



## SBIR Road Tour

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# SMALL TECHNOLOGY FIRMS AND INNOVATORS, America's Largest Seed Fund is Coming to Cleveland, OH!

The SBIR Road Tour is a national outreach effort to convey the non-dilutive technology funding opportunity provided through the Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs. Federal and State Program Managers representing \$2.5 billion in early stage funding have been invited to present at a series of events to technology entrepreneurs and innovation supporters from across the United States. This event is a coveted opportunity for those involved in the advanced technology communities, including women-owned and minority-owned firms.

If you're an innovator, entrepreneur, researcher, or small technology firm, take advantage of this coveted local opportunity to hear directly from federal agency program managers, and meet one-on-one with program decision makers.

### 2017 SBIR Road Tour

#### Midwest

Cleveland, OH | July 20, 2017  
(DETAILS AT [WWW.SBIRROADTOUR.COM](http://WWW.SBIRROADTOUR.COM))

#### Hosted By

Ohio Aerospace Institute

#### Location

Ohio Aerospace Institute  
22800 Cedar Point Rd.  
Cleveland, OH 44142

#### Agenda Highlights Include:

- » Learn how to access local and state resources available to innovators, researchers, and technology entrepreneurs;
- » SBIR Agencies Funding Priorities Overviews

#### Engaging Panel Sessions:

- » Seed funding your Idea through SBIR
- » Inside the Head of an Evaluator: Lessons Learned and Common Mistakes
- » Technology Alignment, Opportunities, and Funding from the Warfighter (Defense focused)

#### Meet One-on-One with SBIR/STTR Program Managers, including:

- » Department of Agriculture (USDA)
- » Department of Energy (DOE)
- » Department of Health and Human Services - National Institutes of Health (NIH)
- » National Science Foundation (NSF)
- » Department of Defense - Air Force (USAF)
- » Department of Defense - Department of Homeland Security (DHS)
- » Department of Defense - Defense Advanced Research Projects Administration (DARPA)
- » Department of Defense - Missile Defense Agency (MDA)
- » Department of Defense - Navy (USN)
- » Department of Defense - Special Operations Command (SOCOM)
- » National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
- » National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)
- » United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO)

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