

# CONFERENCE AGENDA



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**Thursday, May 3, 2018**

- 8:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.** — **Registration & Networking Breakfast**
- 8:45 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.** — **Welcome & Opening Remarks**  
**Debbie Hart**, *President & CEO, BioNJ*  
**Alma DeMetropolis, CFA**, *President, New Jersey Market Leadership Team, JPMorgan Chase & Co. Market Manager, J.P. Morgan Private Bank*
- 9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.** — **An Industry Update and Trends Overview**  
**Robert Huffines**, *Global Chairman of Investment Banking, J.P. Morgan*
- 9:30 a.m. - 10:20 a.m.** — **Capital Strategy and Investor Perspectives**  
**Dominic J. Caruso**, *Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, Johnson & Johnson*  
**Matthew Roden, Ph.D.**, *Head, Strategic Corporate Development & Global BD Assessment, Bristol-Myers Squibb and BioNJ Board Member*  
**Nimish Shah, VHCP**, *Investment Professional Venrock*  
**Nishit Trivedi, Ph.D., MBBS, MBA**, *Director, Life Sciences/Vice President Corporate Strategy & Development, Emerald Asset Management*  
**Moderated by:**  
**John Whittaker, MBA**, *Executive Director Healthcare Investment Banking, J.P. Morgan*
- 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.** — **Company Presentations & Partnering Meetings**

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- 12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m. — **Networking, Company Presentations Q&A Partnering Meetings & Exhibits**
- 12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. — **Networking Luncheon**
- 1:00 p.m. - 1:55 p.m. — **University and Institution Presentations: The Critical Role of Academic and Industry Collaboration in Driving Medical Innovation**  
**Introduction by:**  
**Linda Brown**, *Vice President, Engagement, BioNJ*  
**Nancy E. Wetherbee, MBA**, *Director, ORBIT Office, Research Business Development, Industry Translation, Tufts Medical Center*
- 2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. — **Company Presentations & Partnering Meetings**
- 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. — **Networking, Company Presentations Q&A Partnering Meetings & Exhibits**
- 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. — **Fireside Chat: Transformative Science and the Partnering Imperative**  
**Jerome Zeldis, M.D., Ph.D.**, *Chief Medical Officer and President, Clinical Research, Medical Affairs and Regulatory, Sorrento Therapeutics*  
**Interviewed by:**  
**Michael Griffin**, *Managing Director & Investment Specialist, J.P. Morgan*
- 4:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. — **Insights on Navigating the Evolving Marketplace Dynamics**  
**Stephen Van Besien, CFA**, *Managing Director Private Bank, J.P. Morgan*
- 4:45 p.m. — **Closing Remarks**  
**Debbie Hart**, *President & CEO, BioNJ*