# NOMINEE FOR PRESIDENT-ELECT

# Timothy Craig Allen, MD, JD, FCAP Jackson, Mississippi

# Nominated by petition

# **EDUCATION**

- Received MD: 1984, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston
- Internship, Residency & Fellowship: Baylor Affiliated Hospitals, Houston
- Received JD: 1998, University of Chicago Law School, Chicago



• The University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, Mississippi

## PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

- College of American Pathologists
- American College of Healthcare Executives
- American Medical Association
- American Society for Clinical Pathology
- · American Thoracic Society
- Association for Molecular Pathology
- Association of Indian Pathologists in North America
- Association of Pathology Chairs
- California Society of Pathologists
- Chinese American Pathologists Association
- Florida Society of Pathologists
- International Academy of Pathology
- International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer
- Michigan Society of Pathologists
- Mississippi State Medical Association
- Pulmonary Pathology Society
- Texas Bar Association
- Texas Society of Pathologists
- United States and Canadian Academy of Pathology

#### **CAP-ELECTED OFFICES HELD**

#### **Past**

Governor: Board of Governors





#### **CAP COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS**

#### Current

Member: Audit Committee, Council on Membership and Professional Development, CAP
Foundation Communities of Practice Committee, Archives of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
Associate Editor

#### **Past**

- Chair: Council on Membership and Professional Development, Constitution and Bylaws Committee,
   Risk Management Committee, Investment Committee, State Pathology Society Advisory Group
- Vice Chair: Council on Accreditation, Council on Membership and Professional Development,
   Finance Committee, Investment Committee
- Member: Council on Education, Executive Committee, Constitution and Bylaws Committee, Risk Management Committee, Finance Committee, Compensation Committee, Investment Committee, Archives of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine Section Editor, CAP/International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer (IASLC)/Association for Molecular Pathology (AMP) Lung Cancer Biomarkers Advisory Panel, Center Specimen Collection and Molecular Testing Prioritization for Pulmonary Neoplasms Steering Committee, Compensation Committee, Engaged Leaders Network, Specialty Advancement Coordinating Group
- Advisor: Residents Forum Executive Committee
- Delegate: House of Delegates

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS HELD

- Professor and Chair, Department of Pathology, University of Mississippi Medical Center
- Texas Society of Pathologists; President, 2017
- Pulmonary Pathology Society; President, 2015-2017
- American Society of Cytopathology Ethics and Conduct Committee, Chair, 2008-2010
- The University of Texas System Faculty Advisory Council; Chair, 2011-2012
- Mississippi Blood Services, Board of Directors, 2019 Present
- Crime Prevention Research Center, Board of Directors, 2019-Present; Academic Advisory Board, 2019-Present
- Houston Bar Association Harris County Medical Society Intraprofessional Drug Education Alliance (IDEA); Cochair, 2002-2003; Member, 2001-2003

## WHY DO YOU WANT TO BE PRESIDENT-ELECT OF THE CAP?

I ask for your vote for President-Elect of the College of American Pathologists for the same reason I asked for your vote twice before as candidate for Governor—if you, the Fellows of the CAP, again choose to allow me to do so—it would be an honor to serve the CAP and our Profession with my education, understanding, and experience. As I did while serving as Governor, I would continue to engage in team decision-making, consensus building, and transparency, both with CAP Fellows and other members, as well as with CAP staff.

# WHAT MAJOR ISSUES DO YOU SEE FACING THE CAP DURING THE NEXT THREE YEARS?

Opportunities for the CAP and our profession will be numerous in the next few years, including addressing the changes being brought about by digital/artificial intelligence, and the merger and acquisition of hospitals and other health care institutions. The most important issue will remain our challenge of being paid appropriately for the vital services we provide our patients. As pressures mount from seemingly every direction to cut costs and save money, laboratory services, including payment for clinical pathologists' patient care services, and anatomic pathology payment will undoubtedly require constant, close attention and nuanced advocacy.



# IF ELECTED, WHAT DO YOU HOPE TO ACCOMPLISH?

There are, among many important issues, two that I believe should be pursued with vigor. I would strive diligently to build and strengthen collegial bridges with other medical societies, both pathology and non-pathology societies, for the betterment of each society, and with the expectation that these closer relationships bolster the CAP and benefit its Fellows. Also, as the international involvement of the CAP is increasingly important, I would seek ways to further international relationships to foster improved care for our patient beyond our borders.

For more information and a CV for this candidate, please visit cap.org.