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SBIR Road Tour

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America’s Largest Seed Fund is Coming to Huntsville!

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.

The U.S. Small Business Administration announced it will launch an 18-state road tour connecting entrepreneurs with next generation Research & Development ideas to the largest source of early stage funding led by the SBA’s Small Business Innovation Research and Small Business Technology Transfer programs.

"We are dedicated to supporting America’s entrepreneurs wherever they are. American innovation is not restricted by geographic or cultural boundaries," SBA Administrator Linda McMahon said. "This tour reflects our commitment to ensuring that these innovators are aware of the resources that can help them turn a big idea into another great American innovation story."

- **Date:** April 17, 2018 Huntsville, AL
- **Location:** Alabama A&M University | 4900 Meridian St. N Normal, Alabama 35762
- **Time:** 7am-4:30pm
- **Reception:** April 16th | Hosted at Huntsville Madison County Chamber | 225 Church Street, Huntsville, AL 35801
- **Event website:** [AAMU Website- Additional Information](#)
- **Event Registration:** [https://aamu.afford.com/PPT/MakeAPayment](https://aamu.afford.com/PPT/MakeAPayment)

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