



CSG ENTREPRENEURSHIP DAYS IN THE CAPITOL | AGENDA



presented by

The Council of State Governments' **State Pathways to Prosperity Initiative**, CSG West
and

Senate Majority Leader John McComish

Welcome and Introductions | 9:30–9:45 a.m.

The Power of Entrepreneurship | 9:45–10:45 a.m.

Why supporting entrepreneurs is important, the do's and don'ts of state policy and how states can effectively evaluate policies and programs

Presenters »

Dane Stangler, Vice President, Research and Policy, Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation

Yasuyuki Motoyama, Senior Scholar, Research and Policy, Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation

The State Perspective | 10:45–11:30 a.m.

The current entrepreneurial landscape in Arizona and Nevada, from legislative and economic development perspectives

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Brian Sherman, Senior Vice President, Business Development, Arizona Commerce Authority

Sen. Pat Spearman, Nevada

Moderated Panel Discussion and Audience Q & A | 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
(Lunch Provided)

Moderator »

Sen. John McComish, Arizona