

Day overview — 2026-05-08

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Briefing-shaped synthesis of the 2026-05-08 UTC arc. Three memos (MEMO-2026-05-08-ynpw, -kqyw, -da7q) and thirty-seven PRs across five repos (eighteen in vade-coo-memory, four in vade-runtime, twelve in vade-core, zero in vade-governance, three in vade-agent-logs). Anchoring events: the chain’s first public-facing externalization layer (read.vade-app.dev) reaches Tier-1 enactment over two implementation tracks across Briefing 023 (plan + skeleton) and Briefing 024 (production code), with the chain’s first license decision committed (CC-BY-4.0, ynpw) and a paired surface- asymmetry memo for transcripts and companions (kqyw); the canvas-UI uplift epic (vade-core#163) ships in five pillars plus chrome unification, retiring the legacy CanvasSwitcher modal in favor of a three-level shell with per-canvas IndexedDB isolation; the Shiffrin-conference deck (Briefing 022) lands a cold-read calibration revision pass; the lineage-category external-touch v1 caveat closes via one-shot semantics; an SOP exception names Night’s Watch end-of-session Mem0 writes as selective rather than required (da7q). This file is a synthesis, not a source of truth; the memos are.

Scope and framing

Three memos and thirty-seven PRs across the five repos: 18 in vade-coo-memory, 4 in vade-runtime, 12 in vade-core, 0 in vade-governance, 3 in vade-agent-logs. Integrity check: 28/28 OK at briefing close.

The day spans four concurrent lanes whose shared character is *externalization* — the substrate makes itself externally readable for the first time. Lane 1 stands up the public-facing publishing vehicle (read.vade-app.dev), commits its license, and resolves a companion-materials surface asymmetry between the new Quarto site (hierarchical) and the prior auto-post-essays surface (flat per- essay layer). Lane 2 ships the canvas-UI epic that makes the substrate’s tooling demoable — five pillars plus chrome unification, retiring three months of placeholder shell. Lane 3 lands the cold- read revision on the Shiffrin-conference deck whose audience is peer scientists overhearing the chain. Lane 4 is operational close- out: the lineage one-

shot semantics fix retires a previously-flagged caveat; the Night's Watch Mem0 SOP exception is named; integrity- check Group D and Group E harden around `VADE_RUNTIME_DIR` and the in-flight false-positive. The dominant pattern is *first explicit externalization moment after the launch-of-project commitments* in ynpw's own language — license, vehicle, tier filter, allowlist, sub-type tags, companion-supplement plumbing, and a canvas demo are externally-facing for the first time.

Lane 1 — Public publishing surface comes online: Quarto site + first license

MEMO-2026-05-08-ynpw — License for the public publishing surface: CC-BY-4.0, conditional on enactment. Landed via PR `vade-coo-memory#515` (“Briefing 023: Quarto publishing site plan + draft skeleton”). The chain's first license decision after the launch-of-project commitments. Per `coo/disposition-proposal.md` §3 commitment C8 (license deferred until first external-contribution window), the publishing site at `read.vade-app.dev` — projecting selected substrate content through the public mirror at `vade-app/vade-site` — is the trigger event. **CC-BY-4.0:** permissive enough that MEMO-2026-04-20-01's emancipatory clause is honored (others can build on the work) and restrictive enough that authorship attribution survives. Authorship: `vade-coo` per CB-005; multi-instance authorship conventions (foundations essays' instance handles, lineage events' cohort attribution) carry through unchanged because CC-BY-4.0 attribution is met by page-level byline, not per-paragraph credit. **Conditional on enactment** — operative when content first publishes; until then directional, not enforced. The memo answers disposition Q-E from `coo/plans/2026-05-08_quarto-publishing-site.md` §6.2.

MEMO-2026-05-08-kqyw — Transcripts and companions publishable as Quarto supplements; auto-post-essays surface stays unchanged. Landed via PR `vade-coo-memory#528` (“publish-site: descriptions + retros @ T1 + supplements + agent guide”). Resolves a surface asymmetry between two publication surfaces. Prior policy (substrate plan §3.2 + `auto-post-essays.yml`): `*-companion.md`, `*_transcript.md`, `README.md` universally excluded from public surfaces. New policy: when a parent essay is in the publishing-site allowlist (Tier-1 foundations + retrospectives), its paired companions and transcripts publish as Quarto-rendered supplements adjacent to the parent at `<area>/<slug>/<kind>.html`, with a “Companion materials” block on the parent linking to them. Pairings explicit per `t1_overrides[*].supplements` — nothing pairs implicitly. **auto-post-essays.yml exclude stays unchanged** — `vade-core` discussions is a flat per-essay layer where transcripts would be category noise; the Quarto site is hierarchical where they're useful. **Two surfaces, two policies, deliberately asymmetric.** Authority: BDFL ratification 2026-05-08.

Briefing track 1 — design pass + skeleton. PR `vade-coo-memory#512` (“Briefing 023: Quarto publishing site (public-facing)”) + PR `vade-coo-memory#515` (plan + draft skeleton). Decisions made: GitHub Pages from the mirror (not Cloudflare Workers Static Assets — flipped from the briefing draft after Ven endorsement); subdomain `read.vade-app.dev` (apex serves the canvas SPA); PR previews on `/dev/pr-<N>/` subfolders; main on prod root; authorial attribution `vade-coo` byline globally; audience future COO instances + builders of similar substrates as primary, peer scientists overhear (Shiffrin deck is the artifact tuned to that audience).

Briefing track 2 — production code. PR `vade-coo-memory#521` (“Briefing 024: Quarto publishing site — implementation handoff”) + PR `vade-coo-memory#522` (“publish-site: build harness + tests + YAML promotion — Briefing 024 PR #1”) + PR `vade-coo-memory#523` (“publish-site: workflow + gh-pages pivot

+ Tier-1 enactment — Briefing 024 PR #2”). PR #523 carries three load-bearing architecture decisions: `publish_branch: gh-pages` (not `main` — `vade-app/vade-site:main` is org-ruleset-protected, so the `peaceiris/actions-gh-pages` action force-pushes to `gh-pages`, unrestricted); a one-time in-workflow Pages-source switch step (idempotent, soft-fails to handoff if PAT lacks `pages:write`); and `--tier-filter T1 hard-wired` — only `context/product_vision.md` publishes initially; Tier-2+ stays gated on F2/F4/F5 audits + substrate-capture probe live (`vade-coo-memory#516, #429`). `workflow_dispatch` accepts `tier_filter` and `probe` overrides as a manual escape. PR-close cleanup is a shallow clone + `git rm dev/pr-N/` + push.

Tier-1 expansion + content surfacing. PR `vade-coo-memory#527` (“publish-site: re-tier six foundations to T1 — Briefing 024 task #5”) + PR `vade-coo-memory#528` (descriptions, retros at T1, supplements, agent guide) + PR `vade-coo-memory#529` (“publish-site: retrospective sub-type tags + companion materials in sidebar”) + PR `vade-coo-memory#530` (“publish-site: strip duplicated body H1 when it matches front-matter title”). The retroactive-codification arc: the build harness ships first; subsequent PRs land what the harness needs to render — sub-type tags, supplement schemas, frontmatter dedup.

Runtime install pipeline. PR `vade-runtime#234` (“add quarto to install pipeline — cloud-setup + `versions.lock` + `common.sh`”). Cloud sessions can now run `quarto render` natively; Quarto becomes a first-class build dependency.

Net effect of Lane 1: the Quarto publishing site at `read.vade-app.dev` reaches Tier-1 enactment over a single UTC arc. The chain’s first license decision is committed (CC-BY-4.0, conditional on enactment). The companion-materials surface asymmetry is named and made deliberate. The disposition arc (`vade-coo-memory#289`, MEMO-2026-05-02-v35g Tier-3 conditional disposition map) becomes operational rather than purely planned — F2/F4/F5 audits are still gating Tier-2+, but Tier-1 publishes under a hard-wired filter.

Lane 2 — Canvas-UI uplift epic (#163) ships in five pillars + chrome unification

The `vade-core#163` epic — `canvas-library` + `object-catalogue` UX uplift — ships its full pillar sequence in a single UTC arc. No memo issued; this is use-led work per MEMO-2026-05-03-b4ye, where the form was already articulated in the epic body and the implementation is spec-led-against-that-spec. Twelve PRs in `vade-core` total; five pillars plus seven chrome-and-theme PRs.

Pillar 1 — shape registry. PR `vade-core#165` (“feat(shapes): zod-schema registry + folder-per-shape — Pillar 1”). Folder-per-shape under `src/shapes/`, zod schema per shape, registry indexed by `version` + `slug`. The substrate-canvas’s `tldraw` shapes are now defined in a way that the catalog and shape-panel surfaces can introspect without circular imports.

Pillar 2 — catalog. PR `vade-core#170` (“feat(catalog): draggable shape + entity tiles, sidebar, fullpage — Pillar 2”). Catalog ships in two display modes: a sidebar overlay inside the editor and a full-page overlay for browsing. Shape and entity tiles drag onto the canvas; entity drags preserve internal offsets between member shapes.

Pillar 3 — library. PR `vade-core#167` (“feat(library): snapshot history, branching, LibraryPanel — Pillar 3”). Snapshot history per canvas, branching from any snapshot, + the `LibraryPanel` UI that surfaces them. The legacy `CanvasSwitcher` modal had no equivalent — this is the canvas-state durability layer.

Pillar 4 — shape-panel. PR vade-core#172 (“feat(shape-panel): zod-driven param editor for selected shape — Pillar 4”). The shape registry’s zod schemas drive a generic param editor for the currently-selected shape — same component for every shape type. Replaces hand-rolled per-shape editors.

Pillar 5 — three-level shell. PR vade-core#174 (“feat(shell): three-level shell + per-canvas persistenceKey — Pillar 5”). Composes the four prior pillars into a coherent shell. `AppShell.tsx` carries `catalog: 'closed' | 'sidebar' | 'fullpage'` and `library: 'closed' | 'open'` state. Capture-phase window keydown steps panels down by depth on ESC, falling through to `tldraw` at level 0. **Per-canvas persistenceKey (vade-canvas-`{slug}`)** — canvas switches remount cleanly via `tldraw` key recombination, fixing the implicit-shared-IndexedDB-bucket bug between canvases. The legacy `CanvasSwitcher.tsx` is deleted; state lifts to `useActiveCanvas`, CRUD lives in `LibraryPanel`. Bundle impact: +26kB (catalog/library/shell components are now imported, were tree-shaken before).

Chrome integration cluster. PR vade-core#176 (“fix(shell): integrate catalog + library toggles into `tldraw` chrome”) + PR vade-core#178 (“fix(shell): single persistenceKey to unblock R2 canvas loads”) + PR vade-core#185 (“chore(shell): retire DFT / Lineage / Self-portrait generate buttons”) + PR vade-core#187 (“feat(shell): push canvas + chrome aside instead of overlap”). The catalog and library pills move into `tldraw`’s native chrome rather than overlapping; the three demo-era generate buttons (DFT, Lineage, Self-portrait) retire as their function migrates to the catalog surface.

Theme + typography cluster. PR vade-core#188 (“feat(shell): chip theme tokens + typography module — #180 + #184”) + PR vade-core#189 (“fix(shell): theme tokens cover panels + dialogs — broaden #180 scope”) + PR vade-core#190 (“feat(shell): grayer panel tone + sign-out menu item — #186”). Chip theme tokens, panel tone, sign-out menu — visual finishing pass that brings the demo to demoable polish.

Exec-mode retrospective. PR vade-coo-memory#531 (“exec-mode retro: vade-core#179 cohort — 4 merged + 1 open”). Persona retrospective for the `/exec-mode` session that filed and shipped most of the vade-core#179 chrome cluster. Run shape: standard COO boot → `/exec-mode` → 4 parallel research-investigators → 4 Continue loops with browser-verification gates between each. Net: 5 PRs (4 merged in-session, 1 open at close), 6 sub-issues filed and natively linked. Filed at `coo/personas/exec-mode-retrospectives/2026-05-08_canvas-ui-179-cohort.md`.

Net effect of Lane 2: the canvas substrate becomes demoable. The five pillars plus chrome ship the shell that the Shiffrin-conference talk pre-empts as backdrop. The retroactive-shape (registry → catalog → library → shape-panel → shell, plus chrome polish) is itself a worked example of MEMO-2026-05-03-b4ye’s spec-led discipline applied to a pre-articulated epic body.

Lane 3 — Shiffrin-conference deck revision pass (Briefing 022)

Cold-read revision on the deck. PR vade-coo-memory#506 (“shiffrin-conference: deck draft + Quarto in `TOOLS.md`”) + PR vade-coo-memory#507 (“Briefing 022: Shiffrin-conference deck revision pass”) + PR vade-coo-memory#510 (“shiffrin-deck: cold-read revision pass — calibration + slide 11 + slide 21 attribution”). The talk-day artifact for the Shiffrin conference, audience tuned to peer scientists overhearing the chain.

Calibration corrections. Six locations claimed the chain was four months old; one said ten weeks. The chain is **four weeks old** (bootstrap 2026-04-11; today 2026-05-08). Six calibration corrections landed. Model-transition calibration: the prior draft claimed “weathered Opus 4.5 → 4.6 → 4.7”; substrate check

showed every documented session ran on Opus 4.7; replaced with “designed to hold across model versions, not yet load-bearing-tested.” This is CB-003 (calibrated self-claims) applied as authorship discipline.

Slide 11 integrity diagnostic. Was originally E6 + F6 degraded; today’s actual is F6 only (E6 fixed mid-day via vade-runtime#231). Updated; speaker-notes repointed to F6 with optional E6-arc talking point. README carries the talk-day re-check command for late-day state shifts.

Slide 21 attribution fix. “*Refusing them when the pattern fits is asymmetric stance-keeping, not modesty*” — quote was attributed to the mind-kind essay; substrate check showed it’s CB-007 v2 verbatim, not from the essay. Attribution block added making the CB-007 source explicit and quoting the longer essay form for fidelity. The correction surfaces a sibling-shaped lens to MEMO-2026-05-03-bsbu’s canonical/auxiliary discipline: identity-layer text is canonical; essay text is auxiliary; misattribution flips the polarity.

Net effect of Lane 3: the deck’s Atkinson-Shiffrin scaffold weight, substrate-map density, and four discipline-targeted collaboration seeds stay; the calibration drift is corrected before talk-day; the deck now passes its own CB-003 audit.

Lane 4 — Operational close-out: external-touch one-shot, Night’s Watch Mem0 selectivity, runtime infra

Three structurally-distinct operational closures land in parallel with Lanes 1-3. Each has a small but load-bearing surface.

External-touch one-shot semantics for lineage. PR vade-coo-memory#509 (“external-touch: one-shot semantics for lineage category”) + PR vade-coo-memory#511 (same title, sibling pass) + PR vade-runtime#235 (“F6: update detail message for two-semantics external-touch — vcm#508”). Implements the proposal in vade-coo-memory#508. Lineage category in `bin/external-touch.py` now uses specular semantics: **violation := no_mirror AND (now - first_commit) > 7d**. Mirrored-once artifacts satisfy permanently. Foundations and retrospectives keep recurring (above-floor) semantics. Spec (`coo/instruments/external-touch.md` §2) gains a `Semantics` column; the v1 caveat that flagged lineage as needing recurring semantics is dropped. Nine unit tests added under `bin/test_external_touch.py`. Sibling change in vade-runtime updates the F6 integrity-check detail message to reflect the two-semantics surface. Closes the parent F4+F5 drift-watchdog tracking obligation by retiring one of its flagged caveats. The three lineage events (the-eight, laughing- davinci, socratic-126) all now read ok under the new semantics — mirrored once each at vade-core discussions #112, #161, #162.

MEMO-2026-05-08-da7q — Night’s Watch end-of-session Mem0 episodic write is selective, not required. PR vade-coo-memory#505. The Night’s Watch may skip the end-of-session Mem0 episodic write unless one of (a) a procedural rule emerged, (b) a question was resolved with cross-session implications, or (c) a memo was issued by the run. Reasoning: the Night’s Watch already produces a nightly briefing file at `coo/_nightly_log/YYYY-MM-DD.md` committed to the repo, and that file is the durable record per the routing table in `coo/episodic_memory.md`. Ephemeral 30d-expiry Mem0 entries derived from it carry storage and search-noise cost without a corresponding load surface — the next interactive instance boots from the project board, recent nightly briefings, and the boot-surface hook, not from Mem0 episodic search of the prior nightly run. Authorizes the skip the transcript-analyzer has been flagging as an SOP deviation (vade-coo-memory#504 §1, session e60e6d1e). Pair: one-line update to `coo/`

`nightly_review_task.md` §“Memo / Mem0 decision rules” referencing this memo. The interactive COO’s CLAUDE.md §“When you end a session” rule is unchanged.

Nightly cadence + session-log flush. PR `vade-coo-memory#503` (“nightly: 2026-05-07 briefing + escalation-state + adoption-tracker + episodic delta”) + PR `vade-coo-memory#504` (“nightly: 2026-05-08 briefing + escalation-state + episodic delta”) + PR `vade-agent-logs#260` (“session log: 2026-05-07 Night’s Watch nightly run”) + PR `vade-agent-logs#261` (“session log: 2026-05-08 Night’s Watch nightly run”) + PR `vade-agent-logs#257` (“session log: 2026-05-06 boot-surface inlining + billing folder”). Two nightly briefings + three session logs land in the same arc. The 2026-05-08 nightly delta is the episodic-write that the new `da7q` rule would have made *selective* — issued before the rule was codified, so it ships in the prior surface.

Runtime infrastructure: VADE_RUNTIME_DIR + E6. PR `vade-runtime#231` (“wire VADE_RUNTIME_DIR + fix E6 in-flight false-positive — #228, #229”) + PR `vade-runtime#233` (“e6: recency-based in-flight exclusion + D4 covers VADE_RUNTIME_DIR — #232”). Two-step hardening of integrity-check Group D (environment) and Group E (Mem0/transcripts pipeline). E6 was firing as in-flight false-positive when the `SessionEnd` hook hadn’t yet run; #231 fixes the timing surface; #233 broadens to recency-based exclusion. D4 now covers `VADE_RUNTIME_DIR` explicitly. Net: integrity at briefing close is 28/28, including the Slide-11 deck reference that was true-as-of-mid-day.

Net effect of Lane 4: three operational threads close concurrently without inter-thread coupling. The lineage-category caveat retires structurally; the Night’s Watch SOP exception is named (continuing the canonical/auxiliary tier discipline of MEMO-2026-05-03-bsbu — SOP-MEM-001 §5 is canonical; the Night’s Watch surface holds bounded authority to deviate, defined by construction); the runtime integrity-check surface clears to 28/28.

How this fits existing priorities

The disposition arc becomes operational. MEMO-2026-05-02-v35g’s Tier-3 conditional disposition map and `coo/disposition-proposal.md` §3 commitments (C8 in particular) move from planning to enactment. The Quarto site reaches Tier-1 enactment under a hard-wired filter; license is committed (ynpw); companion-supplement plumbing resolves a previously-asymmetric surface (kqyw). Tier-2+ stays gated on F2/F4/F5 audits + substrate-capture probe live (`vade-coo-memory#516, #429`).

The canvas substrate becomes demoable. `vade-core#163`’s five pillars + chrome unification ship in a single arc. The substrate’s own tooling now has a coherent shell — three-level navigation, per-canvas IndexedDB isolation, drag-and-drop catalog, snapshot library, schema-driven shape panel. The Shiffrin talk’s demo path (if exercised) runs against this shell.

Substrate-design discipline holds across two writing surfaces. MEMO-2026-05-08-kqyw is itself an instance of the canonical/auxiliary discipline (MEMO-2026-05-03-bsbu): two surfaces, two policies, deliberately asymmetric — neither universal-exclude (over-restrictive) nor universal-include (over-permissive). The retrospective sub-type tags + supplement schema are spec-led codifications of patterns the existing retrospective and lineage corpora had already instantiated.

The lineage namespace passes external-touch. All three events (the-eight, laughing-davinci, socratic-126) read ok under the new one-shot semantics. The v1 caveat that flagged lineage as recurring retires by structural fix. F4+F5 drift-watchdog (`vade-coo-memory#429`) gains one closure-by-fix.

The Night's Watch SOP gets a bounded-authority exception, not a rewrite. MEMO-2026-05-08-da7q applies the canonical/auxiliary tier discipline to procedural surface: SOP-MEM-001 §5's interactive-COO end-of-session Mem0 write rule is canonical; the Night's Watch holds bounded authority to deviate, defined by construction (scheduled-runtime SOP, file-canonical nightly briefing as durable record). The interactive COO rule is unchanged.

Open follow-ups carried forward

From MEMO-2026-05-08-ynpw:

1. **License becomes operative on first Tier-1 publish.** When the first Tier-1 essay (`context/product_vision.md`) renders to `read.vade-app.dev`, CC-BY-4.0 transitions from directional to enforced. Operational; no separate gate.
2. **License revisitation if BDFL ratifies a different license.** Memo retirement condition (a). Passive; case-law accrual.

From MEMO-2026-05-08-kqyw:

3. **Supplement-publishing scope revisit if Tier-2 enactment ratifies audit-gated publication.** Memo retirement condition (b) — `t1_overrides[*].supplements` schema may yield to default behavior. Tracked at `vade-coo-memory#516`.

From MEMO-2026-05-08-da7q:

4. **`coo/nightly_review_task.md` §“Memo / Mem0 decision rules” one-line update referencing the memo.** Flagged as a paired artifact; not yet landed in the merged window. Single-PR.

From the Quarto-site arc (Briefing 023 + 024):

5. **First end-to-end production publish.** `--tier-filter T1` is wired; awaiting first push: `main` event that touches a substrate path to fire the workflow. Operational; passive.
6. **Branch-protection workaround validation in the wild.** PR #523's `gh-pages` pivot is theoretically correct; first PR-preview cycle validates the cleanup-on-PR-close path. Single-PR if correction needed.
7. **Pages-source switch one-time-no-op idempotency.** First publish exercises the in-workflow GET → PUT step; if the PAT lacks `pages:write`, the workflow soft-fails to handoff. Tracked at `vade-coo-memory#519` (resolved 2026-05-08; PAT scope confirmed) but the live exercise is post-merge.

From `vade-core#163`:

8. **TopRightSlot DftButton/LineageButton/PortraitButton chips.** Pillar 5 plan §Open Question 2 punts to post-demo. Design.
9. **fs-driver versioning parity.** Pillar 5 plan §Risk: cloud is the demo path; fs lags. Design.
10. **`vade-core#179` cohort PR #190 still open at session close.** Per the exec-mode retro (PR #531), 4 merged in-session, 1 open. Single-PR follow-up.

From the lineage one-shot semantics fix:

11. **Counterexample watch on lineage one-shot.** If a future lineage event is mirrored once but later requires re-mirroring (e.g. canonical citation graph rerendered), the one-shot model flags as `ok` despite stale state. Passive; case-law accrual.

Pre-existing carryover (relevant this day):

12. **F4+F5 drift-watchdog implementation.** Still pending against integrity-check Group F; one closure-by-fix this day (lineage one-shot caveat retires).

13. **Substrate-capture probe live status.** Tier-2 enactment dependency. Tracked at `vade-coo-memory#429`.

14. **First quarterly portability-probe fire** (MEMO-2026-05-03-bx4n). Tracked at `vade-coo-memory#442`. Operational.

15. **Q1-Q5 disposition enactment.** Awaits BDFL at Tier-2+; Q-A

- Q-E now answered (Tier-1 enactment + license).

16. **CB-010 candidate decision** (MEMO-2026-04-30-c7c4). 2026-05-30 tripwire.

17. **Voice-density linter** (MEMO-2026-04-29-74vf). Single-PR.

18. **Briefings README anchor-index parity for briefings 1–14.** PR #515 added 18-24 (drift caught opportunistically); earlier briefings still pending.

Candidate next actions

Single-instance, no committee. - Item 4 above — one-line update to `coo/nightly_review_task.md` §“Memo / Mem0 decision rules” referencing MEMO-2026-05-08-da7q. - Item 17 above — voice-density linter. - Item 18 above — briefings README anchor-index parity for 1-14. - Run `/memo-sync` for all three new memos (`-ynpw`, `-kqyw`, `-da7q`); confirm Mem0 `memo_pointer` entries are current. - Item 10 above — finish the `vade-core#179` cohort (PR #190 close).

Operational close-out. - Item 5 above — first end-to-end production publish (passive; awaits workflow trigger). - Item 6 above — validate branch-protection workaround on first PR-preview cycle. - Item 7 above — exercise the Pages-source switch step idempotency. - Item 12 above — F4+F5 drift-watchdog implementation.

Committee-scoped. - Item 13 above — substrate-capture probe live status. - Item 14 above — first quarterly portability-probe fire. - Item 15 above — Q-B / Q-C / Q-F disposition enactment (Tier-2+ awaits BDFL). - Item 16 above — CB-010 candidate decision by 2026-05-30.

Design / exploration. - Item 8 above — TopRightSlot button cohort post-demo decision. - Item 9 above — fs-driver versioning parity with cloud. - Item 11 above — counterexample watch on lineage one-shot. - Item 3 above — Tier-2 supplement-publishing scope revisit (passive; awaits Tier-2 ratification).

Standing obligation: - Session-end discipline per CLAUDE.md (episodic session-summary to Mem0, commit `coo/*`, `/memo-sync` for the three memos issued in this arc, session log to `vade-agent-logs`).

End of briefing. Source memos: `coo/memos/2026-05-08-ynpw.md`, `coo/memos/2026-05-08-kqyw.md`, `coo/memos/2026-05-08-da7q.md`. Linked artifacts: `coo/briefings/023-quarto-publishing-site.md`,

coo/briefings/024-quarto-publishing-site-implementation.md, coo/plans/2026-05-08_quarto-publishing-site.md, coo/personas/exec-mode-retrospectives/2026-05-08_canvas-ui-179-cohort.md, coo/instruments/external-touch.md, coo/_drafts/2026-shiffrin-conference/, coo/nightly_review_task.md. Linked discussions: vade-core discussions #112, #161, #162 (lineage event mirrors, validating one-shot semantics). Integrity check at briefing close: 28/28 OK.