



APPLICATION DEADLINE:
July 31, 2022

GERALD PAIST DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

WHAT IS THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD?

The Distinguished Service Award recognizes individuals and organizations who have provided extraordinary service to Career Technical Education and NCLA. The recipient has made a significant and lasting impact on the field of Career Technical Education through their professional accomplishments and by having served in this profession for an extended period. They have also earned the respect and admiration of their colleagues.

WHEN ARE THE HONOREES RECOGNIZED?

The award(s) will be presented whenever a worthy recipient is identified. Presentation of the award will occur at the annual Best Practices Conference.

HOW IT WORKS....

In order to be considered, all

nominations must be **submitted online** to Thomas Applegate, Executive Director of NCLA-Synergizing CTE Administrators Nationwide at tomgobucks@gmail.com by July 31, 2022.

Do not send supporting materials such as pictures or news and magazine clippings with your nomination.

Each nomination **must** include:

- 1** A completed online nomination entry form.
- 2** Nominee's professional or related vita.
- 3** Two supporting letters (not from the nominator) endorsing the nomination. Ideally, a supporting letter should be no longer than two pages. The support letters should be addressed to: Awards Subcommittee.

NOMINATION ENTRY FORM

NAME OF

NOMINEE: _____ Home

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

NOMINATED BY: _____

Home _____ Street

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail

Address: _____

Nominator: Please answer the following questions in place of a traditional nomination letter.

Describe the nominee's professional accomplishments:

Describe the length, type and variety of service that the nominee has given to the advancement of CTE and NCLA:

How has the nominee earned the respect and admiration of his or her professional colleagues?
What defining characteristic sets this nominee apart from other individuals who have made a significant and lasting impact on the advancement of this field?