



Patent Mining Workshop

Overview:

Small companies rely on patents to prevent competitors from commercializing their core technology. Large companies build giant patent portfolios to protect themselves from patent trolls and enable cross-licensing with competitors. While many patents naturally matriculate from focused research – often companies conduct dedicated patent mining activities to build their portfolio and find that next great invention.

Come learn how it's done in industry! Our industry liaison officer, Tom Snyder, will guide your group through the patent development process. In a hands-on approach, you will brainstorm, discuss possible invention ideas, and go through the process of writing and grading an invention disclosure!

Date: Oct 14th, 2-5pm OR Oct 17th, 2-5pm Bring your laptop

Moderator: Tom Snyder

Expectations: Participate in one of the two Patent Mining sessions. Total time commitment (includes both sessions): 3-4 hours.