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**From:** jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, December 9, 2016 1:13 AM  
**To:** Jeremy Rubin  
**Subject:** Re: Renewing Contract for 2017

im in new york all next week, cambridge on sun=ay

On T=u, Dec 8, 2016 at 9:11 PM, Jeremy Rubin [REDACTED] wrote:

Ok. I'll reach out then.

Let me know if you want to catc= up between now and then.

=div class="gmail\_default" style="font-family:arial,Helvetica,sans-seri;font-size:small;color:#000000">Thanks,

Jeremy

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<= href="https://twitter.com/JeremyRubin" target="\_blank">@JeremyRubin</=> <https://twitter.com/JeremyRubin>  
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On Thu, Dec 8, 2016 at 5:03 PM, jeffrey E. <=pan dir="ltr">jeevacation@gmail.com <mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com> > wrote:

uncertain. until jan

On Thu, Dec 8, 2016 at 9:00 PM, Jeremy Rubin [REDACTED] wrote:

Hi Jeffrey,

Wanted to discuss renew=ng my contract for 2017. I'm trying to plan my financials to a certain=degree for the next year before this tax year closes.

Having a=regular source of income with loose requirements has been very useful for =e to be able to apportion my time into deep thought in the space without w=rrying about immediate returns. But it would also be good, perhaps, to dis=uss if I'm meeting your expectations, and what topics you're inter=sted in through 2017 / if you'd want to see more outputs from me direc=ly (some kind of quarterly report/meeting or something?).

For instance, I haven't communicate= any of this to you, but I've spent the last month or so

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doing research on s=me new smart contracting primitive constructions

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attempting to=mathematically formalize parts of bitcoin

programs

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preparing educational materials on Bitcoin

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continuing my work on open source bitcoin software

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investigating security properties of deep learning algorithms

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developing a couple of ideas for potentially interesting financial services

around liquidity for bitcoin contracts

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poke at the Digital Garage SF conference on bitcoin development

In the next month or so I will be continuing the above as well as preparing for:

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coming to MIT to help with Joi's class

- (potentially) giving an invited talk at Stanford's

Blockchain Protocol Analysis and Security Engineering

conference

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Going to Japan to help teach a course to get more Japanese bitcoin developers

Best,

Jeremy

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