

**Congress of the United States**  
**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Committee on Small Business**  
2361 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515-6315

**NOTICE OF HEARING**

**August 5, 2013**

**10:00 A.M**

**Binghamton University**  
**Innovative Technologies Complex**  
**85 Murray Hill Road, Vestal, NY**

**TO: Members, Subcommittee on Contracting and Workforce**

**FROM: Richard Hanna, Chairman**

**DATE: Monday, July 29, 2013**

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The Committee on Small Business Subcommittee on Contracting and Workforce will meet for a hearing titled, *Job Creation in Higher Education Communities: How University Research and Development Spurs Small Business Growth*. **The hearing is scheduled to begin at 10:00 A.M. on Monday August 5, 2013 at Binghamton University, Engineering & Science Building, Room 2008, Innovative Technologies Complex, 85 Murray Hill Road, Vestal, NY 13850.**

Binghamton University (BU) is a major public research university in Broome County, NY, and is the economic hub of the region. In addition to being a major employer itself, BU is engaged in high-tech research, technology transfer, and commercialization of federally funded research. Research performed at BU has led to entrepreneurship and small business growth in the surrounding community. The purpose of the hearing is to receive testimony on the symbiotic relationship between BU and the surrounding community, with a particular focus on how BU's research has led to small business creation and economic growth in Broome County, NY.

If you or your staff has any questions, please contact, Joe Hartz, Professional Staff for the Committee, at 202-225-5821.