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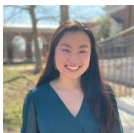
Dr. Andrew Hargadon
Professor Andrew B. Hargadon has written extensively on innovation and entrepreneurship, particularly the commercialization science and technology and the management of research and development.

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Teri Slack
Dr. Teri Slack, is co-founder and chief business officer for StarBio, the 2020 UC Davis Big Bang winner. She is a Life Science professional with a PhD in chemistry from UC Davis. During her doctoral studies, Teri worked to develop potential therapeutics for the treatment of cancer and infectious diseases. With an interest in translational research, Teri launched her career doing business and product development for an early-stage disease diagnostics company in Davis, CA. She is currently an R&D project manager for a nutraceutical manufacturing company. Teri advises life science start-up companies on their business strategy and she's currently an MBA candidate at the UC Davis Graduate School of Management.

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Katherine Hu
Kathy is the CEO and Co-Founder of Pediafeed, the People's Choice and Health Innovation Award winner in the 2020 UC Davis Big Bang! Competition. Her team aims to revolutionize pediatric assisted feeding with a novel feeding tube that minimizes the risk of tube displacement. Kathy recently graduated from Johns Hopkins University studying biomedical engineering, robotics, and mathematics. She is passionate about the intersection of medicine and engineering, and has extensive experience in medical device development and translational research. During her undergraduate career, she also co-founded Maternys, a patent-pending device for the treatment of postpartum hemorrhage in low-resource setting.

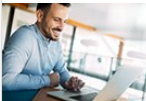
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