



# President's New Year Announcement

Dec. 30, 2020

Dear CAPA members,

Happy new year! I very much thank you, numerous volunteers, committee members and the BOD for your support in 2020. This has been a difficult year for us all. Despite its high mortality and incidence, I feel that this pandemic also brought out the best of us, and has offered us an opportunity to learn and grow. [Your support to our COVID-19 campaign](#) is much appreciated and will be forever remembered. To end the pandemic and protect yourself and your family, please get vaccinated.

Supported by Professor Li Fu at Tianjin Medical University, China, the CAPA is going to cosponsor a series of meetings that will be organized by the Chinese women physician association. You're cordially invited to volunteer as a speaker or panelist for the meetings on gastrointestinal, breast, thoracic and gynecological pathology, respectively, and possibly hematopathology. [Dr. He Wang](#) is leading the program. If interested, please fill in the form by Jan. 15, 2021 at <https://forms.gle/RdxiptdNzTK4w7WQ6> (your institutional network may block the access)

The current bylaws of the CAPA have been in place for near two years, and have stabilized CAPA. Its full text is available [here](#). To increase the transparency of my administration and to promote the sustainable growth of CAPA, please share your anonymous input about the bylaws by filling the form by Feb. 1, 2021 at <https://forms.gle/wn9wtZKWA2wNhyJN7> (your institutional network may block the access).

Given the concern of COVID-19 pandemic, the CAPA annual meeting and its associated programs will be held online in mid-March, 2021. [Dr. Marilyn Bui](#) is leading the efforts. The detail will be announced later.

Finally, the election of CAPA board of directors and president will take place in the first week of January. It is very important to hear your voice about the officers of the CAPA. Therefore, please cast your votes. [Dr Xinmin Zhang](#) is leading the election process with assistance from [Dr Jie song](#). The candidates' information is [available on the CAPA website](#).

Wish you and your family a happy and healthy 2021!

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*Slogan: Your success is CAPA's success.*