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Dr. Marilyn Bui is an outstanding lifetime member of the Chinese American Pathologists Association (CAPA) who has been actively involved in and led many CAPA activities for years. She served on the Executive Committee (2014-2018, 2020), the Education Committee (Chair 2015, 2020, Co-chair 2016), the Award Committee (2017) and the Career Development Committee (Co-Chair 2018). She is a frequent organizer and speaker of CAPA conferences representing CAPA nationally and internationally. She has a strong track record of mentoring young pathologists and promoting CAPA due to her association with various pathology societies and collaborators. She has significantly contributed to CAPA's financial wellbeing in soliciting financial sponsorship and boasts the highest individual fundraising record. Dr. Bui received the CAPA Zu-Hua Gao Outstanding Service Award in 2016.

Dr. Bui received her medical doctor degree from the Capital Institute of Medicine in Beijing, China, followed by completing her PhD in Molecular Pathology & Immunology, residency in Anatomic & Clinical Pathology, and fellowship in Cytopathology at the University of Florida, USA.

Dr. Bui is a patient-centered pathologist with expertise that includes bone & soft tissue pathology, cytopathology, biomarker testing and digital pathology. She integrates research, education, advocacy and service to improve patient care. She is the lead pathologist for multiple research grants. She has published over 181 peer-reviewed articles, 24 book chapters and 3 books. She has received 2 US patents and awards in cancer research, teaching and service, including the College of American Pathologists Distinguished Patient Care Award in 2019.

Dr. Bui values service to professional societies as an important mechanism to influence policies and standards with an overall aim of to improving the quality of patient care. She has extensive leadership experience in local, national and international pathology societies including the President of Digital Pathology Association (2019), President of Medical Staff at Moffitt Cancer Center (2018-2020), Vice President of the Florida Society of Pathologists (2019-2021), and Chair of College of American Pathologists (CAP) Publications Committee (2018-2021).

It is a great honor and privilege to be elected as the CAPA President 2021-2022. Dr. Bui envisions better understanding and communication of the membership needs, enrichment of professional development, and promoting friendship and wellness within the CAPA. She is eager to expand CAPA's influence through education and collaborations with other national and international professional societies. CAPA members will be encouraged to opportunities include CME conferences, online teaching programs, academic and private practice diagnostic support through digital pathology, leadership development, social media presence, publications, and access to wellness resources. Dr. Bui credits the CAPA as an important contributing factor to her professional and personal growth. She looks forward to the opportunity to better serve, engage and empower the entire membership for the brighter future of CAPA.