

An Association for Career and Technical Education Professionals

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Greetings,

The MI ACTE Executive Board is reaching out to MI ACTE Members in order to promote and recognize the outstanding commitment, practices and performances of professional CTE educators from across the State of Michigan. To effectively accomplish this task, we need your help in identifying and nominating deserving CTE professionals! All winners of the 2019 Excellence Awards will be recognized at the 2020 Michigan Career Education Conference and will be forwarded for Regional Competition in the 2020 ACTE Excellence Awards.

MI ACTE is soliciting nominations for the following awards:

- ACTE Teacher of the Year
- ACTE Administrator of the Year
- ACTE Postsecondary Teacher of the Year
- ACTE Career Guidance Award
- ACTE New Teacher of the Year
- ACTE Teacher Educator of the Year
- ACTE Carl Perkins Community Service Award
- ACTE Lifetime Achievement Award

A description of each award as well as a link for nomination can be viewed on the ACTE Excellence Award page <u>https://acte.secure-platform.com/a/page/awards/national/excellence_awards</u>

All nominees are required to be MI ACTE members. All nominations are required to be submitted via the ACTE Awards Portal <u>https://acte.secure-platform.com/a/organizations/MI/home</u>

Nominations will be accepted up to October 15, 2019. From the submitted applications, the MI ACTE Awards Committee will utilize a rubric to identify the winners and select one individual from each category to go on to the Regional Round.

Undoubtedly, Michigan has a strong pool of highly qualified and deserving nominees to select from, it's up to you nominate!

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mikki Spagnoli at <u>mikki.spagnoli@lewiscassisd.org</u> or James Berry at <u>jberry@sjschools.org</u>.

Sincerely,

The MI ACTE Excellence Awards Committee