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### **REPORT OF THE**

### **COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS**

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## ASHP COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

Madam Chair, Fellow Delegates:

The Committee on Nominations consists of seven members of ASHP who are appointed by the Immediate Past President. The Committee is charged with the task of presenting to you our best judgments about those persons who possess the tangible and intangible attributes of leadership that qualify them to serve as our officers and directors.

Selection of nominees for ASHP office involves a series of very challenging decisions on the part of the Committee. Ultimately, those decisions are intended to permit the membership to select leaders with the professional, intellectual, and personal qualities of leadership that will sustain the dynamism and pioneering spirit that have characterized both ASHP and its more than 60,000 members who provide patient care service across the entire spectrum of care.

First, the Committee must determine that a prospective nominee for office is an active member as required in the Charter. This is generally the easiest and most straightforward part of the Committee's work. The Committee must ascertain that each prospective nominee can perform the duties required of the office or offices to which he or she has been nominated. All nominees must be able to perform the duties of a Director, set forth in section 5.4 of the Bylaws. Presidential nominees must also be able to perform the duties of that office, set forth in article 4 of the Bylaws.

The more difficult part of the Committee's work is to assess those intangible qualities of emotional intelligence (empathy, self-awareness, self-regulation, social skills, and motivation), leadership, vision, engagement, and overall professional awareness that characterize the standout candidates – those truly able to provide leadership for ASHP and the profession. The Committee assesses the attributes of prospective candidates for office in areas such as:

- Professional experience, career path, and practice orientation.
- Leadership skills and leadership experience including but not limited to the extent of leadership involvement in ASHP and its affiliates.
- Knowledge of pharmacy practice and vision for practice and ASHP.
- Ability to represent ASHP's diverse membership interests and perspectives.
- Communication and consensus building skills.

There are no right or wrong answers to these criteria. Certain qualities may be weighed differently at various points in the evolution of the profession.

The Committee's year-long process of receiving nominations and screening candidates is designed to solicit extensive membership input and, ultimately, to permit the Committee to candidly and confidentially assess which candidates best fit ASHP's needs. The Committee has met three times since the last session of the House of Delegates: in person on December 6, 2022, at the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting; via teleconference on March 15, 2023; and in person on April 19, 2023, at ASHP Headquarters. Review of nominees' materials was conducted continuously between March and April 2023 solely via secure electronic transmissions. This process has been reviewed for quality improvement and will be repeated for the 2023–2024 nomination cycle.

As in the past, the Committee used various means to canvass ASHP members and state affiliates for candidates who they felt were most qualified to lead us. All members were invited via announcements in ASHP News and Daily Briefing, social media, online ASHP NewsLink bulletins, and the ASHP website to submit nominations for the Committee's consideration. Nominations from affiliated state societies were solicited through special mailings and the "state affiliate" edition of the online NewsLink service.

Based upon recommendations from membership, state affiliates, and ASHP staff, the Committee contacted over 830 individuals identified as possible candidates. Some individuals were invited to accept consideration for more than one office. Of the nominees who responded to the invitation to place themselves in nomination, the breakdown by office is as follows:

PRESIDENT-ELECT: 4 accepted

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: 17 accepted

A list of candidates that were slated was provided to delegates following the Committee's meeting on April 19, 2023.

The Committee is pleased to place in official nomination the following candidates for election to the indicated offices. Names, biographical data, and statements have been distributed to the House.

#### **President-Elect**

Leigh A. Briscoe-Dwyer, PharmD, BSPHarm, BCPS, FASHP (Johnson City, NY)

Kristina (Kristy) L. Butler, PharmD, BSPHarm, BCACP, FASHP, FOSHP (Portland, OR)

#### **Board of Directors, 2024-2027**

Jeffrey J. Cook, PharmD, MS, MBA, CHFP (Little Rock, AR)

Dawn M. Moore, PharmD, MS, CPEL, FACHE (Indianapolis, IN)

Douglas C. Slain, PharmD, BCPS, FASHP (Morgantown, WV)

Majid-Theodore R. Tanas, PharmD, MHA, MS, FASHP (Portland, OR)

#### **Board of Directors, 2023-2025**

Marie A. Chisholm-Burns, PharmD, PhD, MPH, MBA, FACHE, FASHP, FAST (Portland, OR)

Kristine (Kristi) K. Gullickson, PharmD, MBA, DPLA, FASHP, FMSHP (Minneapolis, MN)

Please note that current Board member Sam Calabrese will join ASHP as Vice President, Accreditation Services Office, effective June 2023. To fill his vacated seat on the ASHP Board of Directors, the Committee on Nominations has slated two candidates to serve the remaining two years of his term (2023-2025).

Madam Chair, this completes the presentation of candidates by the Committee on Nominations. Congratulations to all the candidates.

## CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT 2024–2025

**Leigh A. Briscoe-Dwyer, PharmD, BSPHarm, BCPS, FASHP** ([leigh.briscoe-dwyer@nyuhs.org](mailto:leigh.briscoe-dwyer@nyuhs.org)) is the system director of pharmacy for the UHS Hospitals System in Johnson City, NY. She received her Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy from Albany College of Pharmacy and her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from St. John's University. She began her career as a clinical specialist in HIV and infectious disease at SUNY Stony Brook and has worked in various areas of pharmacy practice, including the pharmaceutical industry, with the majority of the last 20 years in pharmacy leadership roles.

Her ASHP service includes Board of Directors (2020-2023), chair, Committee on Nominations, Council on Public Policy, the FASHP Recognition Committee, and New York State delegate to the ASHP House of Delegates for over ten years. She is a past president of the Long Island Society of Health-system Pharmacists and was very active in the New York State Council of Health-system Pharmacists as a board member and presidential officer. In addition, she served on the New York State Board of Pharmacy for ten years in several capacities, including as its chair.

She is a member of the Board of Trustees of Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences and is chair of its Academic Affairs Committee. She has received numerous recognitions for her contributions to pharmacy, including the Distinguished Alumnus Award from St. John's University, the NYSCHP Board of Directors Award, and the NYSCHP Research and Education Foundation Bernard Mehl Leadership Award.

### **Statement:**

*The pharmacy profession has emerged in the last decade to be a driving force in the transformation of healthcare. As external disruptors enter the market, the profession needs to remain focused on its strengths while capitalizing on the opportunities this presents.*

*The public perception of pharmacy does not appear to be reflective of the work we do in health systems today. An appreciation for a reliable medication-use system that has a positive impact on every patient it touches must be a priority for our profession. We need to continue to strengthen the voice of pharmacy so we retain our current workforce and continue to attract the best and brightest as we move forward to the future of our practice. That practice will not focus on drug distribution but on efficiencies gained with technology, genomics, and digital health.*

*As we emerge from the pandemic into the future of healthcare, it is my wish that the profession of pharmacy will be recognized as:*

- *Providers of life-saving patient care rather than of products*
- *Experts in active medication management rather than passive monitors of medication use*
- *True financial contributors who have earned a seat at the table rather than simply cost centers*
- *Leaders of healthcare organizations beyond management of pharmacy departments*
- *Members, once again, of the most trusted profession*

*ASHP remains well-positioned to lead the profession into this future, and it would be an honor for me to serve as ASHP President.*

**Kristina (Kristy) L. Butler, PharmD, BSPHarm, BCACP, FASHP, FOSHP** ([Kristina.Butler@providence.org](mailto:Kristina.Butler@providence.org)) is the manager of Primary Care Clinical Pharmacy Services for the Oregon market of Providence St. Joseph Health. She leads a large team to provide robust clinical pharmacy services, population health management, quality and utilization initiatives, education, and support of operational priorities in ambulatory care. Additionally, she serves on several committees for Providence and collaborates with healthcare leaders across settings in Providence's multi-state, integrated health system.

Butler previously practiced as a clinical pharmacy specialist in Primary Care with Providence and at Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU). She received her BS in Pharmacy from Oregon State University (OSU) and her PharmD from OSU/OHSU. She completed a specialized pharmacy residency in primary care through Providence in Portland, OR and is board certified in ambulatory care. She is an author of several book chapters and invited speaker at numerous ASHP and regional conferences on establishing, managing, and advancing pharmacy practice; precepting; well-being and resilience; value-based care and population health; and continuous professional development.

Her ASHP service includes Board of Directors (2019-2022); chair, Section of Ambulatory Care Practitioners; chair, Council on Public Policy; member, Ambulatory Care Conference & Summit's Consensus Recommendations Panel; and delegate, ASHP House of Delegates. Butler has also served the Oregon Society of Health-System Pharmacists (OSHP) in several roles, including president. She has received recognition for her contributions to the profession as a Fellow of ASHP and OSHP, OSHP Pharmacy Practitioner of the Year, OSHP Pharmacist of the Year, and OSU College of Pharmacy's inaugural Outstanding Young Alumni Award recipient.

**Statement:**

*Ideal team-based care allows each healthcare expert to practice at top of their education and training, collaborating for a common goal: helping the patient achieve optimal health. Pharmacists are essential members of the healthcare team, and we must ensure that every patient in every setting has equitable access to comprehensive pharmacy services and optimal, safe, and effective medication use.*

*As healthcare systems work to solve long-standing, new, and future challenges, it requires highly functional teams of leaders who each contribute their expertise to reach a common goal: optimal healthcare. To achieve this, we must advance population health, stabilize costs and reduce waste, enhance the patient care experience, improve healthcare workers' well-being, and ensure health equity... that is, we strive for the "Quintuple Aim." The pharmacy enterprise is uniquely qualified to lead and transform patient-centered care, technology and data science, and medication use and safety to support these aims.*

*I believe that pharmacists and the pharmacy workforce must embrace our position as medication experts and leaders, taking accountability for medication use, health equity, and high-value care with individual patients and in healthcare as a whole. This belief is foundational to my career as a clinician and leader and to my service to the profession with ASHP. I am grateful to have the opportunity to advance the role of pharmacists and the pharmacy workforce in patient care and leadership teams and to serve patients, our profession, and the members of ASHP. I am truly honored to be nominated as ASHP President.*

## CANDIDATES FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2024–2027

**Jeffrey J. Cook, PharmD, MS, MBA, CHFP** ([jcook@uams.edu](mailto:jcook@uams.edu)) is the chief pharmacy officer and assistant dean for the College of Pharmacy at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in Little Rock, Arkansas. Having served eight years in the U.S. Army and having practiced pharmacy in community hospitals, academic health systems, and integrated delivery networks, he has broad perspectives on unique leadership challenges across health-system pharmacy.

Committed to the profession through education, Jeffrey has been actively precepting learners for almost twenty years. He has been a key contributor to residency programs from HSPAL and postgraduate year 1 and has built confidence in the professionals responsible for the future. Jeffrey received his MBA from Stetson University, his MS in Pharmacy Economics from The University of Florida, and his PharmD from The Ohio State College of Pharmacy. He recently strengthened his understanding of the financing of healthcare through HFMA, by acquiring skills as a Certified Health Finance Professional. He is working toward a greater commitment to 340B preservation through the Apexus Certified Expert (340B ACE) certificate training.

Jeffrey is serving ASHP as one of two Arkansas delegates to the House of Delegates. He also serves on the ASHP Section of Pharmacy Educators Section Advisory Group for Collaboration between Health Systems and Academia. He is the former Chair of the Arkansas Association of Health-System Pharmacists Hospital Advisory Group. He is frequently invited to present on leadership and pharmacy topics within the state. Jeffrey was recently honored with the 2022 American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (AACP) Master Preceptor Award.

### **Statement:**

*The healthcare industry is unique in structure and function but shares the common problem of limited resources. As the financing of healthcare moves to a value-based payment approach, pharmacy professionals get an opportunity to step up and help be part of the solutions needed to improve our healthcare in the U.S. Being a pharmacy professional today means working in uncertain times, but it also means being creative with solutions that solve problems we see on a daily basis.*

*If we continue to work toward raising standards in education, enabling the maximum potential for our clinicians (top-of-license activity), and diversifying our teams to enable better collaboration, we will see more solutions and fewer problems.*

*The financing of healthcare is complicated, but pharmacy professionals can intervene at points along the continuum of care that can result in better outcomes, cost-savings, increased coverage of care, and better use of limited resources overall.*

*This is a fight that can't just take place in the health systems across the country. This fight has to start with advocating for improvements at the local, state, and federal levels. When we see something, we say something and work to fix the problem in a manner that is beneficial overall. Some of the most pressing issues today include 340B protections, workforce shortages, and rising costs in healthcare.*

*ASHP has played a vital role in giving our profession the voice to make a difference. It would be an honor and a privilege to serve on its Board.*

**Dawn M. Moore, PharmD, MS, CPEL, FACHE** ([DMoore4@ecomunity.com](mailto:DMoore4@ecomunity.com)) is the vice president and chief pharmacy officer at Community Health Network in Indianapolis, Indiana, and an affiliate assistant professor at Purdue University and Butler University. Moore earned her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from Florida A&M University and MS from University of Wisconsin.

In her current role, she oversees the strategic, administrative, and operational initiatives of the pharmacy enterprise's nine-hospital, 1,230-bed health system with over 200 sites of care, encompassing inpatient, retail, specialty, ambulatory care pharmacy, homecare, and infusion pharmacy services. With over 22 years of experience leading hospital and health-system pharmacies, she is skilled at driving quality and safety in patient care, optimizing medication revenue integrity, decreasing drug costs and inappropriate utilization, and expanding and implementing new practices.

She is a member of the ASHP Pharmacy Executive Leadership Alliance and has served as a member of the ASHP Task Force on Racial Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion; ASHP Multi-Hospital Health-System Pharmacy Executive Committee; ASHP Women in Pharmacy Leadership Steering Committee; ASHP Council on Pharmacy Management; and as adjunct faculty to the ASHP Foundation Pharmacy Leadership Academy. In addition to her leadership within ASHP, she leads in her community as a board member, Indianapolis Coalition for Patient Safety; member, Indiana Healthcare Executives Network, and served as president, Indiana Pharmacy Association. Her passion to address health disparities cultivated her interest as a board member and chair, The Martin Center for Sickle Cell Initiative. Nationally, she served as a member, Vizient Purchasing Council; and founding member, Advisory Board Pharmacy Executive Forum.

**Statement:**

*“Not everything that is faced can be changed, but nothing can be changed until it is faced.”  
— James Baldwin*

*As healthcare practitioners, we are called to enhance the health and well-being of patients and the communities we serve. As the profession continues to recover from the pandemic, evolves, and modernizes, addressing future opportunities and challenges will require us to think boldly and act persistently.*

*Nationally, ASHP is well-positioned to lead our profession into tomorrow's pharmacy landscape. But it will also require each of us, at the state and local levels, to advocate for what I believe are critical initiatives:*

- *Create a sustainable workforce to meet the future competency and quantity needs of the profession to serve our patients and communities.*
- *Ensure the safety of expanded care deliveries, in-home medical services, and virtual care through pharmacist-led partnerships with nontraditional providers.*
- *Integrate telemedicine and other innovative digital health strategies, such as artificial intelligence/machine learning, into pharmacy practice allowing for improved population health management and workflow efficiencies and supporting clinicians to practice at the top of their license.*

- *Mitigate business strategies threatening the access and distribution of medications (including 340B programs, site-of-care restrictions, and white bagging) and ensure safe medication use for all patients.*
- *Foster pharmacy workforce diversity to closely reflect the patient populations served.*

*Together, through our bold and persistent actions, we can face and overcome these challenges!*

*It is an honor to be slated, and it would be a privilege to serve on the ASHP Board.*

**Douglas C. Slain, PharmD, BCPS, FASHP** ([dslain@hsc.wvu.edu](mailto:dslain@hsc.wvu.edu)) is a professor & infectious diseases clinical specialist at West Virginia University (WVU) School of Pharmacy and WVU Medicine's J.W. Ruby Memorial Hospital and Clinics. He also serves as the chairman of the Clinical Pharmacy Department. Slain received his pharmacy bachelor's degree and his Doctor of Pharmacy degree from Duquesne University in Pittsburgh. He then completed a residency and fellowship in infectious diseases pharmacotherapy at the Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU)-Medical College of Virginia (MCV) Hospitals in Richmond.

Slain has been extensively involved with ASHP. He has served as chair and director-at-large of the Section of Clinical Specialists & Scientists, as chair of the Council on Therapeutics, as a voting member of the historic Pharmacy Practice Model Initiative (PPMI) Summit, as a member of the 2012-2013 Task Force on Organizational Structure, as a delegate to the House of Delegates, and as vice president of the West Virginia Society of Health-System Pharmacists (WVSHP). Slain has also served as a postgraduate year 2 residency program director for over 20 years.

**Statement:**

*Pharmacy is a noble profession that is strengthened by our collective efforts, which are shared, fostered, and enhanced through engagement with national associations like ASHP. When I look at our profession with a strategic lens of a SWOT (strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats) analysis, I like our chances for continued success. During my career, I have witnessed a resiliency in our profession that has been able to address many challenges to our mission to provide optimal and safe medication use.*

*Healthcare needs remain top of mind for many people. As we emerge from a global pandemic, we are also in a time where the large "baby boom" generation has significant medication needs. These needs can be even greater during transitions of care. I would like to see pharmacists take on an even larger role in caring for patients across all care settings. A few other areas that ASHP should continue to address are:*

- *Promoting pharmacy careers to ensure a healthy pipeline of talented future pharmacists.*
- *Developing a vibrant and well-trained technician workforce.*
- *Promoting an environment that values diversity and is inclusive for our members and patients.*
- *Advocating for a reliable medication supply chain.*
- *Promoting medication safety, effectiveness, and affordability.*

*I am grateful for having the opportunity to serve ASHP and its members in a greater role. I am happy to provide my experience as a clinician, educator, and leader to help us to deliver the best opportunities for our membership, the profession, and the patients that we serve.*



**Majid-Theodore R. Tanas, PharmD, MHA, MS, FASHP** ([mtanas@lhs.org](mailto:mtanas@lhs.org)) is the chief pharmacy officer at Legacy Health, an eight-facility, 1,200-bed community health system ranging from a Level 1 trauma center to a critical access medical center, including pediatric and psychiatric specialty services. Tanas earned a BS in biochemistry from Whitworth University, an MS in biotechnology from Washington State University, a Doctor of Pharmacy from Washington State University, and a Master of Health Administration from the University of Washington during his two-year pharmacy administration residency at the University of Washington.

Tanas has been an active member of ASHP over the past 20 years, beginning as a student in 2003. Since graduating from pharmacy school, he has served in the following appointments:

- New Practitioner Forum Communications and Public Affairs Advisory Group – Member (2007)
- New Practitioner Forum Leadership and Career Development Advisory Group – Member (2008)
- New Practitioners Forum Executive Committee (2009)
  - Pharmacy Practice Advisory Group – Executive Liaison
  - Science and Research Advisory Group – Executive Liaison
- Council of Pharmacy Practice (2010, 2011, 2012)
- House of Delegates: alternate (2014), delegate (elected in 2015)
- Board of Canvassers (2019-2022)
- Pharmacy Practice Leaders - Section of Multi-Hospital Pharmacy Executive: Member (2021), Vice-Chair (2022), Chair (2022-2023)

He serves as a faculty member for the Practical Training in Compounding Sterile Preparations Certificate (2022-2023). He has presented at numerous ASHP conferences, represented ASHP at an international conference as a delegate, and was recognized as a Fellow of ASHP in June 2022.

**Statement:**

*The challenge ahead of pharmacy is evolving from an auditor of prescriptions to an initiator of care. Our charge is to improve an organization's financial viability, elevate clinical care at the bedside/clinic/counter, and improve medication safety.*

*With nearly 3 million nurses and 1 million physicians, the 300,000 pharmacists that make up our profession may be few in comparison, but our voice and impact in healthcare are far-reaching. Health systems must rapidly adapt from established business practices due to dwindling resources. The members of ASHP stand at the crossroads to advance health-system pharmacy, and we must forge ahead instead of looking to return to a pre-COVID era.*

*Health systems are essential for our communities and must enhance the care model, expanding the continuum of services across phases of care. Breaking down the silos between inpatient clinical care, ambulatory care, and outpatient pharmacy requires working together to move care to patients in new and creative ways. We must create integrative networks that meet patient care at every level to carry out our sacred responsibility of returning patients to their loved ones.*

*Let's not wait for an operational plan to be delivered. Instead, we must preemptively identify how the health-system pharmacy provides stability in uncertain times, how we can provide readily accessible services to our patients, and how pharmacy can create a safe and healing environment.*

*We are better together.*

## CANDIDATES FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2023–2025

**Marie A. Chisholm-Burns, PharmD, PhD, MPH, MBA, FACHE, FASHP, FAST** ([chishmar@ohsu.edu](mailto:chishmar@ohsu.edu)) is the executive vice president and provost of Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU) and the J.S. Reinschmidt Endowed Professor in the OHSU School of Medicine. She is also founder and director of the Medication Access Program, which has helped over 1100 solid-organ transplant recipients receive more than \$112 million in prescription medications.

Chisholm-Burns received her BS in Pharmacy and Doctor of Pharmacy degrees from the University of Georgia, a Master of Public Health degree from Emory University, a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Memphis, and a Doctor of Philosophy degree (emphasis: Health Sciences) from the University of South Dakota. She completed her residency at Piedmont Hospital and Mercer University Southern School of Pharmacy in Atlanta, Georgia.

Chisholm-Burns has been an active member of ASHP for 30 years. She served as the inaugural chair of the ASHP Section of Pharmacy Educators Executive Committee and is currently the immediate past chair. She is a member of the Pharmacy Forecast Advisory Committee and contributed to several Forecasts over the years, including 2023 (focused on health disparities) and 2021 (focused on healthcare access). She previously served in several ASHP leadership positions; for example, she served as director-at-large of the ASHP Section of Clinical Specialists and Scientists Executive Committee, as a member of the Center for Health-System Pharmacy Leadership Advisory Panel, and as a member of the *AJHP* editorial board. Additionally, Chisholm-Burns has received several awards from ASHP, including the 2022 Distinguished Leadership Award.

### **Statement:**

*The health of our communities is paramount but cannot be achieved without equitable healthcare access and delivery. My vision for pharmacy practice is to promote access and success – specifically, access to healthcare and success in eliminating health disparities and optimizing patient outcomes. Throughout my career, I have highlighted the value of pharmacists in advancing access and success in patient care. With support from others, including ASHP and its members, I documented extensive evidence of the beneficial effects of pharmacist-provided direct patient care. Such evidence supports inclusion of pharmacists in interprofessional healthcare delivery models as a strategy to increase access, improve outcomes, and reduce healthcare costs (this research has been published, presented nationally, and received multiple awards).*

*To ultimately achieve this vision of access and success, however, we should be cognizant of challenges facing healthcare professionals, including pharmacists, particularly issues related to stress/burnout. We must work together to facilitate well-being and supportive work environments. Further, we should enhance diversity, equity, and inclusion, not only for patients and communities we serve but also for members of our profession. And we should strive to promote access and success by:*

- *Advocating for pharmacists to practice at the top of their license*
- *Supporting patients, pharmacy students, and pharmacists*
- *Expanding practice and care delivery, including greater participation on interprofessional healthcare teams*
- *Focusing greater attention on outreach in underserved and marginalized populations*

*I am greatly honored to be nominated for the ASHP Board of Directors. It would be my privilege to serve the esteemed membership of ASHP.*

**Kristine (Kristi) K. Gullickson, PharmD, MBA, DPLA, FASHP, FMSHP** ([kristi.gullickson@allina.com](mailto:kristi.gullickson@allina.com)) is director of pharmacy at Abbott Northwestern Hospital, part of Allina Health in Minneapolis, Minnesota. She is responsible for inpatient, infusion, and ambulatory pharmacy services with additional system-level responsibility for Allina Health pharmacy operations and oncology. She is the residency program director for the hospital's health-system pharmacy administration & leadership (HSPAL) postgraduate year 2 residency program and has precepted residents and leadership students for over 25 years.

Kristi received her Bachelor of Science in pharmacy and Doctor of Pharmacy from North Dakota State University. She completed a pharmacy practice residency at Abbott Northwestern Hospital and earned a diploma from the ASHP Pharmacy Leadership Academy. She received her MBA in healthcare administration from New England College.

Kristi currently serves ASHP as faculty, Manager Boot Camp and delegate, House of Delegates. She previously served as chair, Section of Pharmacy Practice Leaders (SPPL) Executive Committee; chair, Council on Pharmacy Practice; member, SPPL section advisory groups; member, multi-year House of Delegates; contributor, ASHP Leadership Basics Certificate; ASHP expert panel member for the ASHP Guidelines on Preventing Diversion of Controlled Substances and the ASHP/APhA Medication Management in Care Transitions project. Kristi is a past president of the Minnesota Society of Health-System Pharmacists (MSHP) and currently represents MSHP on the Minnesota Pharmacy Alliance practice advocacy group. Kristi is a Fellow of ASHP and MSHP and was awarded the MSHP Hallie Bruce Memorial Lecture Award, Minnesota's highest honor, in 2020.

**Statement:**

*Health systems are facing significant volatility with negative operating margins, workforce shortages, payer mandates, legislative threats, and disruptors. There is no better time to differentiate our profession's unique contribution to improving health outcomes and driving value recognized by patients, payers, and policymakers. My vision for pharmacy practice is to leverage evolving care delivery models to improve access to pharmacists and pharmacy team services, transform pharmacist scope of practice, and advance the professionalization of our technician workforce. We will inspire compassion, service, and inclusion in our profession through connection and service to our community. We will collaborate through team-based care models and integrate into population health and payer contracts to improve health outcomes and reduce total cost of care.*

*ASHP has been my external compass for over 30 years, serving as my professional home. ASHP continues to lead with innovative best practices and policy guidance, advocacy and public policy, and incredible peer networking support that is truly second to none. It is critical that ASHP continues to collaborate with its members to advance priorities, including pharmacist provider status, improving access to equitable care and medications, supply chain integrity, 340B preservation, diversity, inclusion, and resilience and partner to revitalize efforts to recruit and retain our salient workforce for the future. Thank you for the honor of receiving this nomination. I would be grateful for the opportunity to serve on the ASHP Board.*