

AGENDA

OVERSIGHT HEARING

"California's High-Tech Sector: Promoting Job Creation and Innovation through Sound Tax Policy"

December 5, 2011
9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

San José State University
Student Union – Music Room
2nd Floor
One Washington Square
San José, California

- 1) Introductory Remarks by **Henry T. Perea**, Chair (3 minutes)
- 2) Introductory Remarks by **Tim Donnelly**, Vice-Chair (3 minutes)
- 3) Tax Policy, Job Creation and Innovation: Perspectives from the Industry (45 minutes)
 - a) **Corey C. Owens**, Associate Manager of Public Policy, Facebook
 - b) **Jim Hawley**, Senior Vice President & General Counsel, TechNet
 - c) **Jon Haveman**, Chief Economist, Bay Area Council Economic Institute
 - d) **Gail Maderis**, President & CEO, BayBio

- 4) Tax Policy, Job Creation and Innovation: Perspectives from Tax Experts (60 minutes)
 - a) **James Nachbaur**, Economist, Legislative Analyst's Office
 - b) **Robert D. Atkinson**, President, Information Technology and Innovation Foundation
 - c) **Dan Berglund**, President & CEO, State Science & Technology Institute
 - d) **Robert S. Chirinko**, Professor of Finance, University of Illinois at Chicago
 - e) **Annette Nellen**, Professor of Accounting and Finance, San Jose State University
- 5) Public-Private Partnerships (60 minutes)
 - a) **Mohammad H. Qayoumi**, President, San José State University
 - b) **Carol Mimura**, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Intellectual Property & Industry Research Alliances (IPIRA), University of California, Berkeley
 - c) **Elizabeth Seifel**, President, Seifel Consulting, Inc.
 - d) **Kim Walesh**, Director of Economic Development, City of San José
- 6) Public Comments (15 minutes)
- 7) Chair's Closing Remarks