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From 1999-2003, Lombardo was a member of the Editorial Advisory Panel and Historian's Working Group of the Digital Image Archive of the American Eugenics Movement of the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory in New York.

In 2002, Professor Lombardo was instrumental in the placement of an historic marker to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court decision in the involuntary sterilization case of *Buck v. Bell* and the apology by Virginia Governor Mark Warner that followed. The Virginia apology set the stage for apologies in 2002 by governors in Oregon, North and South Carolina. Immediately after Lombardo's presentation to a California State Senate Committee in 2003, California Governor Gray Davis also issued an apology. Lombardo is currently completing a book with the working title: *The One Sure Cure:: Eugenics, the Supreme Court and Buck v. Bell*.