

The Great SPAC Explosion of the 2020s: Are SPACs Better than IPOs or Acquisitions?

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Tuesday, November 9, 2021

6:00 pm to 8:00 pm PDT

Free Online Event

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The popularity of using a special-purpose acquisition company (SPAC) to go public has exploded in recent years, but are SPACs really the best exit strategy for a startup? SPACs may not be appropriate for every startup, and founders considering the SPAC option should understand the advantages and disadvantages when deciding whether a SPAC makes sense for their company.

In our next event, a panel of experts, entrepreneurs, and investors will examine the pros and cons of “going SPAC” and review the key elements needed for a successful SPAC.

In addition to the moderated discussion, the panel will also field questions from the audience and provide specific, relevant advice for both what-if and real-world situations.

- What are the benefits of a SPAC related to pricing, speed, and flexibility?
- How should startups evaluate a SPAC vs. alternative strategies?
- What are the regulatory implications and ramifications of SPACs?

Join us on November 9 to find out.

Moderator

Manny Fernandez, CEO and Co-Founder, **DreamFunded**

Panelists

Zachary Tarica, CEO, **The Forest Road Company**

Lise Buyer, Partner and Founder, **Class V Group**

Scott Leonard, Founder and CEO, **Sustainable Opportunities Acquisition Corporation**

John H. Booher, Partner, **Sheppard Mullin**

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