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Prestigious National Student Teacher of the Year Award Renamed in Honor of Dr. Marilyn Nicholas



(Manassas, Virginia) The ATE-KDP National Student Teacher Intern of the Year Award (NSTOY) has been renamed in honor of Dr. Marilyn Nicholas, retired Towson University teacher educator and longstanding liaison in the NSTOY selection process between the two organizations. The surprise announcement was made recently at ATE's 2025 Annual Meeting Awards Gala in New Orleans, LA.

This prestigious award recognizes one student teacher-intern annually who has demonstrated the ability to plan and develop classroom management skills and instructional strategies that support all students; establish interpersonal relationships with students, parents, faculty, and staff; and reflect on the teaching and learning process.

About the Association of Teacher Educators: The Association of Teacher Educators is dedicated to the effective preparation of teachers and the development of effective teacher education programs. With a history spanning over a century, ATE is committed to promoting excellence in teacher preparation and advancing the profession of teaching.



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