

MARYLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION HONORS CALVERT CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY ACADEMY WITH "OUTSTANDING CTSO" AWARD

2011 Career and Technology Education Awards of Excellence Program

BALTIMORE, MD (April 26, 2011) – The CTE Career Technology Student Organization (CTSO) award honors one local chapter of a CTE student leadership organization for providing growth opportunities to its members and emphasizing educational and career development of chapter members as a result of participation in the organization's activities.

This year, the Outstanding CTSO Award was presented to the Calvert County Career and Technology Academy SkillsUSA chapter.

Maryland's Career and Technology Education *Awards of Excellence* program is sponsored by MSDE. It is an annual event recognizing outstanding programs, student organizations, change agents, business partnerships, distinguished service, and national award winners.

"These outstanding award recipients represent a commitment to high standards at every level—from academic and technical achievement to business and community involvement," said Dr. Nancy Grasmick, Maryland Superintendent of Schools. "They are all deserving of recognition and are a testimony to Maryland's nationally recognized system of career and technology education."

