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Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) Programs

First Wednesday Virtual Learning Series 2021

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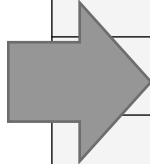
- November 4, 2020 – 8(a) Program: <https://youtu.be/QCXwMCFLB94>

FIRST WEDNESDAY VIRTUAL LEARNING SERIES

FY 2021 SCHEDULE

1:00 to 2:00 PM Central Time

FY 2021	Date	Topic
1	October 7, 2020	8(a) Program
2	November 4, 2020	8(a) Program Updates
3	December 2, 2020	SBIR/STTR Program
4	January 6, 2021	Surety Bonds
5	February 3, 2021	Size and Affiliation
6	March 3, 2021	Consolidation/Bundling
7	April 7, 2021	Women Owned Small Business (WOSB) Program
8	May 5, 2021	Certificate Of Competency (COC)
9	June 2, 2021	Regulatory Updates
10	July 7, 2021	Subcontracting Program
11	August 4, 2021	TBD



The program schedule is for information only and is subject to change.

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Today's Speaker(s)

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U.S. Small Business Administration



Leveraging America's Seed Fund

**Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)/
Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR)**

First Wednesday Virtual Learning Series

December 2, 2020



Agenda for Today

- What is America's Seed Fund - the SBIR/STTR Programs?
- Why SBIR/STTR Matters – even if you aren't an R&D agency
- What does FY20 NDAA Sec. 880 mean for you? Adding SPE, PCR, OSDBU to SBIR/STTR Policy
- Resources

What is America's Seed Fund?

Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)
Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR)

America's Seed Fund



www.sbir.gov/showcase

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Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)

→ 3.2% of the extramural research budget for agencies with a budget greater than \$100 M per year

~\$3.53 billion minimum spend each year

Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR)

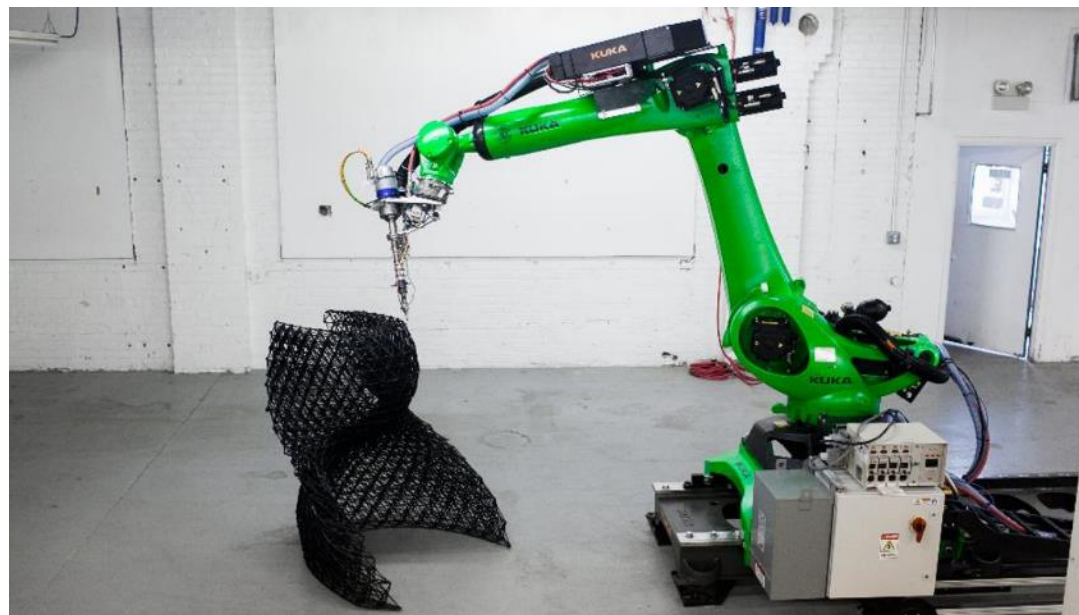
→ 0.45% of the extramural research budget for agencies with a budget greater than \$1B per year

~\$485 million minimum spend each year

Over 5,000 new awards every year

What Entrepreneurs Love about SBIR/STTR

- **Non-Dilutive Capital**
- **IP/Data Rights**
- **Direct follow-on Phase III awards**



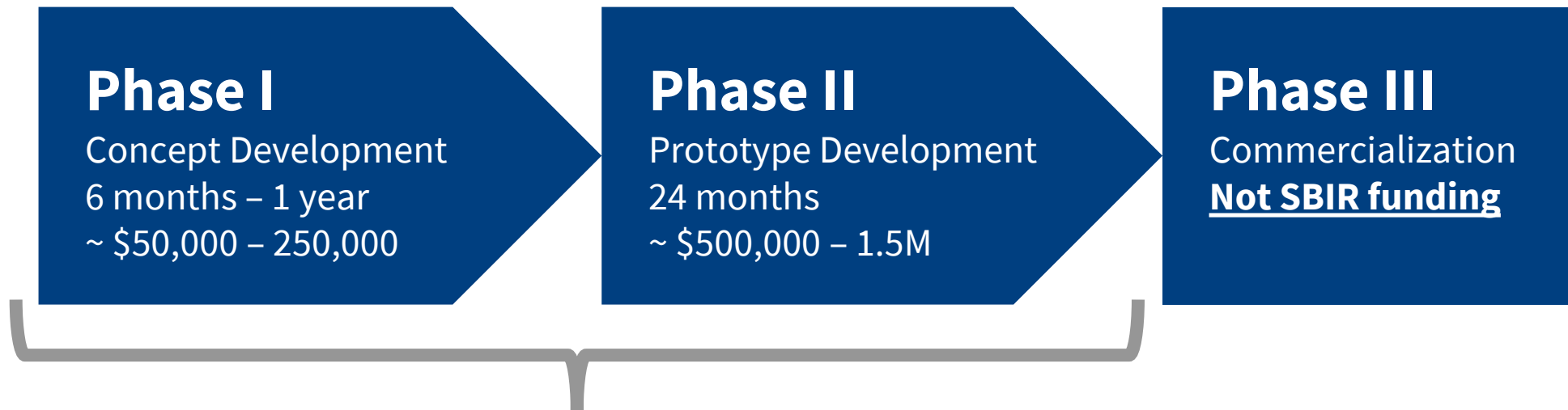
Why?

To help startups and small businesses transform their high-risk, high-impact technologies into marketable products and services that solve problems.

SBIR/STTR Program Goals

- Meet federal **research and development needs**
- Increase private-sector **commercialization** of innovation derived from federal research and development funding
- Stimulate technological **innovation**
- Foster and encourage **participation** in innovation and entrepreneurship by women and socially/economically disadvantaged individuals
- Foster **technology transfer** through cooperative R&D between small businesses and research institutions (STTR)

Three Phase Process



May be grants or contracts depending on the agency

Agencies that Fund SBIR/STTR Phase I & II

**Department of Agriculture
(USDA)**

**Department of Commerce
(DoC)
NIST, NOAA**

**Department of Defense
(DoD)**

**Department of Education
(ED)**

**Department of Energy
(DOE)**

**Dept of Health and Human
Services
(HHS)
NIH, FDA, CDC, ACL**

**Department of Homeland
Security
(DHS)**

**Department of
Transportation
(DOT)**

**Environmental Protection
Agency
(EPA)**

**National Aeronautics and
Space Administration
(NASA)**

**National Science
Foundation
(NSF)**

Participating DoD Components



Army



Navy



Air Force



Missile Defense Agency (MDA)



Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA)



Defense Microelectronics Activity (DMEA)



Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA)



Defense Health Program (DHP)



Chemical and Biological Defense (CBD)



Special Operations Command (SOCOM)



Defense Logistics Agency (DLA)



National Geospatial Intelligence Agency (NGA)

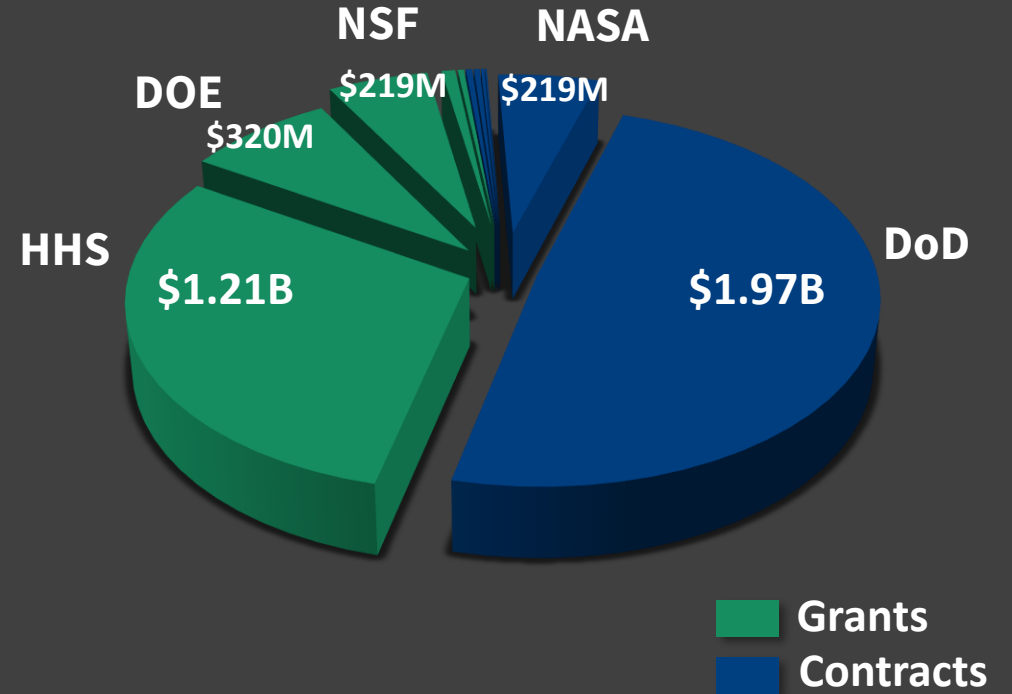
FY2020 SBIR/STTR Budgets by Agency

Agencies	Budget
Department of Defense (DoD)*	\$1.97 B
Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)**, including the National Institutes of Health (NIH)	\$1.21 B
Department of Energy (DOE), including Advanced Research Projects Agency – Energy (ARPA-E)	\$320 M
National Science Foundation (NSF)	\$219 M
National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)	\$219 M
U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)***	\$30 M
Department of Homeland Security (DHS)	\$14 M
Department of Commerce: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)	\$10 M
Department of Education (ED)	\$7.7 M
Department of Transportation (DOT)	\$12.7 M
Department of Commerce: National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)	\$3.7 M
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)*	\$3.7 M

* Budgeted Amount; other Agencies Obligated Amount

** Provides grants and contracts

*** Estimated from prior years



SBIR: \$3.53 Billion
STTR: \$485 Million

Agency Implementation Varies

- Mission
- Award amounts
- Number of solicitations each year
- Special programs
- Contracts vs. Grants
 - Contracts: DoD, DHS, NASA, EPA, DOT, DoED
 - Grants: NSF, DoE, USDA, NIST, NOAA
 - Both: HHS
- Specificity of topics
- Agency as potential customer

SBA Office of Innovation & Technology (OI&T)

Major Responsibilities

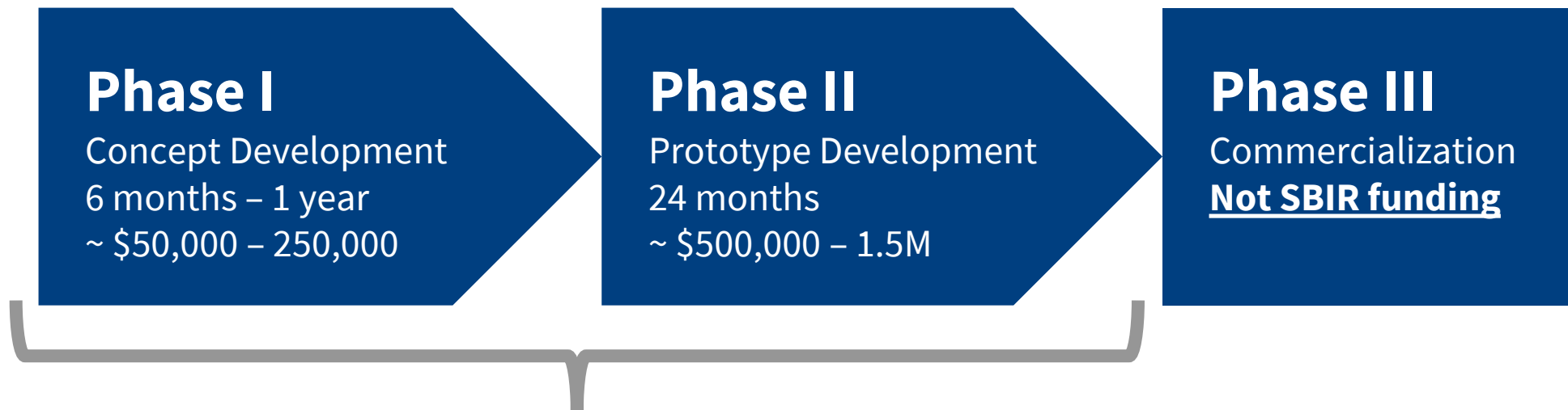
- Provides oversight of SBIR/STTR Programs
 - Monitors participating agencies, develops policy, improves quality of data, manages SBIR.gov, and reports to Congress
- Builds capacity within SBIR Support Organizations
 - Manages two funding programs: [FAST](#) & [Growth Accelerators](#)
 - Provides training for [innovation ecosystem builders](#) (state economic development, universities, accelerators, PTACs & SBA Resource Partners)
- Leads Collaborative Federal Outreach and Training
 - Focuses on underrepresented populations
 - Promotes SBA as the face of “America’s Seed Fund”

More on the SBA Innovation team at www.sbir.gov/about/leadership

Why SBIR/STTR Matters

Even if your agency doesn't fund R&D

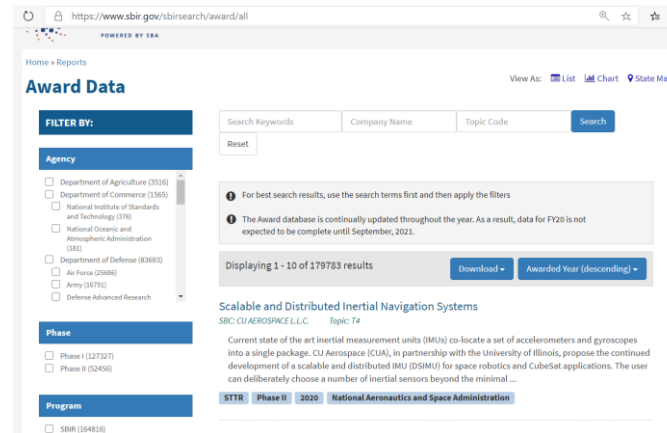
Any Federal Agency Can Make Phase III Awards



May be grants or contracts depending on the agency

SBIR/STTR as Source of Small Businesses and Solutions

- Nearly 180,000 R&D projects since 1982 with Phase III potential
 - Procure cutting-edge technology, save time and/or money
- Over 25,000 small business awardees from across the US
 - 2891 WOSB, 2050 Socially/Economically Disadvantaged, 590 HUBZone



The screenshot shows the SBIR/STTR award search interface on the SBA website. The URL is <https://www.sbir.gov/sbirsearch/award/all>. The page is titled "Award Data" and includes a search bar with fields for "Search Keywords", "Company Name", and "Topic Code". There are also "Filter By" sections for Agency, Phase, and Program. The Agency section includes options like Department of Agriculture (3536), Department of Commerce (1365), National Institute of Standards and Technology (378), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (383), Department of Defense (83693), Air Force (2686), Army (34792), and Defense Advanced Research. The Phase section includes Phase I (127327) and Phase II (52456). The Program section includes SBIR (264916). The search results section displays "Displaying 1 - 10 of 179783 results" and includes a "Download" button and an "Awarded Year (descending)" dropdown menu. A specific award is shown for "Scalable and Distributed Inertial Navigation Systems" by SBC CU AEROSPACE L.L.C. with Topic T4. The award description mentions the current state of the art inertial measurement units (IMUs) co-locate a set of accelerometers and gyroscopes into a single package. CU Aerospace (CUA), in partnership with the University of Illinois, propose the continued development of a scalable and distributed IMU (DSIMU) for space robotics and CubeSat applications. The user can deliberately choose a number of inertial sensors beyond the minimal.

What is commercialization?

The process of developing products, processes, technologies, or services and the production and delivery (whether by the originating company or others) of the products, processes, technologies, or services for sale to or use by the Federal government or commercial markets.

- SBIR and STTR Policy Directives

Phase III - Commercialization

- Can be made by any agency, regardless of whether they participate in SBIR/STTR Phase I or Phase II
- Federal agency may enter into a Phase III SBIR agreement at any time with a Phase I or II awardee
- May be for products, production, services, R/R&D, or combo
- No limit on number, award amount, or duration of Phase III contracts
- There is no limit on the time that may elapse between a Phase I or Phase II award and a Phase III award, or between a Phase III award and any subsequent Phase III award

Phase III - Commercialization

- Already met competition requirement; ability to SOLE-SOURCE
 - Phase III contracts may be awarded as the result of **competition** (eg BAA or RFP) **or on a non-competitive basis** to a Prime contractor or subcontractor at any tier under a government contract and shall be afforded Phase III status and SBIR data rights
- Subcontracts can be Phase IIIs and Phase IIIs can be subcontracts
- Small business size standards do not apply in Phase III

Phase III - Commercialization

Justification: Commercializing work that **DERIVES FROM, EXTENDS OR COMPLETES** an effort performed under prior SBIR/STTR agreements, including:

- Activity in the military or private sector
- SBIR/STTR-derived products or services
- Continuation of R&D

Participation

- SBIR/STTR funds **CANNOT** be used for Phase III contracts
- Businesses awarded Phase I or II, or successor-in-interest firms are eligible to participate in Phase III

Derives from means that the requirement or contract has its origins in or traces to the previous SBIR efforts of an SBIR firm.

Extends means that the requirement or contract applies or advances prior SBIR efforts to a different application, or uses the prior SBIR efforts in a new way.

Completes means that the requirement or contract involves commercialization or productizing the prior SBIR efforts.

Required Phase III Awards

- To the greatest extent practicable, agencies (or their GOCO facilities or FFRDCs or prime contractors) that pursue R/R&D or production of technology developed under SBIR/STTR **shall** issue Phase III awards relating to the technology, including sole source awards, to the SBIR/STTR Awardee that developed the technology.
- Agencies must consider the practicality of pursuing the work with the Awardee through a direct follow-on award through market research to determine if firm is available, capable, and willing to perform the work.
- If pursuing Phase III is not possible, Agency must document the file and provide a copy of the decision, including rationale, to SBA (technology@sba.gov).
- If pursuing Phase III work with an entity other than the Phase I/II Awardee, Agency must notify SBA in writing prior to such an award and SBA may appeal a decision.

Phase III Awards for Agile Acquisition

Periodic Table of Acquisition Innovations

Alternative Authorities	Market Research	Pre-So
Broad Agency Announcement	Affordability	On/off ramp
Challenge-Based Acquisitions (ChBA)	Interactive Q&A	Self-So
Commercial Solutions Opening	Market Research - One on Ones	
Joint Venture Partnership	Reverse Industry Day	
Other Transactions		
Remote Acquisitions		
Small Business Innovation Research		

www.fai.gov/periodic-table/

- Competitions for SBIR/STTR Phase I/II awards satisfy contracting competition requirements
- **Sole source/Direct follow-on Award Authority** - It is sufficient to state for purposes of Justification and Approval, if one is deemed required by the agency, that the project is an SBIR/STTR Phase III award that is derived from, extends, or completes efforts made under prior SBIR/STTR Funding Agreements and is authorized pursuant to 15 USC 638(r)(4).
- GSA Assisted Acquisition Services Phase III Pilot, aas.gsa.gov/sbir/
- Frictionless Acquisition CAP Goal, www.performance.gov/CAP/frictionless-acquisition/

Phase III Resources

- Agency Phase III Guidebooks
 - [Navy SBIR/STTR Phase III Guidebook v2](#) (March 2020)
 - [Air Force Phase III Desk Reference v2.0](#) (Jan 2019)
 - [NASA Phase III Customer Guide](#) (Aug 2019)
- Non-gov perspective - “A Government Guide to SBIR” - <https://www.agency-capital.com/>
 - Developed by a [Growth Accelerator](#) awardee (not an endorsement)

What FY20 NDAA Sec.880 Means for You

**Adding More Ties to the Acquisition Community
through SBIR/STTR Policy**

FY20 NDAA Sec 880 Assistance for Small Business Concerns Participating in the SBIR and STTR Programs

- Added to the Small Business Act (15 USC 638):
 - Referencing **Senior Procurement Executives** for SBIR participating agencies, it is the duty of SBA to “consult, where appropriate, with personnel from the relevant Federal agency to assist SBCs participating in a SBIR or STTR program with commercializing research developed under such a program before such small business concern is awarded a contract from such Federal agency.”
 - Require **PCRs** to consult with the appropriate personnel from the relevant Federal agency, to assist SBCs participating in the SBIR and STTR programs, particularly in Phase III
 - Require **OSDBU directors** to “consult with the appropriate personnel from the relevant Federal agency to assist SBCs...researching applicable solicitations...to market the research developed by such concern...”

FY20 NDAA Sec 880 Amends 15 USC 644(l)(2) Procurement Center Representative Authorized Activities

(J) consult with the appropriate personnel from the relevant Federal agency, to **assist small business concerns** participating in a SBIR or STTR program under section 9 **with Phase III**

FY20 NDAA Sec 880 Adds 15 USC 644(k)(21) for Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization

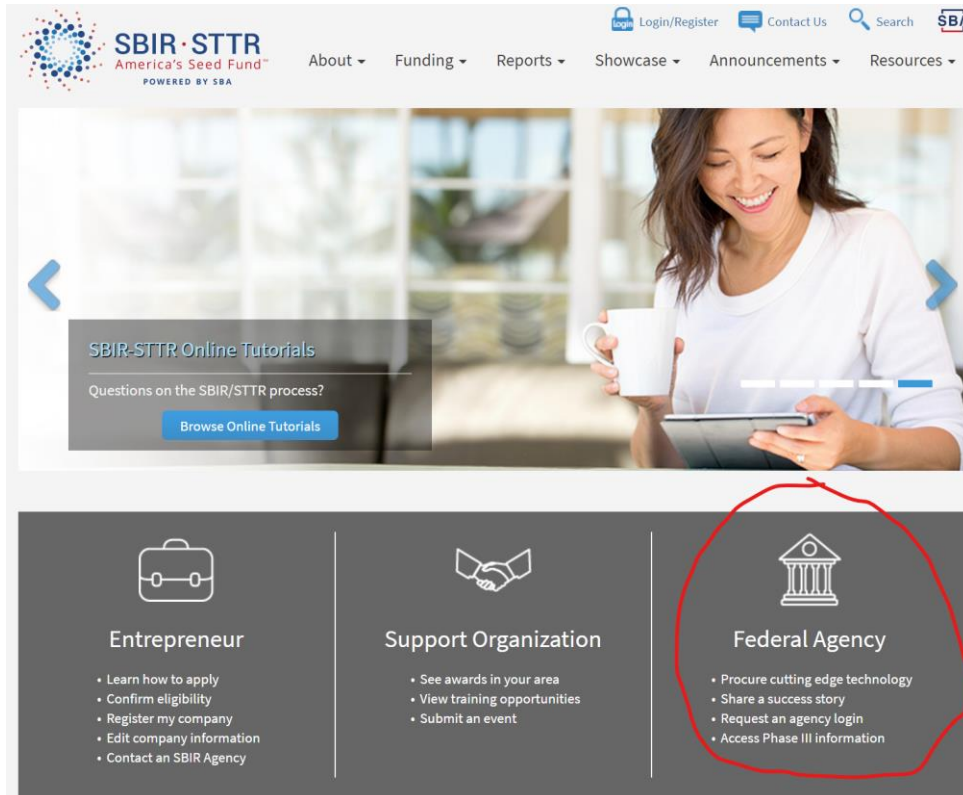
(21) shall consult with the appropriate personnel from the relevant Federal agency to assist small business concerns participating in a SBIR or STTR program under section 9 with **researching applicable solicitations for the award of a Federal contract** (particularly with the Federal agency that has a funding agreement, as defined under section 9, with the concern) **to market the research developed by** such concern under such SBIR or STTR program.

How might this work?

- Connect agency Office of Small Business and their SBIR program manager (<https://www.sbir.gov/agency-contacts>)
- If you see a procurement opportunity related to R&D or that could use technology, flag that the SBIR program exists and share tools to identify past SBIR topics (even if an agency doesn't have an SBIR program)
- **Market research opportunity** for agency: Identify awardees who may have developed technologies that meets the agency's needs and could be Phase III opportunities
- Share Procurement Forecast with SBIR awardees
- Point companies to SBIR.gov and local resources, such as Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTAC)
 - <https://www.sbir.gov/local-assistance>

Resources

How can the SBIR team help you?



- What information or tools would help you with this new activity?
- Resources from SBA/OI&T? <https://www.sbir.gov/agency-representative>
- Resources from SBIR participating agencies?

Award Searches

- Identify successful firms
- Identify agency investments in technology areas

The screenshot displays the SBIR-STTR America's Seed Fund website. The navigation menu includes 'About', 'Funding', 'Reports' (circled in red), 'Showcase', 'Announcements', and 'Resources'. The 'Award Data' section features a search interface with filters for Agency, Phase, Program, and Year. A red arrow points from the 'Agency' filter to the search input fields. The search results show a list of awards, including one for 'Integrated Sensors for the Evaluation of Structural Integrity of Inflatable Habitats'.

Agency

- Department of Agriculture (3411)
- Department of Commerce (1528)
- National Institute of Standards and Technology (358)
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (164)
- Department of Defense (83694)
- Air Force (25886)
- Army (16791)
- Defense Advanced Research

Phase

- Phase I (125072)
- Phase II (51533)

Program

- SBIR (162061)
- STTR (14544)

Year

Search Keywords: _____ Company Name: _____ Topic Code: _____ Search

Reset

For best search results, use the search terms first and then apply the filters

The Award database is continually updated throughout the year. As a result, data for FY19 is not expected to be complete until June, 2020.

Displaying 1 - 10 of 176605 results

Download Awarded Year (descending)

Integrated Sensors for the Evaluation of Structural Integrity of Inflatable Habitats

SBC: *Nanosonic Inc.* Topic: T6

The objective of the proposed NASA Sequential Phase II STTR program is to continue the development of mechanically flexible piezoresistive sensors for the measurement of long-term creep strain in inflatable habitat webbing. During the Phase I and base Phase II programs, NanoSonic has worked with the Electronic Textiles Laboratory at Virginia Tech to demonstrate the technical feasibility of fa ...

STTR Phase II 2020 National Aeronautics and Space Administration

Person-Centered Planning ToolKit: Development of an Application to Improve Workforce Participation Through Team Collaboration and Customized Employment Discovery Technology

www.sbir.gov/sbirsearch/award/all

Topic Searches

The screenshot shows the SBIR-STTR website's topic search interface. The top navigation bar includes the SBIR-STTR logo, "America's Seed Fund™", "POWERED BY SBA", and links for "About", "Funding", "Reports", "Showcase", "Announcements", and "Resources". The "Funding" menu item is circled in red. Below the navigation bar, the "Topic Areas" section is visible, with a "FILTER BY:" section containing "FUNDING TOPICS" (OPEN, FUTURE, CLOSED), "Agency" (Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health, National Science Foundation), "Phase" (Phase I, Phase II), and "Program" (SBIR, STTR). A search bar with "Search Keywords", "Search", and "Reset" buttons is present, with a red arrow pointing to the "Search" button. A yellow note box contains a warning icon and text: "NOTE: The Solicitations and topics listed on this site are copies from the various SBIR agency solicitations and are not necessarily the latest and most up-to-date. For this reason, you should visit the respective agency SBIR sites to read the official version of the solicitations and download the appropriate forms and rules." Below the note, a message states: "If no search results for your keyword(s) were found, you are encouraged to review Agency omnibus solicitations for additional funding opportunities. Omnibus solicitations are structured to be broad, extensive Programmatic issuances with research areas related to the petitioning Agency and are not limited to predetermined Topics/Subtopics. If upon reviewing you have additional questions, you may consider reaching out to the respective Agency for clarification regarding acceptable proposals (https://www.sbir.gov/agency-contacts)." The search results section shows "Displaying 1 - 10 of 264 results" with "Download" and "Close Date (ascending)" buttons. The first result is "RFA-HL-19-016: Technologies for Healthy Independent Living for Heart, Lung, Blood and Sleep Disorders (R43- Clinical Trial Not Allowed)" with "Release Date: 03-15-2018", "Open Date: 05-11-2018", "Due Dates: Multiple", and "Close Date: 06-10-2020". The description for this result reads: "The average age of the U.S. population is climbing because people living longer. Chronic health conditions related to heart, lung, blood, and sleep (HLBS) disorders are becoming more prevalent as part of natural aging. Technological advances and the needs of older adults create an opportunity for the design and development of home digital health technologies that could enable functional independen ...". The result is tagged with "SBIR", "Phase I", "Department of Health and Human Services", and "National Institutes of Health".

Learn which agencies fund different technology areas!

www.sbir.gov/sbirsearch/topic/past

Online Tutorials

55+ courses including:

- Agency overviews
- Program basics
- Data rights
- IP protection
- **Phase III**

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The screenshot shows a web page for a tutorial. At the top, a green arrow-shaped banner contains the text: "COURSE 4 FINDING TOPICS" and "TUTORIAL 1 HOW DO I FIND THE APPROPRIATE TOPIC?". To the right of this banner is a black and white photograph of cherry blossoms in the foreground and the Washington Monument in the background. Below the banner is a "Back to Tutorials" button with a left-pointing arrow. On the left side, there are two sections: "FORMATS" with options for "Audio/Video", "Multimedia" (which is highlighted), and "PDF"; and "TOOLS" with options for "Glossary", "Links", and "Quiz". At the bottom of this list is a "Hide Options" button. On the right side, there is a text block explaining that SBIR/STTR proposals require finding a relevant topic from participating agencies, and that topics are listed in solicitations or Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOA). It notes that the Department of Energy is an exception, publishing a separate topic list. Below the text is another black and white photograph of cherry blossoms and the Washington Monument, with a play button icon overlaid on it. The text "SBIR/STTR TOPIC SEARCH ENGINES" is written in white on a green background at the bottom left of this image.

SBIR Train the Trainer

LESSONS

1 SBIR/STTR—A Source of Funding for Science & Technology Companies

Wednesday, August 5, 2020 | 3:00 p.m.

11 Federal agencies provide about \$3.7B each year to small businesses through the SBIR/STTR programs. Frequently, this funding is referred to as a grant. However, the truth is that half the participating agencies provide grants, while others use contracts. There is tremendous variability in the way each funding agency runs their program. After an introduction to the tools used in this course, this lesson will focus on the common elements and differences between agencies, sources and amount of funding, the vehicles used (grants or contracts), and the types of challenges/innovations that agencies fund and what these programs don't fund.

2 Eligibility

Wednesday, August 12, 2020 | 3:00 p.m.

Many of the questions that come into the SBA Help Desk are about eligibility. It is amazing how many different situations exist. Everyone will be introduced to a basic SBIR eligibility quiz. We will also look at the Guide to SBIR/STTR Program Eligibility and FAQs that frequently arise regarding this topic. The goal is to prepare you for the types of questions that you might encounter when making a presentation on the SBIR/STTR programs.

3 Tools & Resources

Wednesday, August 19, 2020 | 3:00 p.m.

Given the increasing complexity of the SBIR/STTR programs and the variations in the way each agency implements them, tools have been developed to assist new potential applicants. The objective of this lesson is to introduce you to some of these tools, as well as resources in your area that you can draw upon. High points from the SBIR/STTR Policy Directive will also be discussed.

4 FAQs From the Five Largest Agency SBIR/STTR Programs

Wednesday, August 26, 2020 | 3:00 p.m.

Each of the participating agencies maintains their own FAQs page. In this lesson we will address some of the most frequent questions that arise regarding the programs for each of the five largest agency SBIR/STTR programs.

5 Teaching Others About the SBIR/STTR Programs

Wednesday, September 2, 2020 | 3:00 p.m.

In this final lesson we will review the new set of slides created for your use when presenting the SBIR/STTR programs. The focus will be on addressing any questions that you may have to ensure that you feel well prepared to make this presentation in the future.

An Introduction to SBIR/STTR & the Innovation Ecosystem

Federal Contracting Community cohort in March

Registration open now:

- January 11 – February 8
- **March 8 – April 5 - Federal Contracting Cohort**
- May 4 – June 1
- August 19 – September 16

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Connecting the Innovation Ecosystem

SBA works with a number of local partners to counsel, mentor, and train small businesses in the innovation ecosystem.

Find Local Assistance

Local resources might be right around the corner
The SBA works with a number of local partners to train and support potential SBIR/STTR applicants around the country. Check now to find the help you need, from proposal assistance to SAM registration, commercialization support to industry connections.

Find a local resource near you:

Select a state ...

www.sbir.gov/local-assistance/

FAST (Federal and State Technology) Partnership Program

- Provides funds for organizations to do outreach, training, and mentoring for potential SBIR/STTR applicants and awardees
- 2021 cohort: 24 organizations started on Sept 30 to support SBIR/STTR applicants across their states
- Eligible entities include SBDCs, SBTDCs, universities, state economic development organizations, regional partnerships, PTACs, accelerators, and more

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SBIR Support Organizations Monthly Call

Mix of entities including FAST, Small Business Development Centers, Procurement Technical Assistance Centers, universities, accelerators, incubators, women's business centers, state economic development offices, and more.

Facilitated by SBA, it features relevant information, highlights updates from agencies, showcases best practices from partners, and allows partners to give feedback on what's taking place around the country.

www.sbir.gov/support-organizations



Entrepreneur

- Confirm eligibility
- Register my company
- Learn how to apply
- Edit company information
- Contact an SBIR Agency



Support Organization

- See awards in your area
- View training opportunities
- Submit an event



Federal Agency

- Procure cutting edge technology
- Share a success story
- Request an agency login
- Access Phase III information



Are you looking for SBIR/STTR funding?

Find Opportunities

Stay In Touch

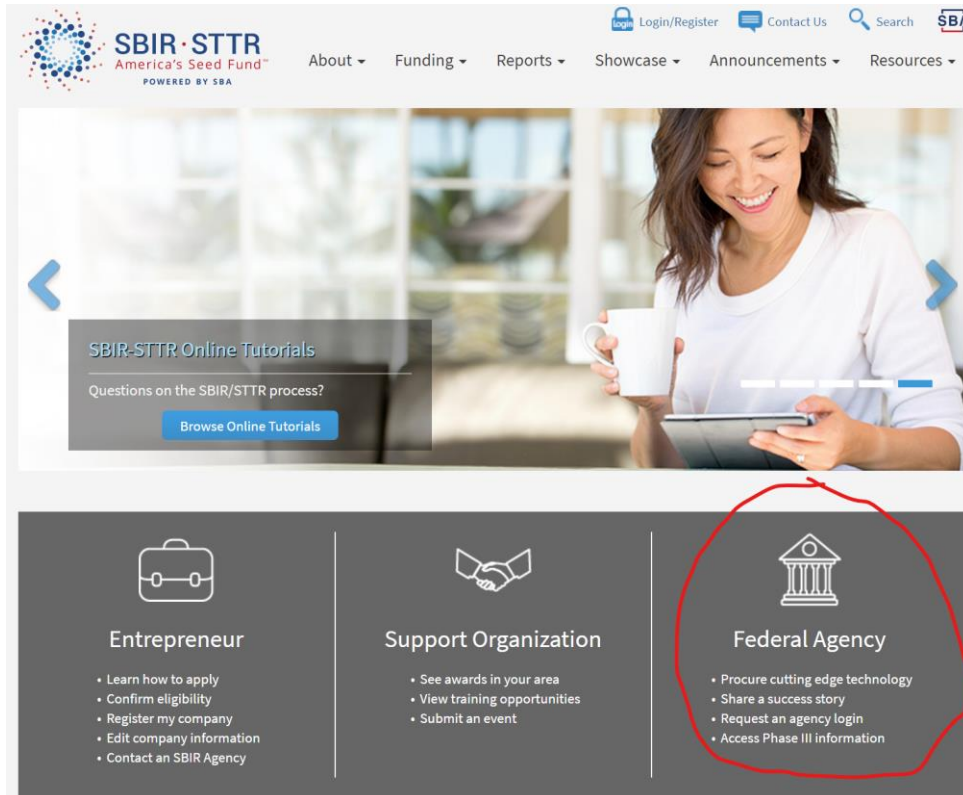
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How can the SBIR team help you?



- What information or tools would help you with this new activity?
- Resources from SBA/OI&T? <https://www.sbir.gov/agency-representative>
- Resources from SBIR participating agencies?



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