

### Department of Navy (DON)

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

## DON SBIR/STTR Program Overview

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### **DON SBIR/STTR Goals**

- Primary Program Goals:
  - Use small business to develop innovative R&D that addresses DON need
  - Commercialize (Phase III) SBIR-developed technology into a DON platform or weapons/communication system, or for facilities use
- About the Program:
  - Acquisition Driven Process with Strong Technology Pull
  - \$300M+ annual funding supporting small business innovation/research
  - Wide range of SBIR/STTR topics driven by PEO/PM/FNC specific needs

### We Succeed When You Succeed



## Important Websites (Public)

- Navy SBIR/STTR Website (navysbir.com)
   The first site for firms to find information on the DON SBIR/STTR programs including solicitations, topics, selections, program specifics, success stories, related links, and points of contact.
- Navy SBIR Search Database (navysbirsearch.com)
   Uses Autonomy© licensed software to perform contextual searches on all DON SBIR awards.
- **DoD SBIR/STTR Home Page (https://sbir.defensebusiness.org)**The official submission site for DoD proposals, program information, links to current and past solicitations, topic search tool, and FAQs.



### **DON SBIR/STTR by the Numbers**

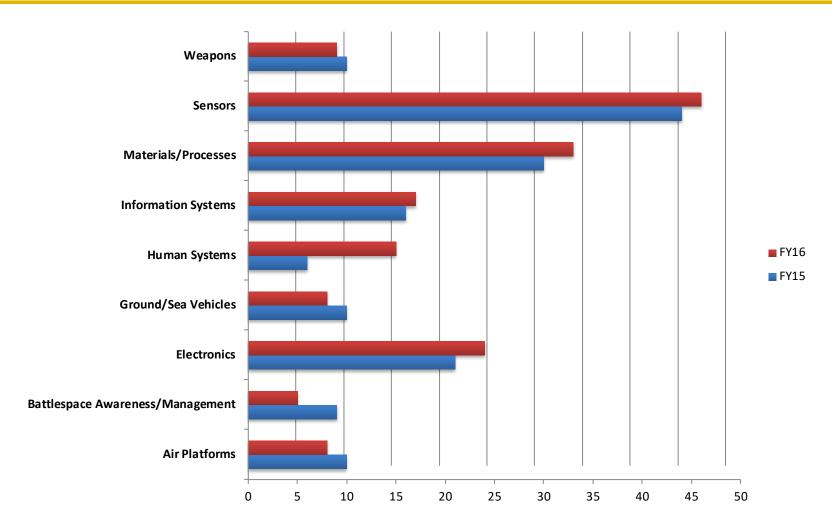
as of 26 FEB 2018

<u>.</u>		FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17
	Funding (\$M)	\$243	\$259	\$305	\$311
SBIR	Topics	129	132	139	145
SDIK	Phase I Awards (FY Solicitations)	362	360	397	359*
	New Phase II Awards	212	198	133	187
	Funding (\$M)	\$35	\$35	\$48	\$44
STTR	Topics	25	23	26	35
3111	Phase I Awards (FY Solicitations)	61	60	69	89
	New Phase II Awards	23	28	28	31
	Phase I Proposals (FY Solicitations)	2,321	1,859	2,099	1,799
SBIR/	Avg. time to award Phase I (mos.)	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.6
STTR	Phase III Awards	142	140	151	147
	Phase III Awards (\$M)	\$520	\$394	\$507	\$407

<sup>\*</sup>awards are still being made.



# **Topic Area Distribution**





### **SBIR/STTR Program Award Structure**

### **DON SYSCOMs tailor as needed**

Project Feasibility		Technology Development and Prototype Demonstration		Prototype Testing & Evaluation Technology Demo & Validation			
Pha	ase I		Phase II		I	Subsequent Phase II	Phase III
Phase I Base  • 6 months	Phase I Option  • 6 months	Phase II Base •~18 months	Phase II Option 1 • ~9 months	Phase II Option 2  •~12-18 months		Contingent upon having a successful project with a committed	Transition to Acquisition Program  Non-SBIR/STTR \$ (Private
(SBIR) • \$100K • 7 months (STTR) • \$125K		• \$500K-\$1M • \$500K-\$1M • SBIR PM/PO review for Option 2 at exit • \$12-18 months • Signed TTA may be required • TRL 4 at exit		<ul> <li>Transition Sponsor/Path</li> <li>Up to 24 months</li> <li>1:1 cost match</li> <li>Signed TTA required</li> <li>Minimum TRL 4 at entry</li> </ul>		sector or non-SBIR/STTR Gov. \$)  • Unlimited POP  • SBC Extension of Data Rights and Sole Source	
NTE \$225K			II Options may requoptions ranging fro			CPFF Contract	Designation  Contract Type Varies -
DON uses a "gated" process		20.2	CPFF Contract		L	NTE \$1.5M SBIR/STTR Funding	Phase III's may be awarded without competition after Phase I or Phase II
of options in Phase I/II to allow more funding to be available to increase TRL & transition opportunities		NTE	\$1.5M SBIR/STTR I	Funding		NOTE: A 'Subsequent Phase II' is a <b>Requirements Driven</b> process; i.e., based upon Acquisition program needs.	No limit on funding (only non-SBIR/STTR)
			NTE \$3,225	5,000 Total SBIR/STT	R Fur	nding	
Phase III – can occur anytime after Phase I and is funded with non-SBIR/STTR \$							
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# Navy SBIR/STTR Commercialization Tools

- SBIR/STTR Transition Program (STP)
- Primes Initiative
- Phase III Guidebook
- Reach-back Strategy
- O&S Pilot(s)
- SBIR/STTR Search Tool



# SBIR/STTR Transition Program (STP)

Helps prepare selected Small Businesses to transition their DON funded technology by providing the following services:

- Assisting in the development of targeted marketing materials
- Providing relevant market research appropriate to the Small Business's technology and transition targets
- Identifying leads for potential transition opportunities
- Mentoring on the government/prime contractor relationships
- Instructing on the government acquisition environment and policies
- Promoting Small Businesses and their SBIR/STTR technology(s) on the Virtual Transition Marketplace (VTM)—an on-line, searchable showcase accessible to Government and private sector
- Assisting you on exhibiting at the annual Forum for SBIR/STTR Transition (FST)



### The Primes Initiative

Revolutionizing Delivery of Innovation to the Warfighter



- Corporate goal for SBIR/STTR engagement
- Integrate SBIR/STTR into corporate sourcing strategy
- Establish SBIR/STTR partnering metrics; manage to these metrics
- Leverage current supplier, engineering, & marketing resources
- Explore SBIR/STTR Topic opportunities
- Explore Phase I, II, & III opportunities
- Track SBIR/STTR partnerships
- Developing risk management tools for government and industry to share



### Phase III Guidebook

- Developed by DON SBIR/STTR
  - Assist Program Managers, Contracting Officers, and Small Business professionals
- Comprehensive innovation desk reference
  - Cites authorities
  - Summarizes best practices
  - Answers FAQs
- Global commercialization resource
  - Small/Large Businesses
  - DoD Components & Agencies
  - Other Federal Agencies



Available for download at www.navysbir.com



### Using SBIR/STTR to reduce Cost Drivers

- Reachback Strategy
  - Mining the Navy SBIR/STTR inventory
  - Cross-SYSCOM leveraging
- Direct to Phase II\*
  - Specific topics written for Phase II
  - Ability to increase TRL faster
- O&S Pilot(s)
  - NAVAIR Pilot with FRCs
  - Seeking pilot opportunities with FRDs and Shipyards

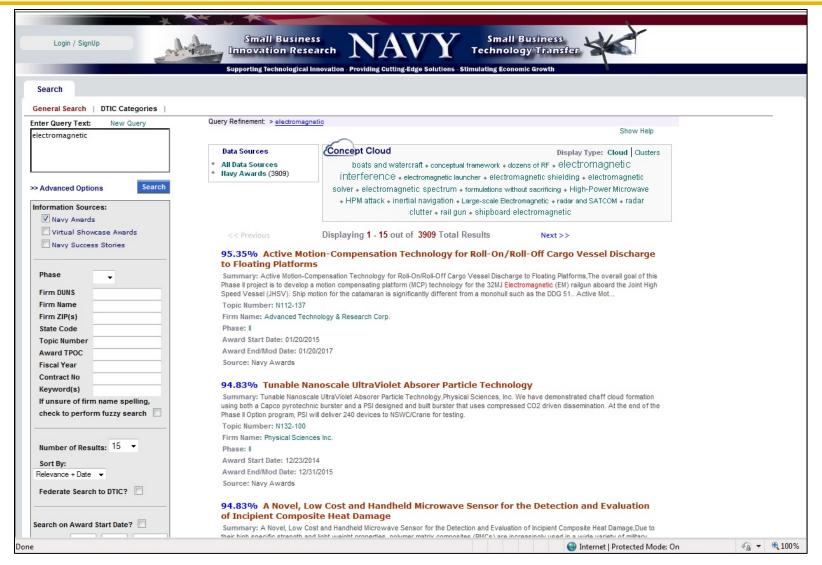
\*Current authority expires 30 Sept. 2017

SBIR/STTR can be leveraged to reduce costs!!



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#### **FREE to Public**





# DON SBIR/STTR Points of Contact

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Check for the most up to date information about the program, topics, awards, and more!



# Questions



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# SBIR/STTR Programs: Seeding America's Innovations

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

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### Mission of the SBIR and STTR Programs





# Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)

- → Set-aside program for small business to engage in Federal R&D with potential for commercialization
- → 3.2% of the extramural research budget for agencies with a budget greater than \$100M per year
  - \$2.2 billion set-aside each year



### **Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR)**

- → Parallel set-aside program to facilitate cooperative R&D between small businesses and U.S. research institutions – with potential for commercialization
- → 0.45% of the extramural research budget for agencies with a budget greater than \$1B per year

\$290 million set-aside each year



### **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 socially and economically disadvantaged persons
- Foster technology transfer through cooperative R&D between small businesses and research institutions (STTR)

### Why We Work on America's Seed Fund

www.sbir.gov/news/testimonials

















Front row seat to the future...

# SBIR/STTR is a Gated Process w/ Three Phases

#### Phase I

Concept Development 6 months – 1 year ~ \$150,000

#### Phase II

Prototype Development 24 months ~ \$1,000,000

### Phase III

Commercialization No SBIR funding



### Who Qualifies as a Small Business?

- Organized as for-profit U.S. business
- 500 or fewer employees including affiliates
- Work must be done in the U.S.
- Greater than 50% U.S.-owned by individuals and independently operated

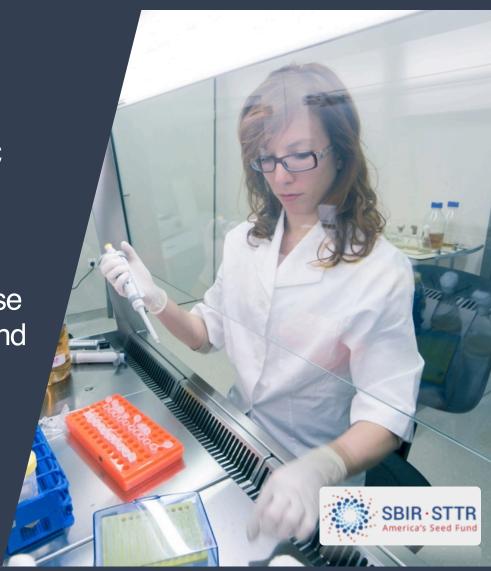


### **Principal Investigator (PI)**

→ Must be employed by the SBC (SBIR/STTR) or partnering research institution (STTR) at time of award

 Should have appropriate expertise to oversee project scientifically and technically

→ Is **not** required to have a Ph.D./M.D.



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Participating Agencies	11 agencies (extramural R&D budget > \$100M)	5 agencies (extramural R&D budget > \$1B)

The small business is ALWAYS the applicant and awardee!

### Agencies that Participate in SBIR & STTR

Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Department of Commerce (DoC) NIST, NOAA

Department of Defense (DoD)

Department of Education (ED)

Department of Energy (DOE)

Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Department of Homeland Security (DHS)

Department of Transportation (DOT)

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) National
Aeronautics
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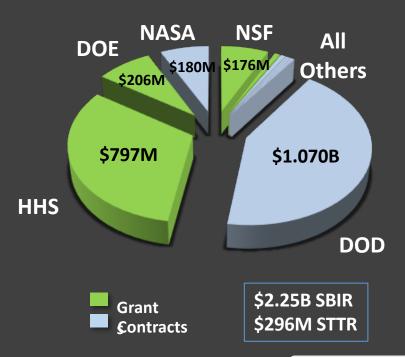
National Science Foundation (NSF)



### SBIR/STTR Budget by Agency, FY2015

Agencies with SBIR/STTR Programs	Budget
Department of Defense (DOD)	\$ 1.070 B
Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), including the National Institutes of Health (NIH)*	\$797.0 M
Department of Energy (DOE), including Advanced Research Projects Agency – Energy (ARPA-E)	\$206.1M
National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)	\$ 180.1 M
National Science Foundation (NSF)	\$176.0 M
Agencies with SBIR Programs	Budget
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U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)	\$20.3M
U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)  Department of Homeland Security (DHS): Science and Technology Directorate (S&T) and Domestic Nuclear Detection Office (DNDO)	
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<sup>\*</sup> Provides grants and contracts





### **Typical Application Process**

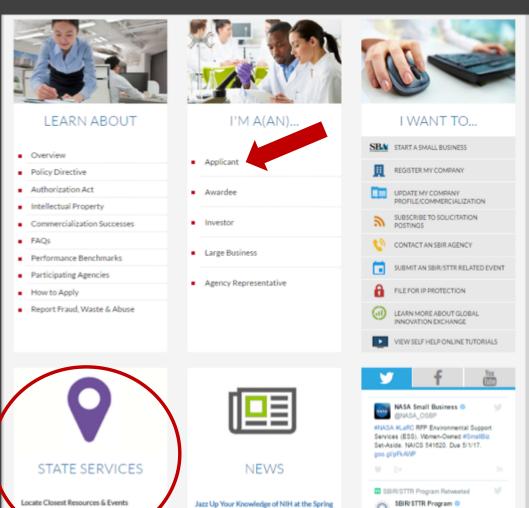
Find Solicitation Proposal Submission Evaluation Award



### Required Registrations Vary by Agency

	NAS A	HHS	NSF	DOE	DOD
DUNS	x	X	X	X	X
SAM.gov	X	X	X	X	x
Company Registry (SBIR.gov)	X	X	X	X	x
Grants.gov		X		X	
eRA Commons		X			
Electronic Handbook (EHB)	X				
NSF FastLane			X		
Portfolio Analysis and Management System (PAMS)				X	
fedconnect.net				X	
Funding Accountability and Transparency Act Sub- award Reporting System				X	
DoD Submission Website					

### www.sbir.gov



2017 NIH Regional Seminar in New Orleans

SBIR Pulse: 2016 Tibbetts Awards Special

Edition (O&A with EnChroma CEO and

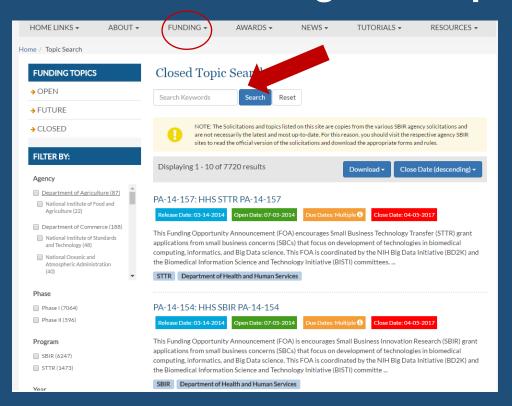
On April 4th @SBAgov & @Microsoft have teamed up for a webinar on the #SBIR/STTR

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### Where to the Begin? – Topic Searches



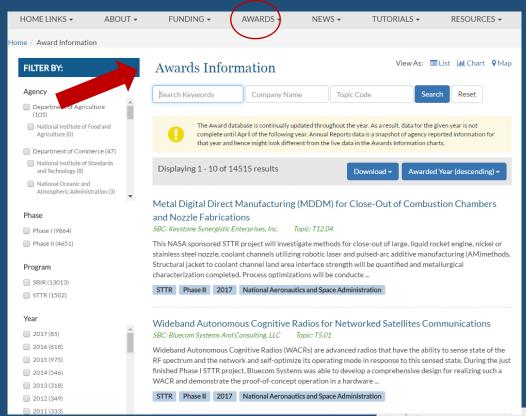
- → Topic Searches
  - Keyword searches –
     Learn which agencies
     fund your technology!

www.sbir.gov/sbirsearch/topic/past



### Where to the Begin? – Award Searches

- → Keyword Award searches
  - → Identify successful firms
  - → Identify agency investments in technology areas



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### **On-line Tutorials**

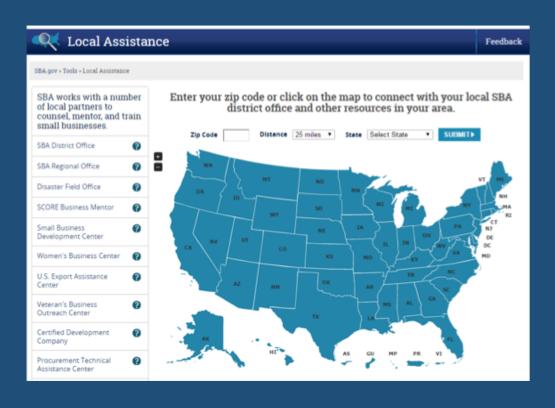


- → Open to everyone
- → For those interested in learning more about SBIR/STTR
- → Agency Introductions
- → Program Basics
- → 11 Modules

www.sbir.gov/tutorials



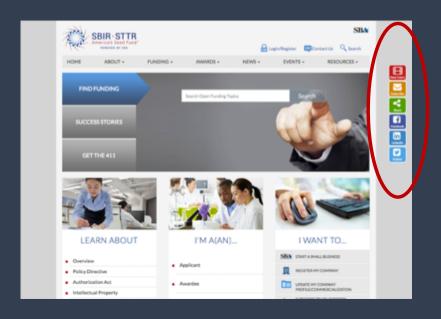
### **Connect to Your Network of Local Support**



www.sba.gov/tools/local-assistance

- → SBA District Offices
- → Small BusinessDevelopment Centers(SBDCs)
- → Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTACs)
- → Women's Business Centers
- → SCORE Business Mentors
- Veterans Business Outreach Centers (VBOCs)

### **Stay In Touch**



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