SBIR/STTR Registration Requirements GUIDE - (as of 9/9/24)



This information is **IMPORTANT**, especially if you are new to the SBIR/STTR Programs as well as if you have applied for funding through these programs previously. Getting your business and submitting/approving entities **REGISTERED** on all the appropriate federal government systems is **imperative** prior to attempting to submit your final proposal for consideration. It is advised that businesses allow from **four to six weeks** to **complete the registration process**. As with most advice about the SBIR/STTR programs, not all agencies have the same registration requirements - Check the agency's requirements where you plan to submit - and **START EARLY!**

Below, is a grid (current as of 9/9/24) with information for each agency and their registration requirements. This is a GUIDE - Please READ ALL AGENCY SOLICITATION REQUIREMENTS. Click on the Hyper-links to direct you to pages to learn more about specific registration requirements.

REGISTRATION TYPE:	<u>DHS</u>	DoC NIST & NOAA	<u>DoD</u>	<u>DoE</u>	<u>DoED</u>	<u>DoT</u>	<u>EPA</u>	NASA	<u>NIH</u>	<u>NSF</u>	<u>USDA</u>
FEIN (Also Referred to as Taxpayer Identification Number TIN)	X	X	×	X	X	X	×	×	X	×	×
DUNS (No longer Mandated for SBIR/STTRs)											
Login.gov (Company Registration can be used on multiple, mandated registration sites – see below.)	×	×	×	X	X	×	×	×	×	X	×
SAM (System of Award Management)	×	X	Ø⊙	×	×	×	×	×	X	X	×
Research.gov (NSF Grants Mgmt Online)										×	
SciENcv (Science Experts Network Curriculum Vitae) CAN be used for BioSketches & current and pending (other) support information)									∑ ⊚	×	
Grants.gov (Your Login.gov credentials can now be used)				X	×				X		×
eRACommons (Your Login.gov credentials can be used)									×		
DSIP (Defense SBIR/STTR Industry Portal) (Your Login.gov credentials can now be used here)			×								
PAMS (Portfolio Analysis and Mgmt. System)				x							
ASAP (Automated Standard Application for Payments – uses ID.me)				×							
<u>FedConnect</u>				x			×				
EHB (Electronic Handbook)								×			

- DoD does not require SAM registration until time of award but encourages applicants to get it when submitting.
 Note: SAM registration is not required before the <u>sbir.gov</u> registration. (IPart encourages you to have ALL registrations in place prior to federal submission.)
- SciENcy NSF mandated use by Oct 23, 2023. Can be used for NIH BioSketches but not yet for NIH current & pending (other) support info.