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[Rob Lalka](#), Albert R. Lepage Professor in Business, was interviewed by Vox for a story examining the tech industry's support for Donald Trump.

“In my mind, this isn’t a story about Silicon Valley overall and DC overall,” said [Robert Lalka](#), a professor at Tulane University. “Instead, what’s occurring now involves the influence of far fewer people: a very close-knit network of like-minded Trump supporters, especially if we focus on the

PayPal Mafia, and the transformation of the Republican Party and its policy agenda.”

To read the story in its entirety, visit [vox.com](https://www.vox.com):

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