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**Acting Vice President, State Advocacy and Outreach**

Stephanie is a seasoned attorney with almost 20 years of advocacy, legislative and policy experience on behalf of educational institutions and within the healthcare arena for non-profit and membership organizations.

In her current role, she develops and directs the Academy's state legislative and regulatory affairs program assuring that PAs (physician assistants) can practice at the top of their education and experience by assuring excellence in laws and regulations in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and US territories. In addition, she oversees and assures AAPA's affiliation with and services to its constituent organizations which are comprised of 118 PA state chapters, specialty societies, special interest groups, federal service chapters, and caucuses.

Prior to working for AAPA, she served as a legislative attorney for the National Alliance for Model State Drug Laws (NAMSDL) in Alexandria, Virginia. In that position, she assisted states in the development and implementation of state laws, policies and protocols aimed at reducing substance use disorders in our nation's families and communities through prevention and intervention, treatment, recovery support, overdose abatement and criminal justice.

Prior to joining the Alliance, Ms. Radix served as a Reference Librarian/Research Attorney at the Howard University School of Law Library. In this capacity, she taught online legal research systems and traditional research methodologies, served as a liaison to numerous members of the law school faculty and conducted extensive legal research on a myriad of issues including, but not limited to Intellectual Property, Telecommunications Law and Family Law. Her research assistance has been acknowledged in several law review articles and in the book, *Yellow: Race in America Beyond Black and White* by the first Asian American to serve as a Howard law professor and current William L. Prosser Distinguished Professor at UC Hastings College of the Law, Frank H. Wu.

Ms. Radix has co-authored several book chapters relevant to the political process and its relationship to PA practice and was a contributing author of "Access and Innovation in a Time of Rapid Change: Physician Assistant Scope of Practice, *Annals of Health Law*" – Vol. 24 Issue 1. (24 *Annals Health L.* 286 (2015)). Ms. Radix holds a law degree from The Catholic University of America Columbus School of Law and a Bachelor of Arts degree in English from Bowie State University. She was admitted to the bar in the State of Maryland and is a member in good standing of the Maryland State Bar Association.