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As you may have noticed, I shared some big Joby Aviation news in a special digest last week. ICYMI, I'll share that news again in this digest.

There's lots more. Scroll down and see what else is up.

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Top Stories

Jack Baskin, an entrepreneur and major philanthropic supporter of UCSC and the Santa Cruz community, died on January 12. He was 100. [Read this article](#) .

Dave Evans & Dean Hovey will speak on *Re-Designing Design Thinking* at the Feb 5 SCW Tech meetup. [Read this article](#) .

For the eighth consecutive year, CSUMB is set to host Startup Weekend Monterey Bay, coming up in late January. [Read this article](#) .

Cruzio's \$2.45M broadband grant to build high-speed fiber optic internet connectivity will benefit seven underserved mobile home parks in the Capitola area. [Read this article](#) .

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UCSC has received a \$1M gift to establish the William Wallace Campbell Director's Fund for Lick Observatory. [Read this article](#).

Poly's David Danto offers six predictions for collaboration in the next decade. [Read this article](#).

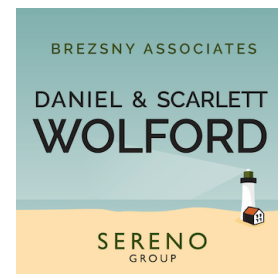
ICYMI #1: Joby Aviation raises \$590M in Series C financing to launch air taxi service. [Read this article](#).

ICYMI #2: Toyota makes a new \$394M bet on flying taxis. [Read this article](#).

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Events



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- Tue Jan 21, 9am-12noon: [Ace Social Media Marketing in 2020 — Top Trends and How to Leverage Them](#) at Police Community Room, 155 Center Street, Santa Cruz.
- Tue Jan 21, 6-8pm: [Santa Cruz WordPress Meetup](#) at Cruzio.
- Fri Jan 24, 4pm – Sun Jan 26, 9pm: [Startup Weekend Monterey Bay](#) at CSUMB University Center, Seaside.
- Jan 30, 6-8pm: [Design Santa Cruz: Our 2020 Vision](#) at 2801 Mission St, Santa Cruz.
- Wed Feb 5, 6-8:30pm: [Santa Cruz Works New Tech: Design Thinking](#) with keynote speakers Dave Evans and Dean Hovey, Kuumbwa Jazz Center, Santa Cruz.
- Tue Feb 11, 6-8pm: [DeepRacer Autonomouse Race Day](#) at Wrigley Building Workshop Space, 2801 Mission St., Santa Cruz.



- Tue Feb 11, 6pm: [Startup Monterey Bay Tech Meetup](#), 656 Broadway, Seaside.

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