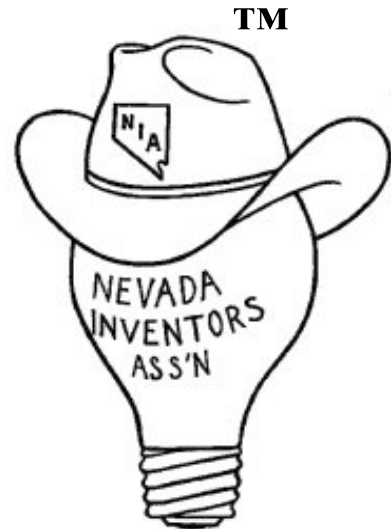


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Announcements & Events:

Saturday, September 19th, 2009, Hyatt, Santa Clara, CA. Stephen Key and Andrew Krauss with InventRight will be hosting Two FREE 'Ideas Make Millions' Inventor Workshops www.inventright.com

Upcoming Speakers:

Sept 26 Gary Foote, Reno Angels

Oct 24 Dr. Larry Udell

Nov 28 TBA

Dec 19 2010 Elections

Discovery consists of seeing what everybody has seen and thinking what nobody else has thought. Jonathan Swift, Gulliver's Travel s

A patent, or invention, is any assemblage of technologies or ideas that you can put together that nobody put together that way before. That's how the patent office defines it. That's an invention. [Dean Kamen](#)

**August 22, 2009
Annual Picnic & Barbeque**

Thank you to all who participated this year. Special kudos to Vince and Mike Chemist, Don Costar, Ivan Gibbs, and Dieter Berndt for all the special effort to ensure its success. I heard Katherine Costar's teriyaki meatballs were incredibly delicious.

We have already reserved a primo space at Rancho San Rafael for next year's picnic!


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**Agenda ~ September 26, 2009
Conference Rm.**

Elks BPOE #597 Reno NV

9:00-9:15

Call to Order

Secretary & Treasurers Report

Roll Call

9:15- 9:35—Announcements

9:35 AM – 9:55

Break & Networking

10:00 AM – 11:00

**Presentation by Gary Foote,
Reno Angels**

11:00- 11:15 Questions & Answers

11:15-11:35 Networking Break

**11:35 Association Meeting
Wrap-Up**

Noon: Adjournment

Guest Speaker September 26: Gary Foote of the Reno Angels

The Reno Angels are a group of accredited investors dedicated to providing equity capital to early and mid-stage entrepreneurial companies. Our primary focus is on companies based in Northern Nevada. Members of the Reno Angels have extensive experience in founding, building, managing and/or financing companies in a wide variety of industries. We mentor and coach the entrepreneurs in whom we invest, serve on their boards, provide contacts and assist with team building, strategic planning and fundraising.

The Reno Angels also work closely with other angel groups throughout the country as well as regional and national venture firms. We welcome you to browse through this site to learn more about us, and about how you can work with us; as an entrepreneur to be funded, a professional industry sponsor, or as prospective angel investor yourself.

Guest Speaker October 24: Prof. Lawrence J. Udell

Dr. Lawrence J. Udell is Executive Director of both the *Center For New Venture Alliance* and the *California Invention Center*. He has created and taught "New Ventures and Entrepreneurship" courses for over 25 years, plus a special course on, "Technology Marketing" at the Cal-State Hayward, School of Business and Economics.

He served as a Lecturing Professor at U.C. Berkeley teaching a course on Technology Transfer & Commercialization, plus other universities in the U. S. and Canada. He is an active member of the Licensing Executives Society, and is co-founder and Managing Director of the Silicon Valley Chapter of LES. He also serves as Senior Consultant to General Patent Corporation of Suffern, NY.

Founder of over 20 corporations, he also provides consulting to both start-ups and Fortune 500 companies, plus lectures frequently at inventor, corporate and government functions throughout America and in other countries for the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO division of the United Nations).



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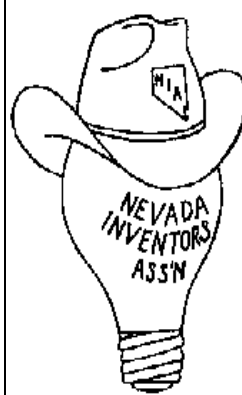
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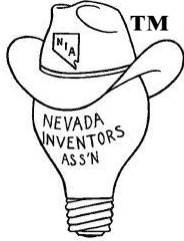
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