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## Beck Venture Center Startup Forum 1: IP Law with Will Barrett

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**Wednesday, August 28, 2024**  
**4:00 - 6:00 PM MT**

Beck Venture Center  
Golden, CO

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Partner William Barrett presents, "Perspectives on Patents" which will provide practical intellectual property (IP) guidance for entrepreneurs. The presentation will cover IP from the viewpoint of founders, investors, partners, and competitors, offering clear advice on developing a successful strategy for securing competitive advantage. William will use real-world examples to explain how startup founders can protect their inventions, attract investment, and set their companies up for long-term success. This presentation will be helpful for any founder looking to understand the role of patents and other forms of intellectual property in supporting their startup's success.

Startup Forum is a program series designed to empower entrepreneurs with essential knowledge and insights crucial for startup success. Each session within the series features a diverse lineup of industry experts and thought leaders who delve into various topics. These topics include Intellectual Property (IP) Law, pricing strategies, general legal considerations for startups, venture capital (VC) insights, founder panels, and practical advice on capital fundraising. Through engaging speakers and interactive panels, Beck Venture Center's Startup Forum provides invaluable guidance and networking opportunities to equip founders and entrepreneurs of Mines and the broader community with the tools and understanding needed to navigate the competitive startup landscape effectively.

The local startup community is the heartbeat of the Beck Venture Center, and we ensure plenty of time for networking at every startup forum event!

Come network and enjoy complimentary snacks and drinks, including happy hour beverages, courtesy of the Beck Venture Center.