

## **Next Trustee Election**

Very soon the GLAO membership will elect the next trustee to represent them on the AAO Board of Trustees. We are the only AAO constituent who elects their trustee by sending a ballot to every active member, which is something we are quite proud of. Where trustees from other constituents are chosen by only those who attend their annual meeting, or selected by their current board, the GLAO allows all active members to take part in this important decision. This is your chance to make your voice heard. I urge each of you to exercise your right as an active member to choose your leadership.

In mid-June when you receive the email notification of the ballot, please follow the instructions, read the biographies of the candidates and vote. For more information, visit the GLAO website (<http://www.gla.org>). If you so choose, you may also request a paper ballot to mail in your vote.

We are at a critical time in our specialty, facing challenges on many fronts. I urge you all to learn about the candidates and vote.

Dr. Chris Roberts