Dear CAPA members,

We are delighted to announce that Lin (Jonathan) He, MD, PhD, and Miao Cui, MD, MS, were selected as the recipients of the 2023 Lizhen Gui Award.

We received self-nominations from five excellent pathologists-in-training from CAPA community this year. Evaluation was based on clinical performance, research/publications during training, and leadership and service to CAPA and other pathology organizations. Award committee members independently reviewed and scored applications. In order to avoid conflict of interest, committee members did not score applications from the same institutions.

**Dr. Lin (Jonathan) He** is currently a PGY-4 AP&CP resident in training at the Department of pathology, University Texas (UT) Southwestern Medical Center. He has been consistently performing near the top of his residency class. He was elected unanimously by the faculties and his resident peers as co-chief resident. Dr. He has published 11 papers in peer-reviewed journals during residency including eight first-author publications. He was awarded the Bruce D. Fallis Resident Teaching Award and the Arthur G. Weinberg Resident Research Award from the Department of Pathology at UT Southwestern in May 2022. Dr. He has been an associate member of CAPA since 2019 and a member of the CAPA trainee committee and Online Education Committee (OLE). Dr. He is well-known to audiences, organizers, and lectures of CAPA OLE lectures. He has been actively involved in coordinating course speakers and hosts, making weekly course flyer, and keeping a number of CAPA WeChat groups informed of the course schedule. His excellent contribution to CAPA community earned him the CAPA Service Award in March 2022.

**Dr. Miao Cui** is currently a PGY-3 AP&CP resident in training at the Mount Sinai St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital Center, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai (ISMMS). Dr. Cui has been consistently performing outstandingly in residency training. He has been awarded for the ‘Resident/Fellow of the Month Award for the month’ by Graduate Medical Education (GME) in 2022. He has also been awarded the ‘STAR Employee Recognition award’ of Mount Sinai Health System in September 2021 and ‘Mount Sinai Commemorative COVID-19 Challenge Coin’ in July 2021. During residency Dr. Cui has coauthored 10 papers with a focus on COVID-19 in peer-reviewed journals. His ongoing artificial intelligence-related project titled ‘Annotation of arteriolar sclerotic features in histology tiles to study
cerebrovascular disease’ was awarded the ‘Proof of Concept Study Award’ by the Pathology Resident/Fellow Research Program at ISMMS. Dr. Cui is an associate member of CAPA. He has been making significant contribution to CAPA during the pandemic. At the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, he was one of the few people who dared to help the community. He was in charge of transporting and distributing personal protective equipment such as surgical masks and N95 respirators to all hospitals and clinics in the United States once they arrived at JFK airport, New York. His contributions in this crisis have been recognized by CAPA. He was awarded the “COVID-19 Contribution Award” in March 2021.

Dr. Lizhen Gui has reviewed the applications of both awardees and approved the committee's selection.

We would like to congratulate Dr. He and Dr. Cui on their excellent clinical work and academic achievements. We would like to thank both of them for their contribution to CAPA and other communities / societies through volunteer work.

We would also like to thank all applicants for their participation.

Our deepest appreciation goes towards Dr. Lizhen Gui for her generosity.

Lizhen Gui Award Review and Selection Committee:

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