Office of Federal Relations Hosting Informational Webinar:
Department of Defense Small Business Innovation and Technology Transfer Programs (SBIR/STTR)

January 23, 2019, 12:00 - 1:30 PM

The University of Texas System, Office of Federal Relations and the Department of Defense SBIR/STTR Programs will be hosting a webinar to discuss:

1) The Top 10 Research Priorities (listed here)
2) The role of SBIR/STTR programs in supporting DoD research agenda
3) Examples of SBIR/STTR projects
4) The general SBIR/STTR process
5) Other funding opportunities from complementary programs
6) Q & A

**Please note: while life science and healthcare are not specified, there are SBIR/STTR topics related to those two areas. It should also be noted that about 40% of the topics in the upcoming solicitation are not specifically, in the top 10 areas**

If you are interested, please follow this link and sign-up to receive more information/invitation:

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We are looking forward to hearing from you! Please help us in spreading the word!

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Dr. James J. Galvin Jr.,
Principal Director, Department of Defense Small Business Innovation Research and Technology Transfer (SBIR/STTR) Programs

Dr. Galvin leads a network of SBIR/STTR Program Managers across DOD, the policy development and enabling activities for the $1.4B programs, and financial management of $100M of SBIR/STTR research. He ensures DoD’s small business innovation base receives opportunities to contribute to military readiness and modernization.

Prior to his current position, he was the Acting Director and Deputy Director of the DOD Office of Small Business Programs (OSBP) and led a network of 700 Small Business Professionals who influenced the annual procurement of over $50B of prime contracting and over $40B of subcontracting from small businesses.

Prior to joining OSBP, Dr. Galvin was on detail to DOD from the Department of Energy National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) as a Program Manager for over 110 energy and water projects on military installations. He worked closely with numerous small businesses to help them demonstrate and commercialize their innovative technologies. He served as an adjunct professor at The George Washington University, teaching graduate students in the School of Engineering and Applied Sciences. At NREL he led a program to help the State of Hawaii achieve its clean energy goals.

Prior to working at NREL, Dr. Galvin retired from the Army as a Colonel. He served in the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment and the 18th Airborne Corps as a pilot (AH-1, OH-58 and UH-60), commander and staff officer. He served on the Army Staff, at the US Southern Command and at the Army’s Combined Arms Center in Program Analysis, Legislative, Organizational Transformation and Knowledge Management positions.

He received the Legion of Merit and other awards for his military service. He was the 2012 recipient of the Chairman’s Award from NREL for his support to DOD. In addition to being a Senior Army Aviator, he is also Airborne, Ranger and Air Assault qualified.

Dr. Galvin earned his Ph.D. in Industrial and Systems Engineering from Virginia Tech, an MS in Operations Research from the Naval Postgraduate School and he is a graduate of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point. He currently serves in the federal government’s Senior Executive Service

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**Top Research Priorities**
- Microelectronics
- Cybersecurity (Offense/Defense)
- Electronics Warfare
- Quantum Science (including Encryption & Computing)
- Directed Energy
- Machine Learning/ Artificial Intelligence
- Fully-Networked Command
- Control and Communication
- Space (Offense & Defense)
- Autonomy
- Hypersonics
- Nuclear Modernization