and Partner, Engineering, cLabs

"Anchorage Digital has developed a truly institutional platform for the digital asset space. We're glad to have them as a launch partner, and to offer institutional holders of ROSE secure, usable custody from day one."

Jernej Kos, Director, Oasis Foundation

"As the ecosystem expands and evolves, platforms like Anchorage Digital will be integral to the creation of a new kind of marketplace—one where crypto is used rather than simply held."

Robert Leshner, Founder & CEO, Compound

"In addition to state of the art security, Anchorage Digital is distinguished in that they enable the actual usage of tokens rather than just custody, and this makes them a great fit for the TrustToken ecosystem."

Rafael Cosman, CEO and Co-Founder, TrustToken

"Anchorage Digital has been a great partner in bringing institutional liquidity to the new creator digital economy at Rally."

Kevin Chou, CEO and Co-Founder, Rally

About Anchorage Digital

Anchorage Digital is a regulated crypto platform that provides institutions with integrated financial services and infrastructure solutions. With the only federally chartered crypto bank in the US, as well as Anchorage Digital Singapore, which offers equivalent security and service standards, Anchorage Digital provides institutions an unparalleled combination of secure custody, regulatory compliance, product breadth, and client service. Founded in 2017, Anchorage Digital is valued at over $3 billion with funding from leading institutions including Andreessen Horowitz, GIC—Singapore's sovereign wealth fund, Goldman Sachs, KKR, and Visa. Headquartered in San Francisco, California, Anchorage Digital is remote-friendly with offices in New York, New York; Porto, Portugal; Singapore; and Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Learn more at anchorage.com, on Twitter @Anchorage and on LinkedIn.