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Mt. Hebron High School teacher Michael Gorleski, named as Teacher of the Year by the Maryland Career and Technical Administrators chapter of the Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE.)

Gorleski is a pre-engineering and technology education teacher at Mt. Hebron High in the Howard County Public School District. He has been an educator with the district for 17 years. Gorleski holds dual Maryland certification in Technology Education and Computer Science and is National Board Certified in Early Adolescence Through Young Adulthood/CTE. Gorleski is also a certified instructor for five Project Lead the Way (PLTW) engineering classes and has presented multiple times at the state and national levels.



His principal, Dr. Joelle Miller, shared that “Michael works diligently to help every student to be successful in the classroom and beyond. He always encourages his students to take every opportunity to gain experience in internships and to compete in local and national competitions. One of his most memorable examples of outreach was when he encouraged one of his senior students to apply for Glaxo-Smith Kline’s highly competitive internship program. He spent numerous hours working with his student in preparing for the interview and was truly gratified when that student was selected! This former student is now a full-time employee at their Rockville, MD facility.”

Gorleski will move on to compete in the Northeast, United States ACTE Region I competition during the spring.

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