

7th Annual
Small Business

Innovation Research

Program Workshop

{SBIR}

 Small Business
Development Center
TEMPLE UNIVERSITY

The Fox School of Business and Management



March 22nd

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Lunch Provided

Agenda

- 9:00 am Registration/Refreshments/Networking**
- 9:30 am Welcome & Introductions**
William T. Wisniewski, Deputy Regional Administrator
EPA, Region 3
- 9:45 am Overview of SBIR Program & EPA SBIR Research Topics**
April Richards, SBIR Program Specialist
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- 10:45 am Networking Break**
- 11:00 am Overview of DOE Research Topics**
Larry James, SBIR/STTR Program Manager
U.S. Department of Energy
- 11:45 am Temple SBDC Services**
Margie Beard, Manager
*Technology Commercialization Assistance Program
Temple Small Business Development Center*
- 12:00 pm Innovation Partnership Programs**
Richard Thompson, Manager
*Technology Commercialization Services
Ben Franklin Technology Partners*
- 12:15 pm Lunch and Networking**
- 1:00 pm Industry's SBIR Experience**
Louis DiNetta, Senior Business Manager
Compact Membrane Systems, Inc
- 1:30 pm Crafting Winning Proposals**
John Davis, Director
SBIR Resource Center
- 2:45 pm Final Questions/Closing Remarks/Evaluations**
- 3:00 pm Adjourn**

US Environmental Protection Agency *

Mid-Atlantic Region

1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103

For directions go to: www.epa.gov/region3/direct.htm

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At this workshop you will learn about the Environmental Protection Agency's and the Department of Energy's technology needs and learn how to win R&D funding under the EPA's and DOE's Small Business Innovation Research programs. This workshop is geared towards for-profit technology and science based firms with less than 500 employees.

At this workshop you will receive:

- Details on upcoming opportunities to receive up to \$415,000 from the EPA and up to \$850,000 from the DOE
- The latest information on EPA and DOE SBIR funding
- Details on SBIR grant writing assistance
- Education on how to prepare a winning proposal
- An opportunity to network with other small businesses
- Access to SBIR Program Managers and SBIR consultants

Free • Space is limited • Register Today!

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