

Speaking Engagements | April 16, 2026

# The Venture Debt Conference

**The Edison Ballroom**  
**240 W. 47th St.**  
**New York, NY 10036**

## **SPEAKERS**

[Charles "Chuck" Charpentier](#)

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Troutman Pepper Locke is proud to sponsor The Venture Debt Conference 2026! The Venture Debt Conference combines technical education with relationship-driven networking and private meetings designed to turn conversations into transaction opportunities.

Troutman Pepper Locke Partner, Charles Charpentier will participate on the panel “Playing Offense or Defense: Venture Debt Strategy in Today’s Volatile Market” during this one day conference on April 16.

This panel explores how venture debt investors and lenders should strategically navigate today's volatile economy. Whether to move aggressively or cautiously, how current conditions create risks and opportunities, and what changes they should make in how they choose, structure, and manage their deals.

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