

Why Coldiron for Nominating Committee?



Dear Fellow Dermatologist,

I have served the AAD on scores of committees, on the board for 4 years, and as president elect, president and past president. I have watched our younger generation of Dermatology leaders grow and mature and have mentored many of them. This gives me a good grasp of which young leaders would be most effective at advancing the AAD and AADA's agenda priorities, and who has the vision and flexibility to adapt to the future. I will support the nomination of servant leaders, who will put the organization and its agreed upon goals, ahead of their own.

I have no conflicts of interest, none, and I owe no one any favors. Nor do I have any scores to settle. I will give an unbiased, unvarnished, honest opinion to the other members of the nominating committee.

I am keenly interested in the continued success and professionalism of the specialty and seek this position not for self aggrandizement, which I need not, but to ensure the future of the specialty. I have refused overtures from private equity, and will continue to do so, and will continue to maintain my small private practice, where I believe the greatest autonomy, satisfaction, and quality of care for dermatologists and patients remains.

I want to see our specialty thrive, and the level of respect for our profession in the medical community and public opinion continue to rise. I will support young leaders who can accomplish this.

I am honest, straight forward and unbiased. I ask for your support for nominating committee.

Thank you

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