



2011 Award for Program Excellence in the Middle Schools

Use this form to nominate a teacher who has led his or her institution in the development and maintenance of a Middle School program of overall excellence.

Name of nominee _____
Home Address _____ Zip _____
Home Phone () _____ CITEA Member? _____ ITEA Member? _____
School _____ School Phone () _____
School Address _____ Zip _____
Areas Administered or Taught _____ Grades _____ Years Experience _____
Local Newspaper (for publicity purposes) : Name _____

Address _____ Zip _____
Please include letters of support. One must come from the principal administrator of your school or institution, one from the chair of your program advisory board, and the other from any of the following sources:
CITEA Chapter, Section or State Leaders Business or Industry Leaders
Professional Colleagues of the Nominee Community Leaders
School or District Administrators Former Students

Please provide as much documentation as possible for the following criteria, using attached sheets, to assist the committee in making its selection. In addition to the criteria listed under "Teacher of the Year", the Program Excellence award will be based on:

- 1. Evidence of outstanding curriculum design and integration.
- 2. A curriculum that reflects academics as well as, but not subservient to, technical content.
- 3. Laboratory facilities that are well designed, well maintained, and reflect current technologies.
- 4. Strong connections between the program and local businesses and industries.
- 5. Presence and activities of a student club that focuses on the students in the program.
- 6. Participation of program students in local, regional, and/or statewide competitions.

This candidate is being nominated by:

Name: _____ Chapter/Section: _____
Email: _____
Home Address: _____ Phone (____) _____

Note: Currently-serving Board Members of CITEA or CITEAF are not eligible for this award

Nominations are due no later than February 15, 2011 to:

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