We are committed to advancing policies that foster entrepreneurial activity and investment across the country

CARRIED INTEREST
Protected VCs from massive tax increase proposals considered at the state and federal level

CFIUS
Saved many venture firms from CFIUS filings, which can be as much as $300K (plus estimated $100K–$200K in legal fees) per investment

JOBS ACT
90% of companies going public utilize the benefits of the JOBS Act and 85% of all IPOs have been by Emerging Growth Companies

IMMIGRATION
Approximately 3,000 new immigrant entrepreneurs per year eligible under the International Entrepreneur Rule (IER) to launch new companies in the U.S.

HEALTHCARE
Supported FDA user fees that shortened median approval time of a new medicine from 33 months in 1987 to 10 months in 2017

DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION
Through our LP Office Hours program, over 120 women and underrepresented VC professionals have received advice from and connected with LPs and other GPs

RIA/VC EXEMPTION DEFINITION
Median annual compliance costs 8 times higher for RIAs than for ERAs (est. $50K–$450K)

QUALIFIED SMALL BUSINESS STOCK (QSBS)
Up to $2.3 million in tax savings per qualified investment

R&D TAX CREDIT
Path Act enables startups to use up to $250K in R&D tax credit to offset payroll taxes

MODEL LEGAL DOCUMENTS
Development of industry-embraced forms saves millions of dollars annually in legal fees, with over 157,000 views in 2018
Expanding opportunities and fostering success

**Education**

*Stanford/NVCA Venture Capital Symposium:* Exclusive session for emerging managers and experienced investors to discuss key management, governance, and technology issues.

*VC University:* Online and in-person education courses providing practical training on venture finance for entrepreneurs, investors, attorneys, and those interested in emerging company finance.

*LP Office Hours:* Education program for diverse professionals to receive advice from and connect with experienced LPs and GPs.

*Online Webinars:* Ongoing opportunities for virtual learning on important industry and technology topics, led by NVCA or trusted subject matter experts.

**Events**

*Leadership Gala:* Celebratory evening honoring achievement in the VC industry.

*VCs-to-DC Series:* Issue-specific advocacy days where venture investors and entrepreneurs address policy issues to strengthen the entrepreneurial ecosystem.

*Strategic Operations & Policy Summit:* Conference for CFOs and senior operations professionals to discuss accounting best practices, leadership development, and relevant public policy topics.

*VC StratComm Forum:* Half-day workshop providing insights on industry best-practices, thought leadership, and networking opportunities for communications, marketing, and investor relations professionals at VC firms.

**Peer Groups**

*CFO Task Force*

*Corporate Venture Network*

*Strategic Communications Group*

*Growth Equity Roundtable*

**VentureForward**

Initiative to expand opportunities for those from all backgrounds to thrive in the venture industry

*NVCA-Deloitte Human Capital Survey*

*Rising Stars Blog Series*

*Model HR Policies*

**Resources**

*Regional Fund Community:* Opportunities for regional VCs from coast to coast to meet and discuss shared challenges and build relationships.

*Job Board:* Online listing of open roles at VC firms (free for members).

*Preferred Provider Program:* Special deals and offers from exceptional partners to help our members save time and money.

*Pitchbook-NVCA Quarterly Venture Monitor*

*NVCA Annual Yearbook*

*Model Legal Documents*

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