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ACPE Announces Elected Board of Director Officers and Commission Liaisons for 2017-2018

Chicago, IL – Timothy L. Tucker, John Clay Kirtley, and Anthony Provenzano have been elected as members of the ACPE Executive Committee for the 2017-2018 term of office. Elections were held during the ACPE Board of Directors Meeting, January 19-21, 2017 in Chicago, Illinois.

Timothy L. Tucker, PharmD, was elected as President of ACPE. Dr. Tucker is the Owner of City Drug Company in Huntingdon, Tennessee and a practicing community pharmacist. Previously, he served as former president and speaker of the House of Delegates for the American Pharmacists Association (APhA) and is also a past national president of Phi Lambda Sigma. Dr. Tucker was appointed to the ACPE Board by APhA. He has previously served as ACPE Vice-President and Secretary/Treasurer.

John Clay Kirtley, PharmD, was elected as Vice-President of ACPE. Dr. Kirtley is the Executive Director of the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy. Currently, he serves on the Arkansas State and Public School Life and Health Insurance Board. The National Association of Boards of Pharmacy (NABP) appointed Dr. Kirtley to the ACPE Board. He has previously served as ACPE Secretary/Treasurer.

Anthony Provenzano, PharmD, was elected as Secretary/Treasurer of ACPE. Dr. Provenzano is the Vice President of Pharmacy Compliance and Government Affairs for Albertsons Companies. He has served on numerous pharmacy association advisory panels and currently serves on two colleges of pharmacy dean’s advisory boards. APhA appointed Dr. Provenzano to the ACPE Board. He has previously served as ACPE Liaison to the Continuing Pharmacy Education Commission and the Pharmacy Technician Accreditation Commission.

ACPE would like to thank Michael A. Moné, BPharm, JD, for his tireless work over the past five years as a member of the ACPE Executive Committee, having served as Secretary/treasurer for three years, Vice-President and President.

ACPE has also announced the election of three new Commission Liaisons for the 2017-
2018 term. They include:

- **LuGina Mendez-Harper, PharmD,** was elected as the Continuing Pharmacy Education Commission Liaison. She is the Director of Professional Practices at Prime Therapeutics where she manages activities related to pharmacy regulatory issues. She was appointed to the ACPE Board by NABP.

- **Martha M. Rumore, PharmD, JD, MS, LLM, FAPhA,** was elected as the International Commission Liaison. She is an Associate Professor at Touro College of Pharmacy, an Adjunct Professor at the Touro College Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center, and Of Counsel at Sorell, Lenna & Schmidt, LLP. Dr. Rumore is a Fellow and former Trustee of APhA. She was appointed to the ACPE Board by APhA.

- **Michael A. Moné, BPharm, JD,** was elected as the Pharmacy Technician Accreditation Commission (PTAC) Liaison. He is the Vice President Associate General Counsel-Regulatory for Cardinal Health. Mr. Moné has held leadership roles within many industry associations, including APhA, NABP, US Pharmacopeia, and the Florida Pharmacy Association. He was appointed to the ACPE Board by NABP.

ACPE would also like to recognize the service of Lori Duke, PharmD, the 2015-2016 CPE Commissioner and Victoria F. Roche, PharmD, 2015-2016 International Commissioner.

“ACPE appreciates the efforts of all our executive committee members and commission liaisons,” expressed Peter H. Vlasses, PharmD, DSc (Hon), FCCP, Executive Director of ACPE. “The dedication and guidance provided by these leaders helps ACPE stay true to its mission of assuring and advancing excellence in education for the profession of pharmacy.”

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ACPE is the national agency for the accreditation of professional degree programs in pharmacy and providers of continuing pharmacy education. In collaboration with the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, ACPE accredits pharmacy technician education and training programs. ACPE also offers evaluation and certification of professional degree programs internationally. The mission of ACPE is to assure and advance excellence in education for the profession of pharmacy. ACPE is an autonomous and independent agency whose Board of Directors is derived through the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (AACP), the American Pharmacists Association (APhA), the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy (NABP), and the American Council on Education (ACE). To learn more about ACPE, visit [www.acpe-accrredit.org](http://www.acpe-accrredit.org) or follow us on Facebook, LinkedIn, and Twitter.

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Executive Committee pictured from left to right: Anthony Provenzano, PharmD; Timothy L. Tucker, PharmD; John Clay Kirtley, PharmD

Commission liaisons pictured from left to right: Martha M. Rumore PharmD, JD, MS, LLM, FAPhA; LuGina Mendez-Harper PharmD; Michael A. Mone, BPharm, JD