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**Assessment of the SBIR and STTR Programs
at the National Science Foundation**

**2nd Meeting: June 1 and June 4-5, 2020
Via Zoom**

Open Session Agenda

**Monday – June 1, 2020
Via Zoom
OPEN SESSION**

- 2:00 PM Welcome and Introductions**
Maryann Feldman, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Scott Stern, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 2:05 PM The Big Picture**
Moderator: Maryann Feldman, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Manuel Trajtenberg, Tel Aviv University
John Van Reenen, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Josh Lerner, Harvard Business School
- 3:30 PM Break**
- 4:00 PM The SBIR/STTR Ecosystem**
Moderator: Stephanie Shipp, Stephanie Shipp, Biocomplexity Institute and Initiative at the University of Virginia

John Harthorne, MassChallenge/Two Lanterns Venture Partners
Greg Keenan, Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation (WARF)
Trevor Loy, Flywheel Ventures
Phil Weilerstein, VentureWell
John Younger, University City Science Center
- 5:30 PM Adjourn Day 1**

Thursday – June 4, 2020
Via Zoom
OPEN SESSION

- 11:00 AM Welcome and Introductions**
Maryann Feldman, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Scott Stern, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 11:05 AM Academic Research on I-Corps and SBIR/STTR**
Moderator: Maryann Feldman, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Andrea Belz, University of Southern California and National Science Foundation
- 12:00 PM Operations of the SBIR/STTR Programs and I-Corps**
Moderator: Riitta Katila, Stanford University

Steve Blank
Rathindra “Babu” Dasgupta
Lydia McClure, Research Bridge Partners
- 1:30 PM Break**
- 2:00 PM Perspectives from SBIR/STTR Awardees**
Moderator: Scott Stern, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Marcie Black, Advanced Silicon Group
Ginger Dossier, bioMason
Gerald Meggett Jr., CircleIn
Allison Pieja, Mango Materials
- 3:30 PM Break**
- 4:00 PM NSF Perspectives**
Ben Schrag, National Science Foundation
- 5:00 PM Adjourn Day 2**

**Friday – June 5, 2020
CLOSED SESSION**

**Friday – June 5, 2020
Via Zoom
OPEN SESSION**

- 4:00 PM** **Welcome and Introduction**
Maryann Feldman, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Scott Stern, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 4:05 PM** **Committee Q&A with Sponsor Representative**
Ben Schrag, National Science Foundation
- 5:00 PM** **Adjourn Day 3**