

2008 SBIR CONFERENCE FACT SHEET

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- Carroll Technology Council
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- Baltimore County Department of Economic Development
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Friends

- Federal Laboratory Consortium - Mid Atlantic Region
 - Maryland Business Incubation Association
 - SBIR Resource Center
 - The Patuxent Partnership

From Awareness to Awards and Commercialization

Tuesday, March 4, 2008 * 8 am – 5:15 pm
Inn and Conference Center, UMUC * Adelphi, MD

About the Conference:

This conference aims to provide Maryland's small businesses familiar with the SBIR lifecycle with the necessary tools to master its complexities, understand the intricacies of the selection process, and provide an overview of alternative gap funding resources available to small businesses.

Welcoming Remarks:

Dr. C. D. (Dan) Mote, Jr., President, *University of Maryland, College Park*
 Renee Winsky, President and Executive Director, *TEDCO*

Opening Remarks Speaker

Edsel Brown
 Assistant Director
 Office of Technology
US Small Business Administration



Keynote Luncheon Speaker

Mary Ann Beyster
 President
Foundation for Enterprise Development



PANELISTS INCLUDE

SBIR/STTR experts and decision-makers representing over 20 Federal Agencies, Corporations, Venture Organizations, and Small Businesses:

- A & G Pharma
- Advanced Powder Solutions
- Amplifier Ventures
- Cylex
- Delta Epsilon
- Department of Agriculture
- Department of Defense
- Department of Energy
- Emerald Skies
- Food and Drug Administration
- Integrated BioTherapeutics
- JEM Engineering
- MDBio
- National Cancer Institute
- National Science Foundation
- National Institutes of Health
- National Institute of Standards and Technology
- New Vantage Group
- Northrop Grumman
- Raytheon
- Sensics, Inc.
- Techno-Sciences, Inc.

Some Featured Agenda Items!

AM and PM General Session Panels w/Q&A:

Trends in Technology and Programming
 (9:15 am – 10:45 am)

Prime-Sub Relationships and More
 (3:15 pm – 4:15 pm)

3 Recurring Panels w/ Q&A:

(11 am – 12 pm; 2 pm – 3 pm)

Eye of the Investor

Parallel Tracking: SBIR and FDA

Funding Transitions: Phase I to Phase II and Beyond

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A GLANCE

- SBIR Winners Poster Session and select demos
- Access to various Supporting Organizations
- Networking opportunities
- And more!

For Detailed Agenda and To Register, Visit:
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Space is limited.

Registration ends Friday, February 29.