

National Teacher Training Institute

## NTTI Technology in Education Awards Program

Since 1990, thousands of educators across the country have participated in the National Teacher Training Institute (NTTI). Through intensive professional development, regional workshops, and year-round online support, NTTI aims to alter the way in which technology is utilized in our nation's schools.

To further support teachers sharing what they have learned, we are pleased to announce the creation of NTTI's **Technology in Education Awards Program**. This year, Master Teachers, Institute participants, and outstanding classrooms steeped in media-rich learning will be recognized at each of NTTI's 26 sites. Sponsored by Thirteen/WNET and the Cisco Foundation, each of twenty-six awardees will receive a \$1,000 grant and recognition from their local Teacher Training Institute.

Awardees may be any of the following:

1. A **MASTER TEACHER** who has a) demonstrated a creative and effective approach to integrating video or the Internet in their classroom instruction, and b) shared their NTTI training and resources with colleagues in their respective schools/districts, with marked and/or measurable results;
2. An **INSTITUTE PARTICIPANT** who has a) demonstrated a creative and effective approach to integrating video or the Internet in their classroom instruction, and b) shared their NTTI training and resources with colleagues in their respective schools/districts, with marked and/or measurable results;
3. A **CLASSROOM OR GRADE LEVEL** where cross-curricular, technology-enhanced instruction is followed with media-rich, hands-on coursework and projects by students. Preference should be given to teachers who utilize the NTTI methodology in their teaching. Classroom projects should be submitted for review by local NTTI staff, and winning projects and/or classrooms must supply materials and information to be posted on NTTI Online.

Using the following application, NTTI participants can nominate themselves, their colleagues, or their classrooms for consideration in the Awards Program. Nominations may also be submitted by school principals, district superintendents, or other knowledgeable school staff.



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# Technology in Education Awards Program Application Form

Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

School/District \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone \_\_\_\_\_

The nominee is a (check one):

\_\_\_\_\_ Former NTTI Master Teacher

\_\_\_\_\_ Former NTTI Participant

\_\_\_\_\_ Specific Classroom/Grade Level

If the nominee is a former Master Teacher or NTTI participant, what year did s/he attend the Institute? \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

School/District \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**The nominee's application is based on (check one):**

- \_\_\_ S/he is a former NTTI **MASTER TEACHER** who has a) demonstrated a creative and effective approach to integrating video or the Internet in their classroom instruction, and b) shared their NTTI training and resources with colleagues in their respective schools/districts, with marked and/or measurable results;
- \_\_\_ S/he is a former NTTI **INSTITUTE PARTICIPANT** who has a) demonstrated a creative and effective approach to integrating video or the Internet in their classroom instruction, and b) shared their NTTI training and resources with colleagues in their respective schools/districts, with marked and/or measurable results;
- \_\_\_ The nominee is a **CLASSROOM OR GRADE LEVEL** where cross-curricular, technology-enhanced instruction is followed with media-rich, hands-on coursework and projects by students.

**Please provide a narrative of no more than two pages in length describing:**

- A.** Ways in which the nominee has utilized technology in support of education;
- B.** Ways in which the nominee has used the methodology of NTTI;
- C.** Results the nominee has achieved.

**The application should also be accompanied by support documentation. Acceptable documentation may include:**

- Videotapes
- Statements from administrators, parents and/or students
- Copies of lesson plans or training materials
- Class projects or materials

Submit applications for NTTI's Technology in Education Awards Program to your local NTTI site manager. For further information, visit NTTI Online at [www.thirteen.org/wnetschool/ntti/getinvolved/nearyou.html](http://www.thirteen.org/wnetschool/ntti/getinvolved/nearyou.html).