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Carrie Akins from [Calvert County Public Schools](#) named 2022 CTE Administrator of the Year by the Maryland Career and Technical Administrators chapter of the Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE).

Akins is the Director of Career & Technical Education for [Calvert County \(MD\) Public Schools](#) and the Principal at the [Calvert Career & Technology Academy](#) located in Prince Frederick, Maryland. Mrs. Akins began her career in education in 2002 teaching English in Manassas Park Virginia. She then had the privilege to be part of opening [North Point High School for Science, Technology, and Industry](#) in Waldorf, Charles County, Maryland, a comprehensive CTE high school. It was at North Point that she was introduced to and became passionate about CTE, especially through her work with SkillsUSA, where she advised and coached two national gold medalist teams for Quiz Bowl and several state medalists in Prepared Speech and Extemporaneous Speaking competitions. Mrs. Akins later served as the principal at [Milton Somers Middle School](#) and then as a Supervisor for CTE with Charles County Public Schools before taking her current position with Calvert County Public Schools in 2019. Mrs. Akins holds a Bachelor of Science in English Education from [Indiana University of Pennsylvania](#) and a master's degree in School Administration & Leadership from [The George Washington University](#). She resides in Prince Frederick with her husband and two children.



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