

SSBCI Newsflash

May 2, 2025

Northeast and Mid-Atlantic Small Business Credit Symposium- **Registration Available until Thursday, May 8, 2025**

On Thursday, May 15 and Friday, May 16, the Federal Reserve Banks of New York, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Boston, and Richmond will co-host a symposium on small business credit. The symposium will inform small business support organizations, lenders, regulatory agencies, and local administrators about the current state of small business credit. Participants will also network and share information on challenges, opportunities, and best practices related to small business credit-access programs. Registration is by invitation only and limited to a subset of jurisdictions. Invited jurisdictions should refer to their Save the Date and Invitation emails for the link to register.

Upcoming Webinars

- SSBCI Supporting Tribal Enterprises Discussion
 - [Thursday, May 29, 2025, at 3 p.m. ET](#)
 - Please join us to learn more about how Tribal Enterprises can participate in SSBCI transactions as borrowers, lenders, investors, and investees to expand capital access for businesses owned

wholly, or partially by one or more Tribal Governments.

SSBCI Office Hours

- SSBCI Equity Capital Program Office Hours
 - [Wednesday, May 7, 2025, at 4 p.m. ET](#)
 - [Thursday, June 12, 2025, at 3 p.m. ET](#)
- SSBCI Lending Program Office Hours
 - [Thursday, May 8, 2025, at 4 p.m. ET](#)
- SSBCI TA/SBOP Grants Program Office Hours
 - [Wednesday, May 28, 2025, at 3:30 p.m. ET](#)

Working Group Meetings

- SSBCI Collateral Support Working Group
 - [Monday, May 19, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. ET](#)
 - An hour-long, monthly meeting for jurisdictions operating SSBCI collateral support programs to share questions, successes, challenges, and solutions.
- SSBCI Loan Guarantee Working Group
 - [Monday, May 19, 2025, at 4 p.m. ET](#)
 - An hour-long, monthly meeting for jurisdictions operating SSBCI loan guarantee programs to share questions, successes, challenges, and solutions. This meeting we will focus on unique applications of guarantee programs.
- SSBCI Loan Participation Working Group
 - [Thursday, May 29, 2025, at 1 p.m. ET](#)
 - An hour-long, monthly meeting for jurisdictions operating SSBCI loan participation programs to share questions,

successes, challenges, and solutions.

Upcoming group discussions will focus on areas related to program longevity, staff succession planning, streamlining operations, and nuanced transaction types.

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