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## November 2019 SBIR/STTR Training, Deadlines, News and More

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Upcoming SBIR/STTR Training, Webinars, and Other Info for early stage Tech Firms &amp; University Researchers



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## ***DOD & NASA SBIR Phase I, II & Commercialization Conference***

***--With special DOD SBIR Topics Preview Workshop--  
December 4-5, 2019, Herndon, VA***

**This session is for both New Applicants & Awardees!**

This special two day conference kicks off with a half day DOD SBIR/STTR Topics Workshop broadcast, followed by in-depth guidance on the DOD and NASA SBIR/STTR programs for phase I and phase II proposal development. It concludes with discussions

on commercialization, phase III, and tips for smaller government contractors seeking to improve success.

**Highlights Include:**

- **Dec. 4:** 8AM-12:15PM - NAVY & DOD SBIR/STTR Topics Workshop Live Broadcast - Hosted by NAVSEA SBIR, this special live broadcast will feature panel discussions from Navy and other DOD SBIR/STTR topic managers who will provide information on the just released 2020.1 DOD SBIR BAA. A great opportunity to gain insight into topic sectors like unmanned systems, cyber security, AI, Data Analytics, and more!
- **Dec. 4:** Phase I & II Proposal Writing for DOD and NASA SBIR/STTR.
- **Dec. 5:** Meet with reps from DOD, NAVY, DARPA, Homeland Security, NASA, NOAA, Lockheed Martin, and several support organizations (Noon to 5PM on Dec. 5).
- **Dec. 5:** Phase III & Commercialization Planning, Finding other Funding, engaging with primes, Cyber Security Requirements for DOD contractors, and more.

**TOPICS COVERED at CONFERENCE:**

- **2020.1 and 2020.A DOD SBIR/STTR Topic Workshop** -- Live Broadcast from Boston discussing the pending SBIR/STTR BAA's to be released Dec. 10 -- get a preview of the topics!
  - DOD SBIR 101;
  - DOD SBIR/STTR Topic Sector Overviews -- learn about key topic sectors, like Unmanned Systems, Cyber, Artificial Intelligence, and more!
  - Keynote Panels:
    - How DOD Proposal Are Evaluated;
    - Support Programs for SBIR/STTR Applicants;
    - How to Get to Phase II - Begin with the end in mind.
- SBIR Data Rights
- Whats New in SBIR
- The Real Advantage of SBIR -- Sole Source Contracting and IP Ownership
- DOD & NASA Proposal Prep: Doing your Homework, Phase I & II Proposal Prep Processes
- DOD & NASA Phase III Planning
- Finding, Recruiting & Teaming with Transition Partners
- How to be Attractive to Large Prime Collaboration
- Marketing yourself to the Government -- how to make your company attractive to DOD & NASA
- Using OTA's & Government Reach Backs to sell your SBIR Technology
- Cyber Security Requirements for DOD Contractors

**TIMES:** 8AM-4:30PM Each Day

**PRICE:**

- Virginia based Companies: \$75 per person (or \$50 for single day)
- All others \$200 per person (or \$125 for single day)
- EXHIBIT TABLE: \$275 (Dec. 5, Noon-5PM)

**Instructors:**

**QUESTIONS:** Robert.brooke@cit.org, 703-689-3080

**Full AGENDA** [HERE](#)

**[REGISTER HERE](#)**

**Dept. of Energy Phase 0 Assistance Program**

The Department of Energy (DOE) is proud to re-launch its Phase 0 SBIR/STTR assistance program for the FY20 Phase I Release 1 Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA). Please visit <http://www.dawnbreaker.com/doephase0/> to review the full list of eligibility requirements and to apply for Phase 0 services. You may view the full list of topics at: <https://science.osti.gov/-/media/sbir/pdf/TechnicalTopics/FY20-Phase-I-Release-1-Topics07152019.pdf>

## Dept of Energy SBIR Topics Webinars

-Monday, November 18, 2019: Topics 1-5, 18 & 19-25 [Register](#)

-Tuesday, November 19, 2019: Topics: 6-17 [Register](#)

-Wednesday, November 20, 2019: Topics 26-38 [Register](#)

## Dept. of Education 7th Annual ED Games Expo

Jan. 9, 2020, Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, Washington DC

The ED Games Expo is the Department of Education's annual public showcase and celebration of educational learning games as well as innovative forms of learning technologies for children and students in education and special education. All of the games and technologies at the ED Games Expo were developed with support from more than 30 programs across many agencies in the Federal government, many involved SBIR. Learn more [HERE](#).

## DARPA Out of Cycle Topics Available-CLOSING NOV. 15

- Precision Time Transfer and Ranging via Tactical Radios
- Variable Speed and Energy Efficient Depth Changing Buoys
- Distributed, Secure, and Trusted Processing for Heterogeneous Swarms of Autonomous Vehicles
- Radio Frequency (RF) Multipath Characterization & Transmitter Localization of Overwater Emitters
- **VIEW TOPICS [HERE](#)**

## SBIR/STTR Deadlines

### [Dept of Defense SBIR/STTR](#)

Pre-Release Opens Dec. 10, 2019, Opens Jan. 14, 2020, Closes Feb. 12, 2020.

### [Dept. of Education SBIR and Institute of Education Sciences](#)

Opens Jan. 2020, closes 45 days later

### [Dept. of Energy SBIR/STTR](#)

Letter of Intent Due Date: Jan. 6, 2020

Application Due Date: Feb. 24, 2020

### [EPA](#)

Opens June, 2020

### [Homeland Security SBIR](#)

Closed Feb. 12, 2019

### [NASA SBIR/STTR](#)

Closed March 29, 2019

### [National Institutes of Health SBIR/STTR](#)

Closes Jan. 5 (2020), April 5, Sept. 5

### [NIH/CDC SBIR Contract Solicitation](#)

Closed Oct. 23, 2019

[National Science Foundation](#)

Ongoing submissions -- submit online Project Pitch to receive approval to submit full proposal.

Project Pitch Tutorial [HERE](#).

[NOAA SBIR](#)

Closed Feb. 13, 2019

[NIST](#)

Closed April 19, 2019

[Dept of Transportation](#)

Closed April 22, 2019

[USDA](#)

**Closed October, 23, 2019**

## ***CIT Recorded SBIR/STTR Webinars***

CIT's Federal Funding Assistance Programs has over 40 recorded webinars available to support SBIR/STTR applicants! All FREE for Virginia based companies and university researchers.

- DOD Series
- NIH Series
- NSF Series
- Dept. of Energy Session
- NASA Session
- SBIR/STTR For University Researchers
- Tips from investors
- AND MORE!

**Registration required for each session at this [LINK](#).**  
<https://www.cit.org/service-lines/cit-entrepreneur-webinars/>

## ***CIT Supports Virginia's SBIR/STTR Community***

CIT's Federal Funding Assistance Programs supports the outreach, mentoring and training of the SBIR and STTR programs for the Commonwealth of Virginia. Support includes:

- Low Cost SBIR/STTR Training at locations across the Commonwealth of Virginia;
- Special Webinar training (live and recorded);
- Mentoring services;
- Consultant referrals;
- Small grants to support hiring of expert consultants;
- Introductions to CIT's GAP and CRCF programs;
- SBIR/STTR Matching Grants (Via the CRCF program)

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