3. End users and miners (if any) then:

i. Download the software made available to them by the 3rd party.
ii. Run it, connect to the P2P network, and use whatever application that particular network supports.
iii. Possibly mine it, if they decide to and can do so (either may be false).

4. The network is then operated and governed according to its mining & governance mechanism (if any)

i. It may operate as an "intentionally-ungoverned" network, like the Bitcoin network.
ii. It may be maintained and governed in some different manner

Well, that's how it is done until now but with the rapid innovation in the blockchain space, things might change. For now, doing this would result in the creation of a new and fully independent network such as the one we have illustrated in the previous diagram. It is worth highlighting that Eleutherus/GP imposes no restrictions and no mandates either to the application layer "above" it or to the mining layer "below" it.

Specifically:

1. Eleutherus/GP places no restrictions on the application level "above" it. Applications are fully independent of the network level and may be anything that the application developer deems fit.
2. Eleutherus/GP also places no restrictions on the mining layer "below" it. Public, private, and permissioned approaches are all supported.

Like everyone else, we do have our views about how blockchain applications and mining should work but then, we choose to suppress our thoughts. We do this for two reasons. First off, Eleutherus/GP is here to overcome the hurdles faced by innovators, enabling them to independently innovate at each layer. Secondly, we do not intend to tell users what they can do and what they can't. Therefore Eleutherus/GP imposes no mandates or restrictions about the operations of levels "above" or "below".