

The Metaverse

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Transcript

Yash: It's 6 AM. It's time for a morning jog with some friends who are in different parts of the world. You step on your treadmill and put your glasses on.

You are instantly transported right beside your friends — like they're right next to you. On other days maybe you go for a bike ride, or even try something new!

After a quick shower, you sit at your desk, put your glasses on, and are “transported” to your desk at your company's 24-hour workplace in the metaverse. You make some edits to your script and head over for your big client presentation.

You enter a large hall and walk over to the podium. There must be 40-50 people sitting in front of you and you start your presentation. It feels like you're there. It feels real. And one day soon that's likely how I will be presenting to you.

Later in the day, you unwind watching your favorite sport with a VIP seat or become completely immersed in your favourite movie.

Now let's go back to the real world. Despite all the progress in tech we still see each other in two dimensions. That's going to change and evolve into a more natural way of interacting digitally. I believe it's going to change the way we do everything. And this idea of a metaverse represents a step change in investment opportunity. It could be as big as the internet. And a lot of those enablers to make this virtual world a reality, will be here, in Asia.

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