

LUNCH AND LEARN with the PSU Business Accelerator SBIR/STTR FEDERAL FUNDING

YOUR TECH MIGHT BE A GOOD FIT FOR THESE FEDERAL FUNDS

Each year, Federal agencies with research and development (R&D) budgets that exceed \$100 million are required to allocate 3.2% (FY 2017) of their R&D budget to these programs. This translates to over \$3.2B each year that is distributed to grant funds to high risk technology with commercialization potential.

This **LUNCH AND LEARN** will cover the SBIR/STTR basics (including: eligibility requirements, size and ownership rules, SBIR vs STTR) plus recent changes in the program, agency interests, new opportunities for commercialization assistance, faster award processes and (if time) interesting technology topics in digital/IT areas .

Appropriate for:

- Those familiar with SBIR but curious about new changes
- Companies considering their first proposal
- Entrepreneur/startup supporters and service providers
- And anyone curious about how SBIR/STTR federal funding might fund their tech idea or research

Location:
Mt. Hood Room at the PSBA
2828 SW Corbett Ave., Portland, OR 97201

Hosted by:



**Business
Accelerator**

PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY

The Portland State Business Accelerator supports and serves tech, bioscience, and green companies from their early stage through growth by providing facilities, programming, and mentors while activating and engaging relationships with each other, PSU, and the entrepreneur ecosystem.

**November 12
12:00p - 1:00p**

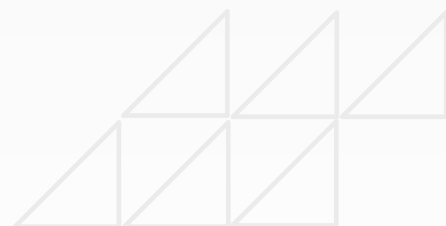


40 minute presentation followed by Q&A

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Non-dilutive, R&D funding for small businesses with innovative technologies

The **Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)** program funds over \$3.2 billion annually in Research and Development (R&D) that has the potential for commercialization by domestic small businesses. The **Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR)** program offers funding for R&D through collaboration with university researchers.

Funding is available from these Federal agencies:

- Department of Defense
- National Institutes of Health
- Department of Energy
- US Department of Agriculture
- National Science Foundation
- Environmental Protection Agency
- Department of Education
- Department of Homeland Security
- Department of Transportation
- National Aeronautics and Space Administration
- National Institute of Standards and Technology
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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VertueLab offers **free assistance** to apply for an SBIR grant to qualifying small businesses in Oregon, including:

- 1-on-1 consulting
- proposal writing
- training and workshops
- guidance to submission procedures
- technical review & critique
- commercialization planning
- Assistance in registrations & submission

Learn more or apply for assistance at: <https://vertuelab.org/sbir>