

**Glaucoma is associated with plasmin proteolytic activation mediated through oxidative
inactivation of neuroserpin**

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Legends to supplementary figures

S1: Microbeads were injected weekly into the rat eyes to induce increased IOP (2 months). Microbead injected eyes demonstrated a sustained increase in IOP compared to the control eyes (* $p < 0.05$) as measured by I-care tonometer.

S2: Multiple alignment of human, mouse and rat neuroserpin amino acid sequence indicating that the protein primary structure is highly conserved (red) amongst the three species. Reactive site Arg-Met bond of the serpin is highlighted in the box (cyan).

S3: Western blot showing tissue plasminogen activator (tPA) expression in the **A.** human and **B.** rat retina. The relative intensities of bands in WB were quantified and plotted. Actin was used as internal loading control. ($n=4$ each; * $p < 0.05$). **C.** Time dependent tPA enzymatic assay was carried out (0-8 hrs) from human and rat retinal lysates from control and glaucoma samples ($n=5$ each) and data plotted. Dotted lines represent allosteric sigmoidal curve regression analysis.

S4: Western blot showing tissue urokinase-type plasminogen activator (uPA) expression in the **A.** human and **B.** rat retina. The relative intensities of bands in WB were quantified and plotted. Actin was used as internal loading control ($n=3$ each). **C.** Time dependent uPA enzymatic assay was carried out (0-8 hrs) from human and rat retinal lysates from control and glaucoma samples ($n=5$ each, * $p < 0.05$) and data plotted. Dotted lines represent allosteric sigmoidal curve regression analysis.

S5: Plasminogen peptides identified following neuroserpin immunoprecipitation and subjecting the trypsin digest of eluted proteins to mass spectrometric analysis.

S6: The relative intensities of bands in WB from WT and SOD mice (figure 9) were quantified and plotted. **A.** quantification of relative lane intensities (figure 9A) (*p<0.05). **B.** quantification of relative band intensities (figure 9E) (*p<0.05). **C.** quantification of relative band intensities (figure 9F) (*p<0.05).

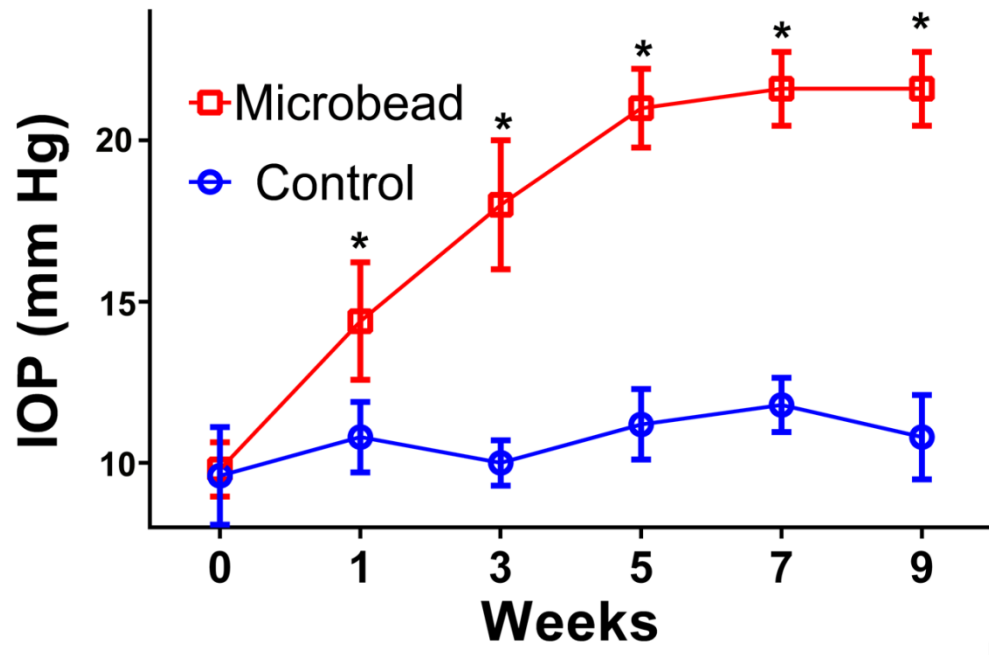


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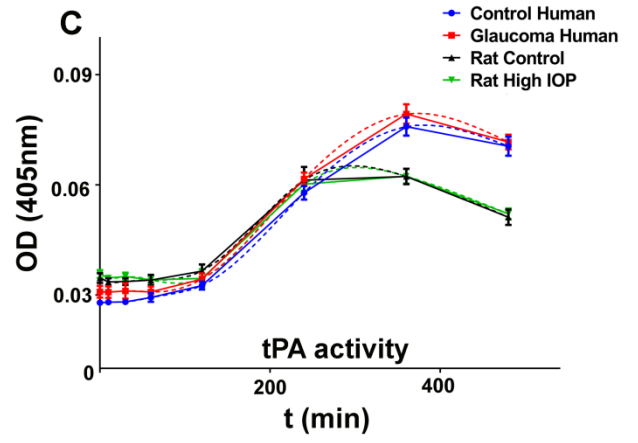
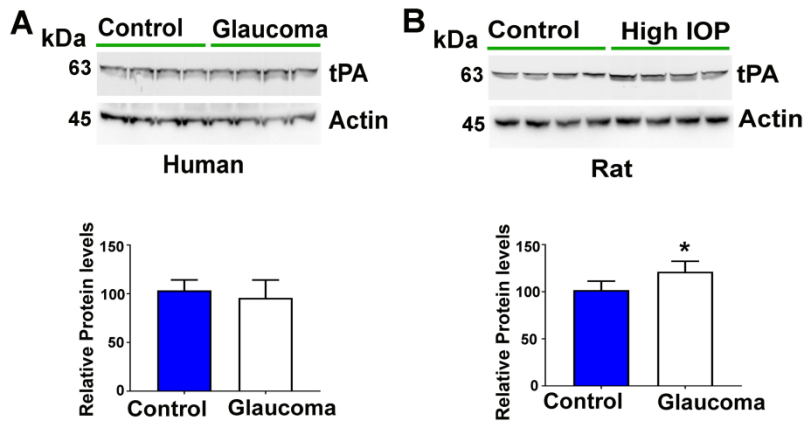


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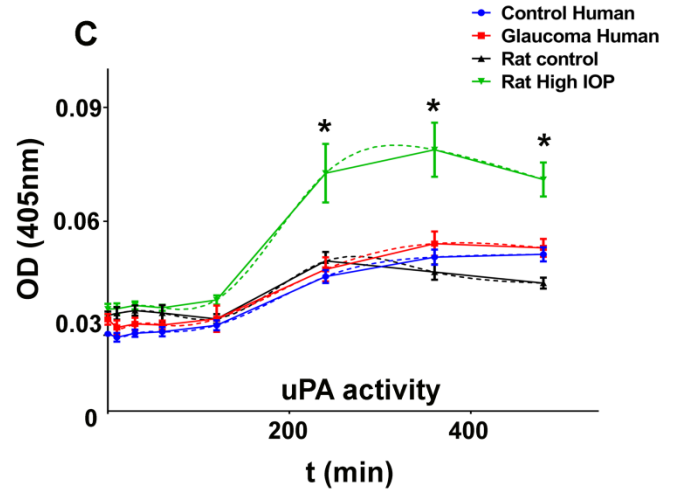
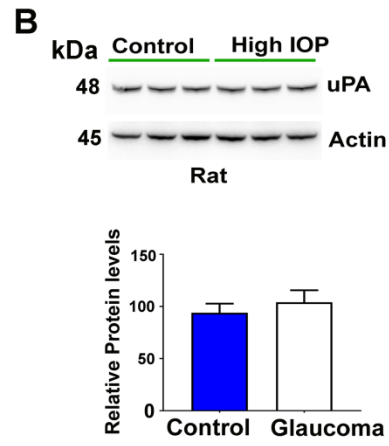
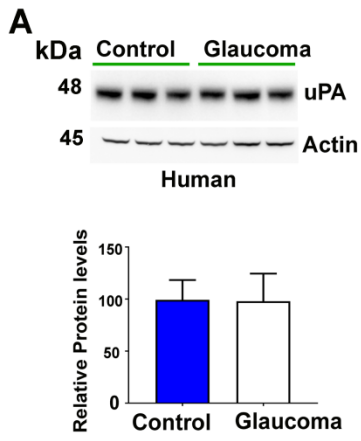


Fig S4

Plasminogen peptides	
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3	FSPATHPSEGLEENYCR
4	ELRPWCFTTDPNK
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6	NLDENYCRNPDGK
7	TPENFPCK
8	RAPWCHTTNSQVR
9	APWCHTTNSQVR
10	KCQSWSSMTPHR
11	CQSWSSMTPHR
12	TPENYPNAGLTMNYCR
13	HSIFTPETNPR
14	NPDGDVGGPWICYTTNPR
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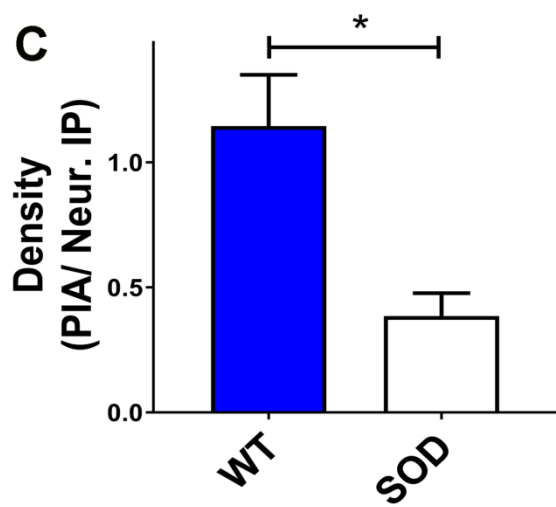
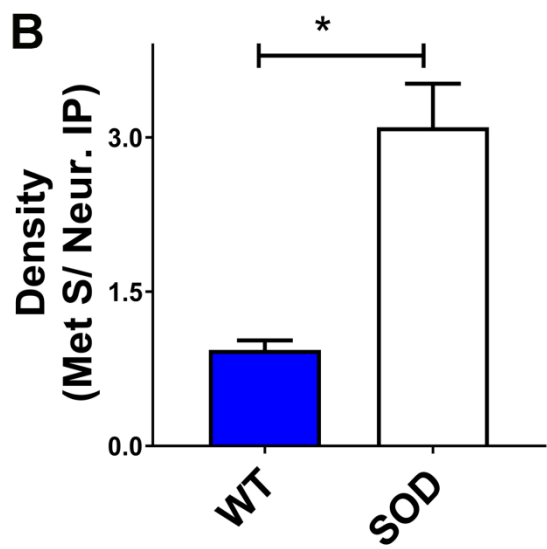
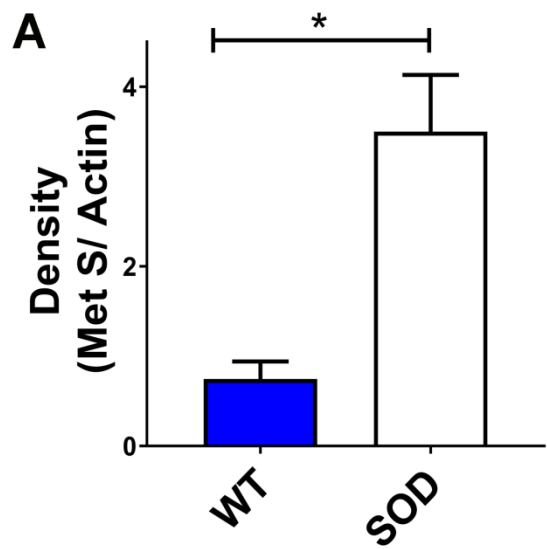


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