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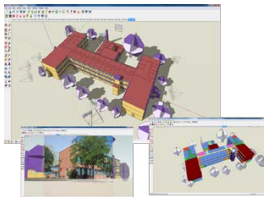
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**Building Technologies Office**

## Building Technologies Digest

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**BUILDING ENERGY MODELING:**  
**BEM 101: What is Building Energy Modeling and What Is DOE's Role?**



**YEAR IN REVIEW:**  
**Top 10 Better Buildings Partner Solutions in 2016**

### **NEWS FROM BTO**

**BETTER BUILDINGS:**  
Flurry of New Building Efficiency Ordinances in Major U.S. Cities

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**AWARDS:**  
Advanced Rooftop Units Campaign Annual Recognition Efforts - Apply Now!

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**ENERGY EFFICIENCY:**  
Energy Department Veteran Saves Electricity One Light Switch at a Time

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**BETTER BUILDINGS:**  
Welcome to 60 New Better Buildings Challenge Partners in 2016

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## **FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES AND REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION**

### **FUNDING OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT:**

#### **Tech-to-Market Innovative Pathways Funding Opportunity**

Letters of Intent Due January 18

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## **EVENTS & WEBINARS**

### **COMMERCIAL:**

#### **Advanced Asset Score Modeling**

January 12, 1:00PM-2:00PM ET

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### **RESIDENTIAL:**

#### **Home Improvement Catalyst: Engaging Trades in Optimizing HVAC System Performance**

January 12, 1:00PM-2:30PM ET

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### **RESIDENTIAL:**

#### **State of the Union: Best Practices from 'Most Improved' Energy Efficient States in 2016**

January 19, 1:00PM-2:30PM ET

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### **RESIDENTIAL:**

#### **0 to 60: Best Practices for Accelerating Program Performance**

January 26, 1:00PM-2:30PM ET

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### **RESIDENTIAL:**

#### **Home Energy Score Simulation Testing and Training v2 Demonstration**

January 26, 3:00PM-4:00PM ET

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### **JUMP:**

#### **A Mini JUMPathon: Jump Start Your Innovation**

January 29, Las Vegas, NV

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### **SOLID-STATE LIGHTING:**

#### **2017 DOE Solid-State Lighting R&D Workshop**

January 31-February 2, Long Beach, CA

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### **COMMERCIAL:**

#### **Better Buildings Summit - Register Today!**

May 15-17, Washington, DC

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## **BTO IN THE NEWS**

### **ZERO ENERGY SCHOOLS:**

#### **Maryland's First Net-Zero Energy School Opens Its Doors**

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### **BETTER BUILDINGS:**

#### **Milwaukee Ramps Up Smart City Initiative**

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