

Election Procedure for President-Elect

- At present, elections are held in the Fall AdCom meetings
- Proxy votes have been allowed for absent voting members
- TAB practiced proxy voting in the past
- RAS does not have clearly written guidelines for proxy voting procedure
- There have been confusions on election day

Vote-in-Person Procedure

- TAB has dropped Proxy process since 2000, adopted the Alternates Voting process
- Proxy process is no longer allowed
- RAS is to adopt a Vote-in-Person process for the next election in 2003
- Election date can be change to Spring AdCom meeting

President-Elect Election Guideline

- Submit nominations to Nominations Chair six weeks prior to election day
- Nominees will be considered by the Nominations Chair in consultation with Advisory committee, and a slate of candidates will be announced
- Candidates issue written position statements to AdCom members four weeks prior to election day
- Nominations can be made from the floor
- Candidates to present oral statement before voting
- Voting shall be by secrete ballots