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MSEC SEMINAR AND COMMERCIALIZATION FORUM



INVITED SPEAKER:

DR. ANNA ZANIEWSKI

**CHIEF TECHNOLOGY OFFICER (CTO)
ADVENT DIAMOND**



“THE ABSURD PERSONAL QUEST TO FIND A PLACE IN LIFE, MAKING PEACE WITH THE MOST IMPORTANT LIFE SKILL, AND OTHER EXPERIENCES FROM RESEARCH AND START-UP LIFE”

**September 10th, 2021
1:30 – 2:30 PM (CST)**

Biography:

Dr. Anna Zaniewski is a physicist who has spent a lot of time thinking about semiconductors and the harder questions related to pursuing a meaningful life. She is the Chief Technology Officer of Advent Diamond, where she researches ways to use diamond as a semiconductor for next-generation electronic components. In this venture, she has been successful in bringing in >\$3 million in SBIR research grants and developing new diamond-based technologies.

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She also has founded and led a mentoring program for eight years to help students find community and success in academics. She earned her PhD in Physics at UC Berkeley and BS degree in Physics from West Virginia University. She finds joy walking in the woods with her dog.

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