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Abstracts must be submitted no later than Wednesday, March 14, 2018. Invitations to present at the Showcase will be delivered in mid-April.

Presentations will be held at the Innovators’ Showcase on Thursday, May 10, 2018 in McLean, VA.

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**THE COVER LETTER**

Include name, address, phone number and email address of the principal investigator (PI) and, as appropriate, the Co-PI. Identify your sponsoring corporation/institution, specific IR&D or investment project, and relevant Showcase topic of interest (listed above).

**THE ABSTRACT**

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