



# NMACTE AWARD APPLICATION

(FORM IS EXPANDABLE)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Career Cluster Area: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Award Applying For: \_\_\_\_\_

(CTE Teacher of the Year, CTE Administrator of the Year, CTE Postsecondary Teacher of the Year, CTE Counseling & Career Development Professional Award, Outstanding New CTE Teacher, CTE Teacher Educator of the Year, CTE Community Service Award, CTE Business of the Year, CTE Lifetime Achievement Award)

\*\* Answer questions below, as they relate to the award for which you are applying. Form expands.

Schools and years taught or Business/Industry information: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Member of ACTE? \_\_\_\_\_ Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_

1. List program accomplishments:

2. List and explain new / innovative teaching techniques used within / for a CTE program:

3. Explain community involvement / development within the program:

4. List professional membership, activities and associations involved in and working with:

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5. Explain how applicant has made an impact on education:

6. Describe future goals for program:

7. List the types of professional development have you been involved with:

8. Describe any new technologies or program innovations that you have implemented:

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## **Award Application Criteria**

### **NMACTE Teacher of the Year**

This award recognizes the finest career and technical teachers at the middle/secondary school level who have demonstrated innovation in the classroom, commitment to their students and dedication to the improvement of CTE in their institutions and communities.

Eligibility: All candidates must be employed as classroom/laboratory CTE teachers at the middle/secondary school level and have at least 5 years of teaching experience at the time of initial nomination. State winners must be national ACTE members by March 1 to be considered at the Region level.

### **NMACTE Administrator of the Year**

This award recognizes administrative CTE professionals at the school, district, county, state or federal level who have demonstrated leadership in ensuring teacher and student success and have made significant contributions toward innovative, unique and effective career and technical education programs.

Eligibility: All candidates must be employed as CTE administrators, program specialists, coordinators, federal or state department of education professionals or other administrative professionals at the time of initial nomination. State winners must be national ACTE members by March 1 to be considered at the Region level.

### **NMACTE Postsecondary Teacher of the Year**

This award recognizes the finest career and technical teachers at the postsecondary level who have demonstrated innovation in the classroom, commitment to their students and dedication to the improvement of CTE in their institutions and communities.

Eligibility: All candidates must be employed as CTE teachers at the postsecondary level at the time of initial nomination. State winners must be national ACTE members by March 1 to be considered at the Region level.

### **NMACTE Outstanding Counseling & Career Development Professional Award**

This award recognizes school counselors and career development professionals who have demonstrated commitment to connecting students with opportunities for success, shown innovation in career exploration and development, and have advocated for CTE as a viable option for all students.

Eligibility: All candidates must be employed as school counselors and/or career development professionals at the time of initial nomination. State winners must be national ACTE members by March 1 to be considered at the Region level.

### **NMACTE New Career and Technical Teacher of the Year**

This award recognizes new CTE teachers who have made significant contributions toward innovative and unique career and technical education programs and shown a professional commitment early in their careers.

Eligibility: All candidates must be employed as classroom/laboratory CTE teachers (at the middle, secondary or postsecondary level) and must be relatively new to the teaching profession (with 2-5

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years' experience) at the time of initial nomination. State winners must be national ACTE members by March 1 to be considered at the Region level.

#### **NMACTE Teacher Educator of the Year**

This award recognizes teacher educators who have demonstrated innovation in teacher education, leadership in improving CTE, and commitment to preparing teachers to deliver high quality CTE programs.

Eligibility: All candidates must be employed as teacher educators at the time of initial nomination. State winners must be national ACTE members by March 1 to be considered at the Region level.

#### **NMACTE Carl Perkins Community Service Award**

This award recognizes individuals who have used CTE to make a significant impact on their community and demonstrated leadership in programs and activities that promote student involvement in community service.

Eligibility: All candidates must be current or retired CTE professionals at the time of initial nomination. State winners must be national ACTE members by March 1 to be considered at the Region level.

#### **NMACTE Lifetime Achievement Award**

This award recognizes CTE professionals for their leadership on behalf of NMACTE, their innovations in CTE and their contributions to the field over an extended period of time.

Eligibility: All candidates must be current or retired CTE professionals at the time of initial nomination. State winners must be national ACTE members by March 1 to be considered at the Region level.

#### **NMACTE Business of the Year Award**

This award recognizes CTE businesses in New Mexico for their assistance in promoting CTE across the state.

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