

# A FIRESIDE CHAT WITH DEAN BURGESS

## SHARING HIS VISION ON MAXIMIZING THE IMPACT OF COLLEGE INNOVATION

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM**  
**LIVE VIA ZOOM**

**AS A UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA RESEARCHER, YOU DEVELOP INVENTIONS THAT CAN CHANGE THE WORLD. TECH LAUNCH ARIZONA CAN HELP YOU BRING THEM TO THE PUBLIC THROUGH COMMERCIAL PATHWAYS.**

Join Shane Burgess, Charles-Sander Dean of the College of Agriculture & Life Sciences, and Tod McCauley, Assistant Director of Licensing for the College of Agriculture & Life Sciences as they discuss the importance of faculty engagement in moving university research to the market for the benefit of the public and how CALS and Tech Launch Arizona are partnered to help researchers attain their goals.

**Submit your questions in advance when you register, or ask them during the event!**



**Dr. Burgess** has worked around the world as a practicing veterinarian and scientist. Since 1997 he has had 190 refereed publications, trained 38 graduate students and has received nearly \$55M in competitive funding. He has led the UArizona College of Agriculture and Life Sciences since 2011 and is currently Vice President for Agriculture, Life and Veterinary Sciences, and

Cooperative Extension and the Charles-Sander Dean of the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences.



**Tod McCauley** has a background in intellectual property management and licensing of agricultural technologies as well as experience creating and developing early-stage companies. Prior to joining Tech Launch Arizona, he was a founding member and Director of Research for a startup company specializing

in molecular diagnostic and therapeutic product development for animal health and clinical applications.

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