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# Technology and IP Forum: Open Source Updates and Practical Tips

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**Presented by Jim Gatto, head of the Open Source Team at Sheppard Mullin and Laura Jones, Legal Director at Avaya.** The use of open source software by all types of entities has become commonplace. Open source policies and practical management of open source have not. This program will provide an update on recent developments in open source and address practical approaches for developing a corporate open source policy, managing open source issues and diligence in transactions, distributing software under open source licenses and contributions to managed open source projects. We will also discuss some commercially available tools to help manage these issues.

1.5 hours of Virginia MCLE credit pending.

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## **Practice Areas**

Intellectual Property

### Industries

**Open Source**