

## **AAS State Chair History**

1965-1968	Don Dove, President
1968-1969	Don Dove, State Chair
1969-1970	Dr. Ben Whitman, State Chair
1970-1971	Don Dove, President
1971-1973	Sam Barr, President
1973-1974	Miles Zoller, State Chair
1974-1976	Mike Shannon, President
1976-1978	Grace Schoonover, President
1978-1979	Jim Elliott, State Chair
1979-1980	Lou Curtis, State Chair
1981-1983	Reed Hallock, State Chair
1983-1984	Grace Schoonover, State Chair
1984-1987	Don Dove, State Chair
1987-1990	Charlie Gilbert, State Chair
1990-1993	Richard Berquist, State Chair
1993-1997	Joan Clark, State Chair
1997-2004	Gary Yancy, State Chair
2005-2007	Brenda Poulos, State Chair
2008-2010	Sylvia Lesko, State Chair
2010-2011	Ron Robinson, State Chair
2012-2013	Paddi Mozillo, State Chair
2014-present	Glenda Simmons, State Chair

Note-1: In early years, the term Chairman of AAS or State Chair were used generally with more than one chapter in AAS. There were two periods when Phoenix was the only chapter. Thus, the President of the Phoenix chapter was effectively the State Chair and often looked upon or referred to as the President of the Society. This gets confusing with Prescott Chapter having dual President with Phoenix in 1968 and disappearing in early 1970s, only to come back again at a later date as well as the addition of Cochise Chapter addition in 1973.

Note-2: While inconsistent at first, by 1978, AAS would elect officers every year at the January State Meeting. The gavel was effectively turned over in January at some point in time having a few weeks during the transition dates making it a little confusing listing the elected two year term.