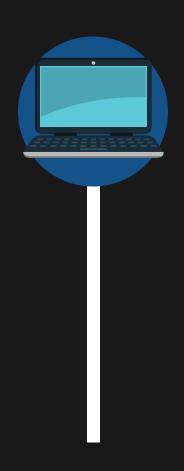
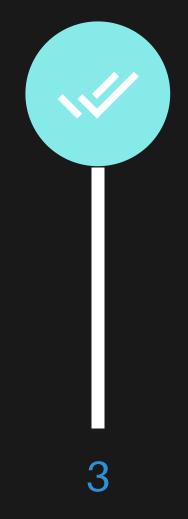
## **The Blockchain Process**



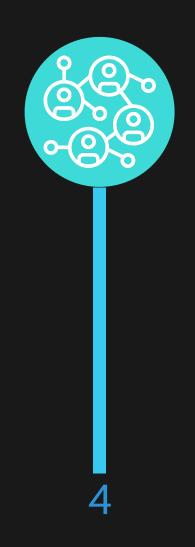
Someone sends a request for transaction



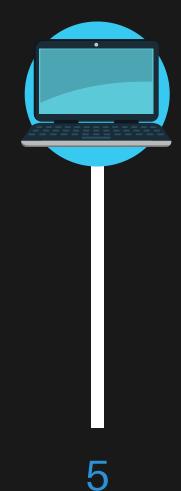
The request is represented by a block and broadcasted to a peer-to-peer network of nodes



The nodes validate the transaction and the block is added to the existing blockchain



The update is distributed across the peer-to-peer network



The transaction is complete