

## **SBIR Road Tour**

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### Tuesday, July 19

The Small Business Innovation Research program and its sister, Small Business Technology Transfer, together provide \$2.5 billion annually in federal funding for research by small companies. West Virginia innovators can engage SBIR/STTR leaders face-to-face when the 2016 national SBIR Road Tour visits.

#### Who should attend?

- Entrepreneurial university researchers
- Small firms in the early stages of R&D of new products or services
- Previous SBIR/STTR award winners interested in new funding opportunities

If you or your company could use early-stage, non-dilutive research funding, this rare gathering of state and federal representatives — including SBIR program managers from several agencies — is an event you don't want to miss.

#### Federal agencies scheduled to participate

USDA • NIST • Air Force • Navy • NIH • DHS • NETL • SBA • USPTO

- Get the scoop on SBIR/STTR directly from the funding agencies
- Meet 1-on-1 with agency program managers to receive feedback on your research ideas and how they align with agency priorities
- Glean tips from recent SBIR winners from West Virginia
- Learn about state funding opportunities and resource providers

8:30 am - 3:30 pm

# WVU Media Innovation Center

62 Morrill Way Evansdale Crossing Building, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Morgantown

Registration & continental breakfast available starting at 8 am

**\$30 • Includes lunch**Pre-registration required

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http://bit.ly/SBIR-WV

Reasonable arrangements for persons with disabilities will be made if requested at least two weeks in advance.

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