

# 2025 Brumm Patient Advocacy Summit

Friday, October 3 | Downes Ballroom, Corbett Family Hall

**8:00 - 9:30 AM | Biotechnology Student Networking Breakfast**  
*(By invitation only)*

**9:30-10:00 AM | Summit Registration and Continental Breakfast**

**10:00-10:15 | Welcome and Program Updates**  
Barbara Calhoun (Notre Dame) and Joshua Brumm (Crescent Biopharma)

**10:15-10:45 | Keynote Presentation**  
**Redefining What's Possible**, Bryce Walker (ND '24, two-time lacrosse national champion living with sarcoidosis)

**10:45-11:30 | Panel 1**  
**Strength in Every Step: Navigating Life with Different Abilities**, featuring students from Notre Dame and Villanova; moderated by Emily Voorde (INTO Strategies)

**11:30-11:45 | Break**

**11:45-12:15 | Panel 2**  
**Patients at the Table: Shaping Drug Development Through FDA Engagement**, featuring Buddy Cassidy (Duchenne muscular dystrophy advocate), Tim Franson (Faegre Drinker Consulting), and Annie Kennedy (EveryLife Foundation); moderated by Sean Kassen (Notre Dame)

**12:15-1:15 | Luncheon and Student Poster Gallery**

**1:15-1:30 | Presentation of the Megan K. Crowley Patient Advocacy Award**  
Presented by John Crowley (Biotechnology Innovation Organization)

**1:30-2:45 | Workshop**  
Presented by Carolyn Sheridan (National Organization for Rare Disorders)

**2:45-3:00 | Closing Remarks**

Friday, October 3 | Jordan Hall of Science Galleria

**3:00-5:00 | Rare Rally**  
Games, crafts, ice cream, giveaways and more! All are welcome.