1. Why is having anonymous companies a problem?

They make it very difficult to find out the actual people responsible for very serious crimes.

1. What are some of the ways that anonymous companies have harmed society?

Environmental problems, no accountability for breaking the law, profiting from war, profiting from fraud, stealing from the poorest people.

1. How easy is it to set up an anonymous company?

It is about as easy as setting up any other company, just a few other steps to make it anonymous.

1. Do you think individuals should be able to open companies anonymously? Why or why not?

Individuals can be anonymous, but corporations should not be anonymous and the individuals making decisions for corporations should be held personally accountable.

1. How do you think having openness in business would change society?

Companies wouldn’t be able to just pollute or kill or defraud in the name of making money especially if the individuals were held accountable for making decisions that could harm other humans or the environment.

1. How is starting a biotech company different than other types of companies?

You have to get through the “regulatory gate” to begin doing business. In other businesses the customer decides whether the product is a good product or not. In the biotech industry, regulation decides.

1. Why is the biotech industry a global industry?

Protections for intellectual property are global and you can find scientists in any country anywhere.

1. Why are regulations important for biotech businesses and entrepreneurs?

Everyone has to follow the regulations to get to a legit marketplace take for example the medical cannabis market as long as the regulations restricted it there was no legit marketplace for it, it was all underground, but now with Colorado states’ rights advocates creating a regulated legal market it’s a legit business. And for any entrepreneur a very important decision is whether to be legitimate or not.