

**The DuPage Area Partnership for College & Career Success
Power of Partnerships 11th Annual Awards Celebration
May 5, 2009**

2009 Advocates of the Year

Business Advocates of the Year

Mary Ann Cervinka, Arrow Gear Company

&

Edward Rossi, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW)

High School Education Advocate of the Year

Christine Bell, Naperville Central High School

&

Nancy Blume, West Chicago Community High School #94

Post-Secondary Education Advocate of the Year

Dr. Mary Anderson, College of DuPage

High School Guidance Counselor Advocate of the Year

Dennis Beemer, Wheaton North High School

&

Laurie Blei, Downers Grove South High School

Post Secondary Counseling Faculty Advocate of the Year

Carol Giegerich, College of DuPage

Special Populations Advocate of the Year

Sally Field Mullan, College of DuPage

High School CTE Advocate of the Year
Ken Ross, York Community High School

Post-Secondary CTE Advocate of the Year
Dr. Branislav Rosul, College of DuPage
&
Sharon Scalise, College of DuPage

Outstanding Business Partnerships

Accent HR

Nominated by: College of DuPage and DAOES

ADDISON AREA BUSINESS-EDUCATION PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL

Nominated by: DuPage High School District #88

AUTISM SOCIETY OF ILLINOIS

Nominated by: Glenbard Transition Program

BLOOMINGDALE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Nominated by: Lake Park High School

ECOLAB

Nominated by: College of DuPage Hospitality Administration Program

ELMHURST COLLEGE

Nominated by: DuPage Area Partnership for College and Career Success Student Leadership Academy

EVED SERVICES

Nominated by: Technology Center of DuPage Culinary, Pastry Arts & Hotel Management Program

ILLINI POWER PRODUCTS

Nominated by: Technology Center of DuPage Automotive Technology Program

PARKERS' OCEAN GRILL

Nominated by: Technology Center of DuPage Culinary, Pastry Arts & Hotel Management Program

PIXEL BROTHERS AND APPLE US EDUCATION

Nominated by: Hadley Junior High School

REALTY EXECUTIVE

Nominated by: Community High School #94

SCHWARZ NURSERY AND GARDEN CENTER

Nominated by: College of DuPage Horticulture Program

SMC CORPORATION OF AMERICA

Nominated by: Naperville North High School

SPRINGWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL

Nominated by: Lake Park High School

CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) AWARDS

CTE Spirit Award

Chris Bending, Technology Center of DuPage

CTE Spirit Award

Deb Jeffay, College of DuPage

CTE Spirit Award

Peg Peach, West Chicago Community High School District #94

CTE Leadership Award

Gary Hutchinson, Ed.D., Hinsdale South High School

EXPLORATORY ART TECHNOLOGY

HADLEY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

FACULTY: Frank Tomaskiewicz

MATH-IN-CTE

NEUQUA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

FACULTY: Tim Company - Math

Gail Novosad - Family and Consumer Science

Joanne Wagoner – Family and Consumer Science

MATH-IN-CTE

COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL #94

FACULTY: Donna Durbin - Business/Consumer Education

Kevin Cleary – Architectural Drawing, Mechanical & Technical Drafting

Kristina Mallon – Math

Michelle Torres – Math

MATH-IN-CTE

TECHNOLOGY CENTER OF DUPAGE

FACULTY: Chris Bending – Mathematics

Judith Johnson – Construction Trades

Dominic Pacenti – Automotive Technology

Debbora Sharifi – Medical & Health Care Careers

The Partnership for College and Career Success Student Leadership Academy

Student Leadership Academy Scholarship Award Recipients:

Ivy Cheng, Naperville Central H.S.

Jing Guo, Hinsdale Central H.S.

Melissa Haddad, Hinsdale South H.S.

Betsy Langford, Glenbard West H.S.

Nicole Yap, Hinsdale South H.S.