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- **Scientist**
- **Advocate**
- **Activist**
- **I.T. Professional**
- **ALS Patient**

Mentoring ALS patients in electronic communication resources and working to advance research for a cure.

Eric Valor is a self-taught information technology professional who enjoyed a successful career until Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS or "Lou Gehrig's Disease") robbed him of his ability to move. Diagnosed in 2005, by 2008 Eric was forced into retirement. Since then, he studied Neurology with a focus on ALS. Eric is a respected advocate and adviser in the ALS Community, assists ALS patients with their computerized communication devices, serves as a board member of several ALS patient advocacy groups, and founder of his own ALS treatment research organization.

Eric's Current Projects



[SciOpen Research Group](#)
(Founder & Executive Director)



[Answer ALS](#)
(Team Gleason Board)



[Team Gleason](#)
(Board Member, Science & Technology Adviser)



[ALS Untangled](#)
(Review Group)



[WideTrial](#)
(Formerly ALSETF - Co-Founder)



[WSU Team Gleason](#)
(Patient & Technology Adviser)



[Hope Now for ALS](#)
(Co-Founder & Board Member)



[ALSTDI](#)
(Forum Moderator)



[The ALS Residence Initiative](#)

Other projects will be listed as they become public.

Notable Facts

- Member of American Academy of Neurology
- Executive Director of SciOpen Research Group
- Quora Top Writer 2017 & Editor ALS Topic
- Member of ALSUntangled Review Board
- Co-Founder of Hope Now For ALS
- ALSTDI Forum Moderator
- Member of Team Gleason Board of Directors

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