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## 2022 C. Thomas Olivo Outstanding Service Award Recipient Announced



**BIG RAPIDS, MI** - The NOCTI Board of Trustees recently named Tim Byers of Chambersburg, Pennsylvania the winner of the 2022 C. Thomas Olivo Outstanding Service Award.

The C. Thomas Olivo Outstanding Service Award, established in 1980, is NOCTI's highest honor and is reserved for those individuals who have demonstrated leadership in the areas of career and technical education (CTE) and occupational competency assessment. Criteria for the award include credibility, expertise, dedication, leadership qualities, knowledge of NOCTI programs and services, and participation and contributions to professional associations. This year's winner received a personalized award, a \$500 cash honorarium, and a \$250 gift certificate for NOCTI products/services.

Mr. Tim Byers serves as an Information Systems Technology instructor from Franklin County Career and Technology Center located in Chambersburg, PA. Tim has taught students in various grades for over 22 years at Franklin County CTC. He is active in SkillsUSA and chairs Franklin CTC's Occupational Advisory Committee enabling him to keep current on the needs of local employers and educators.

He was nominated by his colleague, Lewis Kauffman. In the nomination letter, Mr. Kauffman said, "Tim is always ready to help other instructors develop strategies for using NOCTI materials in their classrooms. His long association with NOCTI as a subject matter expert has provided insights which he shares freely with the faculty and administration. His willingness to go above and beyond makes him a valuable asset in the furtherment of NOCTI's mission and goals."

NOCTI congratulates Tim on receiving this national honor. He is a leader and advocate for CTE making him a well-deserving candidate of the C. Thomas Olivo Outstanding Service Award.

### About NOCTI

NOCTI is the nation's largest provider of industry partner certifications and industry-based credentials for career and technical education programs. NOCTI provides credible solutions for assessing both student and teacher competence and provides detailed information that can be used for data-driven instructional improvement as well as to meet regulatory requirements. Nocti Business Solutions tailors performance assessments for each client's needs, helping them meet their goals through pre-employment testing, performance assessment, prior learning assessment and customized job skills assessment.