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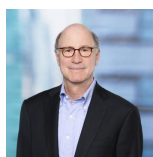
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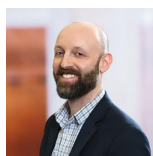
Mintz is proud to be one of the exclusive legal sponsors of the **2016 MIT 100K Competition** providing mentorship to semi-finalists and support for the many events during the course of the competition. The competition culminates in the "Launch" contest in May, when semi-finalists are expected to present not just prototypes but full business plans after receiving funding and elite mentorship along the way. Finalists present onstage to a 1,200+ live audience from Cambridge, Boston, and beyond. The Grand Prize is \$100,000. Companies worth more than \$16B in market capitalization have walked the stage before them, including Mintz client, Sanergy, Inc., the 2011 MIT 100K winner.

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