May 4, 2017 Time: 7:30 a – 4:00 pm
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7:30 - 8:00 a.m. Registration/Networking/Breakfast
8:00 – noon SBIR/STTR Federal Agency Presentations, Panel Sessions, and One-on-One Meetings
8:00 – 8:30 am “America’s Seed Fund – SBA SBIR Overview”
8:30 – 9:00 am “R&D for a Public Purpose—the Granting Agencies”
9:00 – 10:00 am “Business with the Warfighter: Technology Alignment, Opportunities, and Funding” (DOD focused)
10:15 – 11:30 am Agency SBIR Overview Sessions
11:30 a.m. – Noon “Inside the Head of an Evaluator: Lessons Learned and Common Mistakes”

Noon – 1:00 pm – Lunch and Networking

1:00 – 1:10 pm “Welcome from UNLV & Nevada SBDC at UNLV”
Zach Miles, Associate Vice President for Economic Development and Director, NSBDC at UNLV

1:10 -1:35 pm “A SBIR Success Story”
Jim Hodge, Chief Technical Officer, K2 Energy Solutions

1:35 – 2:10 pm “Grants, Funding and IP, Oh My”
Scott D. Marty, Esquire, Partner and Charley F. Brown, Esquire, Partner, Intellectual Property, Ballard Spahr LLP

2:15 pm – 2:25 pm “Overview of Rob Roy’s Innevation Center”
Nicole Bautz, Innevation Manager, Rob Roy’s Innevation Center, powered by Switch

2:25 – 2:45 pm “Lean Launch Pad – “What It Is and Why I Need to Use It”
Leith Martin, Executive Director, Center for Entrepreneurship, Lee Business School

2:50 – 3:10 pm “Licensee’s Perspective on Engaging with UNLV Researchers”
Kegan McMullan, Economic Development Specialist, UNLV Small Business Development Center

3:10 – 3:30 pm “Overview of the SBIR Proposal Process”
Carol Brodie, Proposal Development Manager, UNLV Office of Sponsored Programs

3:30 –4:00 pm “Nevada SBDC, Building a Strong Corporate Foundation for SBIR/STTR Applications”
Michael Bindrup, Project Manager, Andrew Allison, Economic Development Specialists, NSBDC

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