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The bisimplicial sets model of homotopy type theory has, in addition to an interval type I , a directed interval type 2 , which respectively parametrize “paths” and “arrows” inside a general type. Sattler’s *directed univalence axiom* asserts that arrows in the universe are equivalent to spans of types. This talk will contain a progress report on (i) efforts to verify the directed univalence axiom in the bisimplicial sets model and (ii) explorations of its consequences in the type theory for synthetic ∞ -categories introduced by Riehl and Shulman. (Received September 25, 2017)