



Schedule At A Glance

Voices of the Dine: Bridging Science, Culture, and Community in Genetic Research Summit Flagstaff, AZ May 29-30, 2025

Location: Northern Arizona University
Science and Health Building (SHB) #36: 700 S Osborne Dr. Flagstaff AZ 86011
All times are in Mountain Standard Time (MST)

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 2025

7:30–8:00 AM SHB Lobby
• Refreshments

8:00–9:00 AM SHB Room 211
• Welcome and Opening Remarks– Invocation
• Welcome Remarks
• Charge for the Summit

9:00–10:00 AM SHB Room 211
• Keynote Address

10:00–10:15 AM BREAK

10:15–11:15 AM SHB Room 211
• What is the Navajo Nation's Research Review Process?

11:15–12:15 PM SHB Room 211
• Navajo Nation Policy and Genomic Research

12:15–1:00 PM SHB Room 211

LUNCH–Preview of digital stories

1:00–2:30 PM SHB Room 211
• Panel: Rare genetic diseases affecting the Navajo People

2:30–3:00 PM BREAK

3:00–4:30 PM Concurrent Platform Sessions 1

- Advancing Cancer Health Equity Through Research – SHB Room 105
- Physician and Health System Perspectives – SHB Room 106
- Creation of the Navajo Genetic Glossary – SHB Room 211
- Community Perspectives and Education on Genetics – SHB Room 433

4:30 - 5:30 BREAK

5:30–7:30 PM 1899 Bar and Grill
307 W Dupont Ave, Flagstaff, AZ 86001
• Evening Reception and Poster Presentation Session

Friday, May 30th, 2025

7:30–8:00 AM SHB Lobby
• Refreshments

8:00–9:00 AM SHB Room 211
• Welcome
• Recap of Day 1

9:00–10:00 AM SHB Room 211
• Keynote Address

10:00–10:30 AM COFFEE BREAK

10:30–12:00 PM Concurrent Platform Sessions 2

- Viruses and Microbes: Integrative Approaches to Culturally-Inclusive Research – SHB Room 105
- The Art and Science of Storytelling – SHB Room 106
- Cultural Considerations in Genomic Research: A Framework with and for the Diné – SHB 211
- Trainee Research Session – SHB Room 433

12:00–1:00 PM SHB Room 211

LUNCH–Preview of digital stories

1:00–1:30 PM SHB Room 211
• Recap of Summit

1:30–2:30 PM SHB Room 211
• Moving forward: Navajo Nation Policy and Genomic Landscape

2:30–2:45 PM BREAK

2:45–3:30 PM SHB Room 211
• Discussion and Next Steps

3:30–4:00 PM SHB Room 211
• Closing and End of event

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