

1986-1987 NEW YORK AREA AWARDS

Thirty-First Annual

September 1, 1986 - August 31, 1987
Presented April 15, 1988 - New York Hilton Hotel
(No Telecast)

OUTSTANDING NEWS BROADCAST

One award or no award to Producer and Anchors.

- **NEWS 4 NEW YORK (6PM)**; (WNBC-TV); Karen Scott, Producer; Chuck Scarborough, Pat Harper, Anchors

OUTSTANDING SPOT NEWS

One award, more than one award or no award to Segment Producer, Assignment Editor and/or Reporter

- **BORO PARK COLLAPSE** (Channel 2 News at 6:00); July 21, 1987 (WCBS-TV); Jim Murphy, Segment Producer; Steve Paulus, Assignment Manager; David Goldstein, Barbara Nevins, Correspondents

SUSSEX COUNTY GARBAGE BRAWL (News 9: Primetime); April 14, 1987 (WWOR-TV); Steve Linden, Assignment Editor; Matthew Schwartz, Producer/Reporter

OUTSTANDING SINGLE NEWS FEATURE

One award, more than one award or no award to Segment Producer and/or Reporter

- **INTERVIEW WITH MARLA HANSON** (News 4 New York); May 7, 1987 (WNBC-TV); Chuck Scarborough, Reporter

PROGERIA (Channel 2 News at 5:00); June 26, 1987 (WCBS-TV); Jennifer Eyster-Woodson, Segment Producer; Earl Ubell, Correspondent

OUTSTANDING MULTI-PART NEWS FEATURE

One award, more than one award or no award to Segment Producer and/or Reporter

- **THERE BUT FOR THE GRACE OF GOD . . .** (News 4 New York); February 9-12, 1987 (WNBC-TV); Robert Wiener, Producer; Pat Harper, Reporter

HAUPTMANN INVESTIGATION: DEADLY MEDICINE (The 10 O'Clock News); February 25-27, March 21, 1987 (WNYW5); Rachel Gordon, Producer; Dave Browde, Reporter

SEARCHING FOR MR. GOODBLOOD (The 10 O'Clock News); April 30, May 1, 1987 (WNYW5); Johanna Shaw, Producer/Reporter

OUTSTANDING INVESTIGATIVE REPORTING

One award, more than one award or no award to Segment Producer and/or Reporter

- **BUS SAFETY** (Channel 2 News at 6:00); October 14-15, 1986; (WCBS-TV); Ann Sorkowitz, Producer; Arnold Diaz, Correspondent
- **HOME HEALTH CARE** (Channel 2 News at 6:00); February 9-11, 1987 (WCBS-TV); Bonnie Van Gelder, Producer; Arnold Diaz, Correspondent

UNINTENDED ACCELERATION OF AUDI 5000's (News 4 New York); September 23, 1986 (WNBC-TV); Rita Satz, Producer; Betty Furness, Reporter

OUTSTANDING NEWS SPECIAL

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer and/or Reporter

- **WAR ON CRACK: HOW TO COPE**; September 2, 1986 (WCBS-TV); Marc Morgenstern, Executive Producer; Jim Murphy, Jennifer Eyster-Woodson, David N. Small, Producers
- **DEAR MOM AND DAD, I'M SORRY**; March 16, 1987 (WNYW5); Amanda Kissin Low, Producer; Christopher Jones, Reporter

OUTSTANDING NEWS MAGAZINE

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **FIRST CITY**; January 28, 1987 (WNYC-TV); John Fager, Executive Producer; Alyce Myatt, Senior Producer; David Meyer, Joel Sucher, Steve Fischler, Gail MacAndrew, Stan Swan, Victor Zimet, Producers
- **MARIA** (A Current Affair); August 14, 1987 (WNYW5); Mary L. Hughes, Producer

OUTSTANDING ISSUES PROGRAMMING

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **THE AMERICAN PROMISE: NO PLACE LIKE SCHOOL**; June 20, 1987 (WNBC-TV); Karen Lee Copeland, Executive Producer; Lucia Suarez, Producer
- **WHISTLEBLOWERS** (Currents); March 5, 1987 (WNET/Thirteen); Steven Weinstock, Executive Producer; Stefan Moore, Producer
- **WHOSE CHILD AM I?** (Series); (WCBS-TV); Fred Noriega, Executive Producer; Gene Merker, Betsy Osha, George Rivera, Producers
- **BEST TALK IN TOWN** (Series); (WPIX-TV); Kathleen S.M. Shepherd, Executive Producer; Liza Finley, Coordinating Producer
- **CURRENTS** (Series); (WNET/Thirteen); Steven Weinstock, Executive Producer; Marty Goldensohn, Kate Manning, Stefan Moore, Michael Rosenblum, Producers

OUTSTANDING RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **CATHOLICS IN CRISIS** (Currents); April 2, 1987 (WNET/Thirteen); Steven Weinstock, Executive Producer; Michael Rosenblum, Producer
- **THE CHURCH OF ST. JOHN THE DIVINE** (Best Talk in Town); December 12, 1986 (WPIX-TV); Kathleen S.M. Shepherd, Executive Producer; Marianne Sabol, Producer
- **MIDNIGHT MASS AT ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL**; December 25, 1986 (WPIX-TV); Don Carney, Producer

OUTSTANDING ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAMMING

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **GERTRUDE STEIN AND A COMPANION**; June 1, 1987 (BRAVO); Paul Fisher, Lucille Lortel, Executive Producers; Ira Cirker, Nancy Walzog, Blanche Marvin, Producers
- **AN INTERVIEW WITH JAMES EARL JONES** (The McCreary Report); May 31, 1987 (WNYW5); Marian Etoile Watson, Producer

OUTSTANDING PROGRAMMING FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **ALYSSA'S WORLD**; August 29, 1987 (WCBS-TV); Dolores Danska, Executive Producer; Betsy Osha, Producer
- **HAVING A DISABLED BROTHER OR SISTER** (Children with Special Needs); July 26, 1987 (WNYE-TV); Jordana Zeger, Executive Producer; Maureen Lynch, Producer
- **KIDS JUST KIDS**; October 23, 1986 (WNBC-TV); Karen Lee Copeland, Executive Producer; Lucia Suarez, Producer

OUTSTANDING BUSINESS/CONSUMER PROGRAMMING

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **STRICTLY BUSINESS** (Series); (WNBC-TV); Karen Lee Copeland, Executive Producer; Gay Rosenthal, Jeff Madrick, Producers
- **CREDIT COUNSELING** (Positively Black); October 19, 1986 (WNBC-TV); Karen Lee Copeland, Executive Producer; Robert E. Martin, Producer

OUTSTANDING HEALTH AND SCIENCE PROGRAMMING

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **TO THE NTH DIMENSION . . . AND BACK** (Innovation); May 5, 1987 (WNET/Thirteen); David Curtis, Producer
- **AN ALZHEIMER'S STORY**; January 5, June 15, 1987 (WLIW-TV); Ruth Neuwald Falcon, Kenneth Paul Rosenberg, Producers
- **HOMOSEXUALITY: NATURE VS. NURTURE** (Innovation); May 19, 1987 (WNET/Thirteen); Anne Lieberman, Producer

OUTSTANDING ARTS/CULTURAL/HISTORICAL PROGRAMMING

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **MC SORLEY'S NEW YORK**; March 5, 1987 (WNET/Thirteen); Terence P. Moran, Executive Producer; Marcia Rock, Producer
- **PHILIP PEARLSTEIN DRAWS THE ARTIST'S MODEL** (You Gotta Have Art); August 16, 1987 (WNET/Thirteen); Lynne Stuart, Richard Horner, Jerry Whiteley, Producers
- **TAKE ME BACK TO DEAR OLD NEWARK**; November 21, 1986 (WNET/Thirteen); Lois Bianchi, Executive Producer; Joel Sucher, Steve Fischler, Producers
- **WILLIAM BRENNAN, JR.: JUSTICE FOR ALL**; October 29, 1986 (WNET/Thirteen); Lois Bianchi, Executive Producer; Stefan Moore, Producer

OUTSTANDING SPORTS PROGRAMMING

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **BRING IT HOME METS**; October 6, 1986 (WWOR-TV); Rick Miner, Executive Producer; Steve Roye, Producer
- **LEN BERMAN'S SPORTSCASTS** (Series); (WNBC-TV); Len Berman, Len Szasowski, Rich Griffin, Dave Katz, Producers
- **BEYOND THE WALL**; June 17, 1987 (WNYE-TV); Carolyn Worthington, Executive Producer
- **DR. J. NIGHT** (1986-87 N.J. Nets Basketball); April 3, 1987 (SportsChannel); Michael D. Lardner, Executive Producer; Gerard Passaro, Coordinating Producer, Dan Reagan, Producer
- **SPORTS MUSIC VIDEOS** (Series); (WCBS-TV); Carmine Cincotta, Producer

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OUTSTANDING LIVE SPORTS COVERAGE

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer, Director and/or Talent

- **NEW YORK METS BASEBALL** (Series); (WWOR-TV); Rick Miner, Executive Producer; Bill Webb, Producer/Director; Ralph Kiner, Tim McCarver, Rusty Staub, Steve Zabriskie, Talent
- **NEW YORK YANKEE BASEBALL** (Series); (SportsChannel); Michael D. Lardner, Executive Producer; Gerard Passaro, Coordinating Producer; Joe O'Rourke, Producer; Spencer Ross, Ken Harrelson, Mel Allen, Mickey Mantle, Talent
- **80TH MILLROSE GAMES**; January 30, 1987 (Madison Square Garden Network); Pete Silverman, Executive Producer; Warren Pick, Producer; Bob Lewis, Director, Bruce Beck, Greg Gumbel, Larry Rawson, Bob Wolff, Talent
- **NEW YORK METS BASEBALL** (Series); (SportsChannel); Michael D. Lardner, Executive Producer; Gerard Passaro, Coordinating Producer; Bill Webb, Producer; Fran Healy, Tim McCarver, Ralph Kiner, Rusty Staub, Talent
- **PATRICK DIVISION SEMI-FINAL GAME #7**; April 18, 1987 (SportsChannel); Michael D. Lardner, Executive Producer; Gerard Passaro, Coordinating Producer; John McComb, Producer; Jiggs McDonald, Ed Westfall, Stan Fischler, Talent

OUTSTANDING PROMOTIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **WHEEL OF FORTUNE—JAMES BROWN** (WCBS-TV); David La Fountaine, Linda Tesa, Producers
- **PEOPLE'S COURT—MONSTER** (WCBS-TV); David La Fountaine, Angie Gordon, Producers
- **NEWS ANCHOR CAMPAIGN** (WCBS-TV); David La Fountaine, Producer
- **YANKEE BASEBALL—RICKEY & THE CHEETAH** (WPIX-TV); Paul Bissonette, Executive Producer; Angie Gordon, Producer

OUTSTANDING PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **PROJECT YOUTH** (WCBS-TV); Lesley Crosson, Producer
- **FOSTER PARENTS** (WCBS-TV); Lesley Crosson, Producer

OUTSTANDING DOCUMENTARY PROGRAMMING

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **AIDS WARD** (Currents); June 17, 1987 (WNET/Thirteen); Steven Weinstock, Executive Producer; Stefan Moore, Producer
- **URBAN NOMADS**; August 5, 1987 (WCBS-TV); Dolores Danska, Executive Producer; Fred Noriega, Supervising Producer; Andrew Tkach, Producer
- **THE WRITING ON THE WALL**; December 11, 1986 (New Jersey Network); Sandra King, Producer

OUTSTANDING EVENT COVERAGE

One award, more than one award or no award to Producer

- **METS PARADE**; October 28, 1986 (WCBS-TV); Marc Morgenstern, Paul Sagan, Executive Producers; Jim Murphy, Dean Daniels, Producers
- **CHRISTMAS IN ROCKEFELLER CENTER**; December 1, 1986 (WNBC-TV); Karen Lee Copeland, Executive Producer; Christopher Salvador, Producer

OUTSTANDING EDITORIAL

One award or no award to the management of the station.

- **WCBS-TV**

OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY OUTREACH STATION PROJECT

One award, more than one award or no award to station

- **PROJECT LITERACY U.S.** (WNET/Thirteen)
- **TEEN TURMOIL: REACHING OUT** (New Jersey Network)
- **CHANNEL 2's WAR ON CRACK** (WCBS-TV)

OUTSTANDING WRITER (NEWS and NON-NEWS)

One award, more than one award or no award

- **ROBIN DORIAN**, A Current Affair (WNYW5)
- **STEVE DUNLEAVY**, A Current Affair (WNYW5)
- **MARIAN MARZYNSKI**; Out of the Shadows; July 8, 1987 (WCBS-TV)
- **CHUCK SCARBOROUGH** (WNBC-TV)
- **NANCY KRAMER**; Horseradish; April 10, 1987 (WNYW5)
- **CAROL N. MARIN** (WCBS-TV)
- **BILL MCGOWAN**, A Current Affair (WNYW5)
- **MICHAEL ROSENBLUM, STEVEN WEINSTOCK**; Chemical Town, USA; November 19, 1986 (WNET/Thirteen)

OUTSTANDING DIRECTOR

One award, more than one award or no award

- **LUCIA SUAREZ**; End of the Line; January 7, 1987 (WNBC-TV)
- **IRA CIRKER**; Gertrude Stein and a Companion; June 1, 1987 (BRAVO)
- **MARC LEVIN**; What's Going On; July 22, 1987 (WCBS-TV)

OUTSTANDING RESEARCH

One award, more than one award or no award

- **ANN SORKOWITZ**; Bus Safety (Channel 2 News at 6:00); October 6-8, 1986 (WCBS-TV)
- **DAVID BROWDE, RACHEL GORDON**; Hauptmann Investigation: Deadly Medicine; February 25, 1987 (WNYW5)
- **JENNIFER EYSTER-WOODSON**; Radon (Channel 2 News at 5:00); February 9-13, 1987 (WCBS-TV)
- **ANNA PHILLIPS, HELEN YOUNG**; Are You Underpaid? (Channel 2 News at 5:30); February 16-17, 1987 (WCBS-TV)

OUTSTANDING CAMERA

One award, more than one award or no award

- **LOU ROSE, KATHLEEN SHERIDAN, ERIC R. KUHNKE**; There But For the Grace of God . . . ; February 12, 1987 (WNBC-TV)
- **MARK BOWLLAN**; Urban Nomads/Alyssa's World; August 8/August 29, 1987 (WCBS-TV)
- **JEAN DE SEGONZAC**; Out of the Shadows; July 8, 1987 (WCBS-TV)

OUTSTANDING AUDIO

One award, more than one award or no award

- **ROBERT GONZALES, RICH TRAKS**; There But For the Grace of God . . . ; February 12, 1987 (WNBC-TV)
- **JIM ZURICH**; Urban Nomads; August 5, 1987 (WCBS-TV)

OUTSTANDING EDITING

One award, more than one award or no award

- **ELANA ROBERTS**; Schizophrenia (Best Talk in Town); August 12, 1987 (WPIX-TV)
- **REGINA LOPOLO**; Subway Museum (5PM Eyewitness News); September 3, 1986 (WABC-TV)
- **DONALD R. DODSON**; The State of the Elderly 1987 (Eyewitness News); May 4, 1987 (WABC-TV)
- **LORI DE SENA**, A Current Affair (WNYW5)
- **KEN MOONEY, TONY DI GIOVANNI, CYNTHIA ALTMAN, BUDDY CANNON**; Sports Music Videos (Series); (WCBS-TV)
- **ROBERT R. AFFRONTI**; End of the Line; January 8, 1987 (WNBC-TV)
- **CHRISTINE TWOMEY**; Urban Nomads; August 5, 1987 (WCBS-TV)
- **KEN MOONEY**; Alyssa's World; August 29, 1987 (WCBS-TV)
- **DANIEL M. CASSANO**; There But For the Grace of God . . . ; February 12, 1987 (WNBC-TV)

OUTSTANDING GRAPHICS

One award, more than one award or no award

- **MILO HESS**, Ass't. Art Director; **DON DUNCAN**, Producer; Is Baby Worth It?; May, 1987 (WCBS-TV)
- **FRANCOIS BOTA, BOB REILLY, DARLENE RUESS, KAREN McINNIS, GARY TEIXEIRA**; Strictly Business (Series); (WNBC-TV)

OUTSTANDING ON-CAMERA ACHIEVEMENT

One award, more than one award or no award

- **ARNOLD DIAZ**, Consumer Reporter, WCBS-TV
- **STEWART KLEIN**, Reporter; Mets Hallelujah Chorus (The 10 O'Clock News); October 28, 1986 (WNYW5)
- **MORRY ALTER**, Feature Reporter, WCBS-TV
- **JOHN SLATTERY**, Correspondent, WCBS-TV

OUTSTANDING OFF-CAMERA ACHIEVEMENT

One award, more than one award or no award

- **LEO FARRENKOPF**, Lighting Director; Gertrude Stein and a Companion; June 1, 1987 (BRAVO)
- **DENNIS RIVELLINO**, Composer; Beyond the Wall; June 17, 1987 (WNET/Thirteen)

GOVERNORS AWARD

- **THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF FILM, THEATRE AND BROADCASTING** For its aggressive and creative efforts to encourage, promote and facilitate television production in New York and for effectively focusing the spotlight on the talent pool and production opportunities of this great city.

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