



Invites you to participate in an  
**Extended Technology Entrepreneur Education Program**

**“Intellectual Property 2: Patent Applications and the Latest from  
the PTO”**  
(3.2 CLE/CPE credits)

This seminar will review what the inventor needs to know and how to make life easier (and save money) in the process of filing a patent. The seminar will include discussions of the pitfalls in filing provisional patent applications and the requirements for applications. The subject matter will be presented through live lectures at an intermediate level, with handout materials provided and Q&A panels. The program is tailored for entrepreneurs in the R&D business sector and professionals such as lawyers and accountants working with them. Specific course objectives include:

- Building your confidence in preparing US Provisional applications
- Discussing the requirement for filing US Non-Provisionals and PCT applications
- Reviewing recent PTO administrative actions
- Understanding the timeline of events for filing from conception of a patentable invention to expiration of a patent

Scheduled speakers:                    Richard Shear – Thompson Coburn, LLP  
    Saul Zackson– Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal LLP  
    David Deal – Washington University Law School (supervising interns)

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DATE/TIME:                                Wednesday, December 3, 2008: 2:00 – 5:00 PM followed by a **Networking  
Happy Hour** from 5:00 – 6:00 PM

PLACE:                                        **Center for Emerging Technologies**  
4041 Forest Park Avenue  
St. Louis, MO 63108

PARKING:                                    Available on Forest Park Ave.

REGISTRATION:                            **Registration fees for this event are \$30. If attending for professional credits, registration fees are \$50. Cash or check only, we are unable to process credit cards.** Please register by submitting your contact information through any one of the following sources:  
1). Fax: (314) 615-6901  
2). Phone: (314) 615-6915  
3). E-Mail: [CET\\_programs@emergingtech.org](mailto:CET_programs@emergingtech.org)  
4). Mail to the address above.