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HEARING CHARTER

November 29, 2017

TO: Members, Subcommittee on Research and Technology

FROM: Majority Staff, Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

SUBJECT: Research and Technology Subcommittee Hearing:
“From Lab to Market: A Review of NSF Innovation Corps”

The Subcommittee on Research and Technology of the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology will hold a hearing titled *From Lab to Market: A Review of NSF Innovation Corps* on Wednesday, December 6, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 2318 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

Hearing Purpose:

The purpose of the hearing is to review the National Science Foundation’s Innovation Corps (I-Corps) program and its goal of preparing scientists and engineers to extend their research from lab to market, to examine the successes and challenges of the program, and to discuss recommendations for the future of I-Corps and its role in the innovation ecosystem.

Witness List

- **Dr. Dawn Tilbury**, Assistant Director, Directorate for Engineering, National Science Foundation
- **Mr. Steve Blank**, Adjunct Professor, Management Science and Engineering, Stanford University
- **Dr. Dean Chang**, Associate Vice President, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, University of Maryland; Lead Principal Investigator, DC I-Corps Regional Node
- **Dr. Sue Carter**, Professor, Department of Physics, Director, Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurial Development, University of California, Santa Cruz

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