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# NEWS RELEASE

## For Immediate Release

### Roy Rosnik is selected for the TEAM High School Teacher Excellence Award for 2009

**BALTIMORE, Maryland, January 13, 2009** – The Technology Education Association of Maryland (TEAM) announces the selection of Roy Rosnik for the High School Teacher Excellence Award.

This award is given to the high school teacher in the State of Maryland who best demonstrates excellence in Technology Education. This year's Distinguished Service award winner is **Roy Rosnik, Technology Education Instructor** at Marriot's Ridge High School in Howard County.

Roy Rosnik recently opened Howard County's newest high school, Marriot's Ridge (home of the Mustangs). An experienced teacher who is regarded by many as a master educator throughout Howard County and the State of Maryland, he initiated Project LeadThe Way in Howard County and he has implemented or created several different county curricula for Technology Education and computer science.

Roy is a strong instructional motivator. If you were to visit his classroom you might find six different groups doing five different complex tasks with Roy going from station to station overseeing the entire program and ensuring that each student achieves success, all the while producing a video of the activity for local distribution.

A two-term past president of TEAM, Roy is a strong collaborator and proponent of best educational practices. As a Professional Development Chair, he has helped many colleagues to create cross-curricular lessons and even to help business teachers teach Technology Education courses.

Roy will be recognized at the TEAM Donald Maley Awards reception on Wednesday February 18, 2009 at the Carroll County Career and Technology Center in Westminster, Maryland. We are honored to present Roy Rosnik with the **Outstanding High School Teacher Excellence Award**. Mr. Rosnik will go on to represent Maryland at the 2009 International Technology Education Association Conference in Louisville, Kentucky on March 27<sup>th</sup>.

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