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“Patents: What, Why, When”

A general and informal discussion on Patents. What they are, how you can go about filing a patent, and when and why you would want to file a patent. This talk will aim to provide information to those at UBC who are thinking of starting a company and wondering about IP protection or those wanting to have the University Industry Liaison Office assess and commercialize their invention.

Specific questions will be discussed, such as:

- a) who owns the Intellectual Property (IP), you or UBC?
- b) How to proceed if UBC owns the IP or if you own the IP?
- c) What do you do if you want to file a patent?

An overview of the process for filing a patent and obtaining an issued patent will also be presented.

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