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Tuesday, January 28, 2020

East Central Energy Auditorium, Braham, MN  
5:30 Doors open/networking/refreshments



### Launch Minnesota —Neela Mollgaard

As Executive Director of Launch Minnesota, Neela is working to create an environment to support entrepreneurs and nurture tech startups with a goal of fostering an innovation ecosystem across the state that draws global attention, talent, and capital.

Most recently, Neela was a founder of the nonprofit Red Wing Ignite, which supports entrepreneurs, businesses, and students to succeed in the 21st century economy.

Neela has served in various leadership roles with local non-profit and philanthropic organizations. She holds a Bachelor of Science in consumer affairs in business from the University of Wisconsin – Madison and a Master of Science in community health from the West Virginia University School of Medicine.

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### Business Success Story: Brad Klatt—Uncommon Loon Brewing Co.

Brad Klatt is the Co-Founder, President, and Head Brewer of Uncommon Loon Brewing Company in Chisago City. After a 36 year professional career, Brad retired in January of 2017 and set out to make his dream of owning a craft brewery come true.

In the spring of 2017, Brad and his two business partners started work on opening a craft brewery in Chisago County. After purchasing and renovating a former fire station and community center in Chisago City, MN, Uncommon Loon Brewing Company opened on December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

In its first year of business, Uncommon Loon Brewing Company has become a popular community meeting place supporting local music, arts and entertainment. And of course, “Uncommonly Good Beer...”

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