

# - Joint Webcast April 23rd, 2020 at 10am PDT -

Live Webcast for Founders, Executives, and Investors

# STARTUPS: HOW TO AVOID FUNDRAISING, LEGAL AND ACCOUNTING PITFALLS

Many startup companies fail, often for commercial or business reasons. However, some startups fail because they do not properly address legal, accounting and fundraising matters.

One of the biggest legal mistakes startup companies make is not involving professional advisors early in the life of the business.

This webcast will address some of the most common legal, accounting, and fundraising issues that get overlooked by startup companies and suggests methods for advisors to manage and resolve them.

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