

NCI SBIR INFORMATION FOR INVESTORS ATTENDING THE YALE INNOVATION SUMMIT

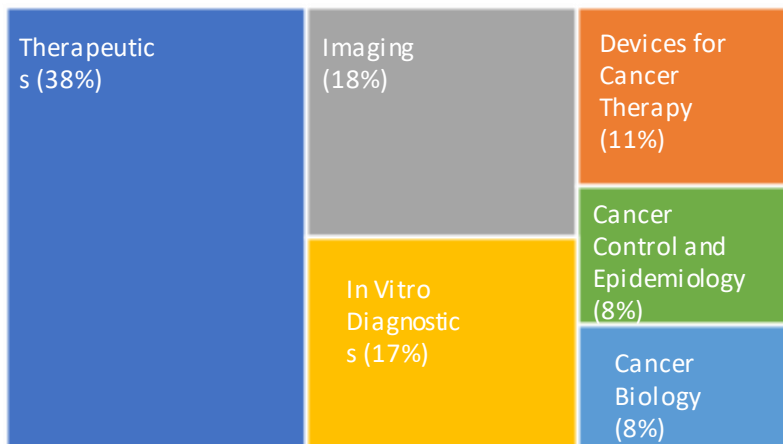
The National Cancer Institute (NCI) SBIR/STTR Development Center (<https://sbir.cancer.gov/>) provides federal funding to startups working on anti-cancer technologies including therapeutics, diagnostics, devices, radiation therapy and imaging, research tools, and digital health. The program's budget has now grown to ~\$180M a year, and we fund approximately 400 companies at any given time. In addition to research funding (non-dilutive capital), we also mentor our companies and provide other resources including entrepreneurship training (e.g. I-Corps at NIH program), commercialization workshops, and the Investor Initiatives Program wherein funded companies submit business plans and compete to win paid trips to investor conferences in order to give pitches and hopefully raise capital.

4 Ways For Investors to Work with the NCI SBIR Development Center:

1. Share technology areas of interest and receive curated lists of NCI SBIR-funded companies working in your areas of interest.
2. Serve as a reviewer for our Investor Initiatives Program or a peer reviewer of NIH SBIR funding applications. You will get the first look at promising NCI SBIR portfolio companies.
3. Connect your existing portfolio companies and other early-stage companies with us. We can help them write competitive funding applications for the NCI SBIR application process.
4. Collaborate to develop new funding opportunities.

NCI SBIR Program Directors Deepa Narayanan and Nancy Kamei will be attending the 2020 Yale Innovation Summit, and they will be available to meet with any interested investors to explore working together. See below for their contact information.

NCI SBIR Portfolio Areas (2019)



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