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### News Release

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## UD PROFESSOR HONORED AS PIONEER IN ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

DAYTON, Ohio -- James L. McGraw, industrial engineering technology professor emeritus at the University of Dayton, has been named one of 12 pioneers in engineering technology education by the American Society for Engineering Education. Those recognized by the society have made substantial contributions to the establishment and growth of engineering technology programs.

McGraw, whose career at UD spanned 38 years, prepared a groundbreaking report in 1962 titled *The Characteristics of Excellence in Engineering Technology Education*. In 1964, McGraw received the Arthur Williston Award, which recognizes the outstanding publication related to engineering technology, for this report.

"Still quoted today as the 'McGraw Report,' this document has served as the foundation for engineering technology program design across the country and around the world," said Robert L. Mott, associate dean of engineering for engineering technology at UD.

The Pioneer Award will be presented to McGraw during the 1993 Annual Conference of the American Society for Engineering Education June 20-23 at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

McGraw is a resident of Kettering.