

Health and Well-Being

Agenda

9am-9:05am – Welcome Amputee Coalition Staff

Learn

9:10am-9:20am – Our Resource Center at Your FingertipsCaitlyn Hurley – Amputee Coalition Information and Referral Center Manager

9:20am-10am – Advocacy and Empowerment: Speak Up, Speak Out Jeremy Haines – Amputee Coalition Grassroots Advocacy Coordinator

10am-11am – Building Your Community: Prosthetist and Patient Relationships and the Importance of Peer Support

Robert Bailey – Certified Peer Visitor Steven Maul – Hanger Clinic Certified Prosthetist

11am-11:15am - Break

Play

11:15am-Noon - Adaptive Activity: Boccia Ball

Rev. Julius Lee- President, S.M.C.L. Foundation & Associates Inc.

Connect

Noon-1pm - Lunch (provided)

1pm-3pm - Vehicle Conversion

Having freedom and your independence is often critical to maintaining a healthy attitude toward life. This presentation will offer an insight on options for adaptive vehicle equipment.

Trey Scott - Crescent Van Sales Manager

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When

Saturday, October 20, 2018 9am-3pm

Where

University Medical Center Conference Center 2000 Canal Street New Orleans, LA 70112









Thank you for joining us!

About Our Speakers

Caitlyn Hurley has worked for the Amputee Coalition since August 2015. She began as a resource specialist in the National Limb Loss Resource Center and was recently promoted to manager of the Information and Referral Center. She is a certified aging/disability information and referral specialist by the Alliance of Information and Referral Systems, the national accrediting organization for the information and referral field. Caitlyn graduated with a BA in Mass Communications from Emory & Henry College.

Jeremy Haines joined the Amputee Coalition in January 2018 as the grassroots advocacy coordinator. He comes to the Coalition with a background in healthcare policy and state government relations. Jeremy has worked in the North Carolina General Assembly and at a prominent D.C. state government relations firm. Jeremy currently focuses his attention on the Coalition's Insurance Fairness for Amputees Legislative Initiative and Lead Advocate Program. He holds degrees from North Carolina State University (BA) and Appalachian State University (MA) in political science.

Robert Bailey is a Navy veteran from Baton Rouge. He lost both legs below the knee in 2005 in an accident with a tractor pulling a bush hog. After going through a dark time, he discovered recumbent tricycles. The VA provided him with a trike in 2010. Six weeks later, he was riding across Iowa. He has ridden in the RAGBRAI (the Register's Annual Great Bicycle Ride Across Iowa) eight times, triked the Rock 'n Roll New Orleans Marathon three times, attended the Endeavor Games four times with the Cajun Crushers, a group from Baton Rouge, and participated in a Paratriathlon and the 2018 National Veterans Wheelchair Games. His goals are to return to Iowa and Boston on a handcycle. He would also like to return to the Paratriathlon and anything else he can dream up. Robert is a certified peer visitor and has visited with many new amputees. He hopes to someday work to rehabilitate recent amputees and veterans participating in sports.

Steven Maul grew up around prosthetics, as his father owned his own prosthetic & orthotic company in Florida. Steven moved to Louisiana to attend LSU and studied Kinesiology, with a concentration in Human Movement, and Pre-PT. He started working as a technician for Hanger while a sophomore at LSU. He attended Northwestern's Prosthetic Certificate Program in 2010, and became a certified prosthetist in 2012. He has been working in the field for 15 years, as both a technician as well as in patient care for the last 9 years.

Julius Lee is the president of the SMCL Adaptive & Paralympic Sports Club in New Orleans. SMCL Foundation & Associates, Inc. is a nonprofit adaptive and Paralympic sports & recreation Club that partners with the local Paralyzed Veterans of America (PVA) Bayou Chapter, universities, charter schools, local occupational, physical and recreational therapists, and the New Orleans VA Medical Center. He also serves as vice president of the PVA Bayou Gulf-States Chapter. Rev. Julius Lee has certification and education in coaching Paralympic and adaptive sports and has been coaching, organizing, and conducting adaptive & Paralympic sports since 2002. He is also a certified/licensed and ordained minister.

Trey Scott has grown up around the mobility industry since his father, James Scott, a service-disabled Air Force veteran, opened Crescent Vans 40 years ago. Trey was attending Law School in Atlanta when he decided to return home to New Orleans to learn the family business and continue the mission of helping individuals with mobility needs regain their freedom by helping them drive or ride safely in a vehicle. Trey has undergone extensive training in many facets of the business and is currently a sales manager at Crescent Vans in Metairie, Louisiana. The company deals with the sale of new and used accessible vans; they also install and service hand controls, wheelchair/scooter lifts, and other driving aids. Trey is a graduate of Southeastern Louisiana University.

Thank you to our host

