



54th Annual Ohio Valley Regional Emmy® Awards (2018) - Nominees

01A Newscast - Daytime and Weekend (Markets 1-74)

News Center 7 at Noon, WHIO-TV
Quincy Wallace, Kristi Derocher

WDRB News at 11:30, WDRB
Erin Pryor, Cara Catlett

Cameo Nightclub Shooting, WLWT
Jeffrey Bencoter, Allison Smith, Bill Hager, Jennifer Moore, Jamila Batchelor, Sheree Paoello, Michael Dardis

Noon Newscast - Water Main Break, WLKY
Kendra Ulrich, Jennifer Baileys

01B Newscast - Evening (Markets 1-74)

WAVE 3 News at 11, WAVE 3 News
Rebecca Gibson, Zachary Owens, Aaron Ellis, Curtis Tate, Kevin Harned, Greg Schapker, William Joy, Miles Jackson, Shannon Cogan, Scott Reynolds, Natalia Martinez, Daniel Paxton

9 On Your Side at 11PM, WCPO
Griffin Frank, Tanya O'Rourke, Craig McKee, Kristen Swilley

March 1 Tornadoes, WLWT
Jeffrey Bencoter, Allison Smith, Bill Hager, Stephanie Bruner, Sheree Paoello, Michael Dardis

11pm Newscast - Police Chase, WLKY
Vicki Dortch, Rick Van Hoose

Kirkersville Shooting, WSYX/WTTE
Stephen Kappas

01C Newscast - Smaller Market (Markets 75+)

**There were no nominees in this category.

02 News Special

180 ODs, 18 deaths, 1 week; how the heroin crisis is normal now, The Cincinnati Enquirer/
Carrie Cochran, Meg Vogel, Liz Dufour, Amy Wilson

Forgotten Louisville, WLKY
Scott Eckhardt, Eric King

03 Breaking News

Park Layne Tornado, WKEF/WRGT

Rebecca Gulden, Adam Aaro, Rebeckah Chenoweth, Elyse Coulter, Nathan Edwards, Kevin Roach

Good Day Columbus: Tragedy in Kirkersville, WSYX/WTTE

Stuart Osborne, Robert Rosenberg, Jessica Ralston, Adam Slinger, Haley Nelson, Craig McKenna, Andrew Buck Michael, Anthony Vrana, Steve Levine, Lisa Rantala, Robert K Forrest, Donny Sobnosky

The Tensing Trial, WXIX-TV

Robyn Tyndall, Steve Hyvonen, Rob Williams, Tricia Macke, Robert Guaderama, Jason Scott

04 Spot News

A Violent Playground, WAVE

Miles Jackson, Natalia Martinez

Car Thief Caught, WHIO-TV

Adam Marshall, Nathan Davis

9 On Your Side at 11PM, WCPO

Griffin Frank, Tanya O'Rourke

Basketball Bribery Scandal, WAVE 3 News

Ali Hammond, Devin Kroh, Kent Taylor, Connie Leonard

Kirkersville: A Day of Misery, wcmh

Judy Converse, Nicholas Petrello

05 Continuing Coverage

Coroner Controversy: What Really Killed Debbie Meadows?, WSYX

Terri Sullivan, Aaron Nestor

State of Addiction - Continuing Coverage, WLKY

Andrea Stahlman, Jennifer Osburne, Jennifer Baileys, Reid Bolton, Emily Maher, Carolyn Callahan

Ground Zero: Opioid Crisis, WKEF/WRGT

Adam Aaro, Elyse Coulter, Kelly May, Nathan Edwards, Kevin Roach, Rebecca Gulden

06 Team Coverage

March 1st Tornado Coverage, WDRB

Jude Redfield, Sterling Riggs, Candyce Eatherly, Keith Kaiser, Cara Sabin

Severe spring weather hits central Ohio, WBNS

Stephanie O'Grady, Katie Doup, Jonathan Keilholz, Trent Lammers, Angela An, Tracy Townsend, Mike Davis, Jeffrey Booth, Benjamin Yaussy

Scandal and Shakeups at the University of Louisville, WDRB

Rachel Bailey, Cara Catlett, Barry Fulmer, Jennifer Keeney

Fireball: Piecing It Together, wcmh

Judy Converse, Nicholas Petrello

07A General Assignment Report - Within 24 Hours

Muslim Marine on a mission, WDRB
Kate Springer, Tom Round

Miracle Delivery on Highway, WSAZ
Dan Klein

Car Accident Graduation, WBNS 10TV
Richard Yedlicka

Neighbors Scared After Shooting, WSAZ
Dan Klein

07B General Assignment Report - No Time Limit

Sussi Holds Court, WSYX/WTTE
Tom Sussi

Andrew's Gift: A Million Lego For Kids, WBNS
Bryant Somerville, Ryan Hitchcock

A Sister Story, WSYX
Mike McCarthy

Dangerous Debris, WKRC-TV
Duane Pohlman

When the foundation crumbles, WDRB TV
Gilbert Corsey

Harvey's Aftermath, WLEX
Nicki Thacker

08A Feature News Report - Light Feature

Wrestling With Politics, wave
John Boel, Steven Richard

"Mayor Mutt", WDRB
Chris Sutter, Dominik Fuhrmann

The Avalon Theatre, WSYX/WTTE
Mike McCarthy

08B Feature News Report - Serious Feature

The Familiar Man That No One Knows, WBNS
Bryant Somerville, Chris Poturalski

A New Investment, WSYX/WTTE
Mike McCarthy

The Silent City, WVVA-TV
Rick Douglas, Matt Irvin

09A Investigative Report - Single Story

Locked Away by Lies, Wave 3 News
Natalia Martinez, Bill Shory, Doug Druschke

Nursing Overtime, WBNS-TV
Kevin Landers

The out of towner, WDRB TV
Gilbert Corsey, Dalton Rinehart

School for sex? A powerful Kentucky lawmaker's proposition caught on tape, Spectrum News
Caroline Imler, Nicholas Storm, Trey Eckerle, Lauren Wells, Ryan Huie, Bradley McKee

09B Investigative Report - Series

Policing Their Own, WCPO-TV
Craig Cheatham, Daniel Monk, Lot Tan, Scott Wegener, Joseph Rosemeyer

Failure to Protect, WBNS-TV
Jerry Revish, Bennett Haeberle, Shawn Hoder, Dorian DiBartolomeo, Joel Chow

Racist Landlord, WSYX/WTTE
Brooks Jarosz, Matthew Spurrier

Balcony Collapse, WSYX/WTTE
Brooks Jarosz

WV Supreme Court Spending, WCHS/WVAH
William Bass, Larry Clark

10A Arts/Entertainment - Feature/Segment

Artist Profile: Jurate Phillips, WOSU Public Media
Jackie Shafer, Gary Orr

Taxidermy artist Jeremy Johnson, CET
Donald Hancock

Pete Rose takes flight: Athleticism meets art and science,
Carrie Cochran

The Art Show: Cervilio Amador, WCET
Colin Scianamblo, Zachary Kramer, Jason Garrison, Mitchell Webb

10B Arts/Entertainment - Program

It's a Grand Night for Singing 25th Anniversary, Kentucky Educational Television
Nick Helton

Lost River Sessions - Composite, WKYU
Darius Barati, Kelli Brock, Jeff Petrocelli, Neil Purcell

The Art Show: Episode #613, ThinkTV | CET
Ann Rotolante, Rodney Veal, Brynn DeLange, Donald Hancock, Julie Davis, Colin Scianamblo, Mike Schwartz, Michael Seppelt, Jason Garrison, Zachary Kramer, Paul Verhagen

11 Business/Consumer

Serial Crooked Contractor, WSYX/WTTE
Tom Sussi

Classic Hustle, wave
John Boel

Rotting Trim Repairs, WSYX/WTTE
Brooks Jarosz

Tax, Title, and Past Due, wkyt-tv
Barton Bill, Miranda Combs

12 Children/Youth/Teens

Abacadabra: Abralot, episode #506, Mike and Joey Productions
Michael Adelman, Marilea Butcher, Larry Dowling, Aaron Shackelford, John Hale

Abacadabra: Joey's Time Machine, episode #507, Mike and Joey Productions
Michael Adelman, Marilea Butcher, Larry Dowling, Aaron Shackelford, John Hale

I Can Be Anything I Want to Be A to Z: Botanist, ThinkTV | CET
Mark Lammers, Gloria Skurski, Ann Rotolante

Small Voices Count, WLWT
ALEXIS ROGERS, Jason Sperry

13 Crime

The Usual Suspects, wave
John Boel

Karen Brown: Breaking Her Silence, WLEX-TV
Nancy Cox, Brian Gilbert, Dave Medley

Small Town Murder Mysteries, WHAS11
Michaela MacDonald, Rachel Platt

14A Education/Schools - News

Speeding School Buses, WDRB-TV
Valerie Chinn, Douglas Smith

14B Education/Schools - Program

Music in the Schools, ink & image LLC
Alison Momeyer, Bryan Levin

15A Health/Science/Environment - News

From Meth Addict to Magazine Cover, WAVE
Dawne Gee

Rounding Up the Facts, WKRC-TV
Duane Pohlman

Room 9, WAVE
William Joy, Steven Richard

Saving a species one cheetah at a time, The Cincinnati Enquirer/ Cincinnati.com
Meg Vogel

15B Health/Science/Environment - Program

Fitbits to Fins: Shark Conservation in Newport, KY, WCET
Brynn DeLange, Richard Nordstrom

Calling it Quits: Real Help to Stop Smoking, KET
Laura Krueger

A Journey Through Alzheimer's, WCMH-TV
Jennifer Kiser, Colleen Marshall, Stephen Wainfor, Jonathan Williams

16A Human Interest - News

After the Flood, Sinclair Broadcast
Justin Sherman

Tiger Strong, WSYX/WTTE
Stacia Naquin, Justin DePrekel

Inspiration Meet Reality, WBNS 10TV
Scott Light, Tim Flaherty

Look for Pink, WSYX/WTTE
Mike McCarthy

Devotion, WEHT-TV
Jordan Vandenberg, John Simpson, Matthew Davis

16B Human Interest - Program

Bluegrass & Backroads - Camp Quality, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios
Matt Hilton, Austin Anderson, Michael Corrigan

Rise, Cincy Stories
Chris Ashwell

Achieve Ability, Wavelength Films
Dave Docimo, Matthew Martin, Brian Scroggins, Ann Ryan, Bob Renock

17A Military - News

Red, White And Bronze, WBNS
Bryant Somerville

Power in a Picture, WCPO-TV
Kristyn Hartman, Ramsay Fulbright

Unknown X-1072, WKRC-TV
Megan Moore, Eric Gerhardt

Jacob's Long War, The Cincinnati Enquirer/Cincinnati.com
Kareem Elgazzar

17B Military - Program

Bluegrass & Backroads - Bluegrass Honor Flight, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios
Matt Hilton, Austin Anderson

Blood & Bronze, WHIZ TV
Ryan Bradford, Aaron Yerian, Sara Davis, Nathan Zangmeister

18A Politics/Government - News

Bad Lieutenant, WCPO-TV
Craig Cheatham

Police Immunity, WKRC-TV
Duane Pohlman

Ohio's Budget Cut: BCMH, leaving kids without help, wcmh
Colleen Marshall, Stephen Wainfor

18B Politics/Government - Program

Pure Politics: Former Governor and current State Senator removed from leadership, Spectrum
Nicholas Storm, Caroline Imler, Trey Eckerle, Beth Klasskin, Kyle Ogles, Lauren Wells

19A Societal Concerns - News Single Story

Kentucky shelters: falling short, failing animals, wave
John Boel

Camp Lionheart, WBNS-TV
Kevin Landers, Ryan Hitchcock

Rats, Roaches and Resilience, WCPO-TV
Emily Maxwell, Lucy May

Saving Dominique, The Cincinnati Enquirer/ Cincinnati.com
Liz Dufour

Overdose Calls Soar For Firefighters, WDRB
Sterling Riggs, Marcus Green, Douglas Smith

19B Societal Concerns - News Series

Narcans: Saving Lives, The Same Lives, WHAS11 News
John Charlton

Bullied To Death?, WLWT
Todd Dykes

20A Technology - News

The dark web, WLWT
Brian Hamrick, Ron Schmidt, Kevin Martin

In the Dark, WTHI
John Timm, Melissa Crash

Eye In The Sky, WSYX/WTTE
Kurt Ludlow, Ben Frecker, Drew Jones

21A Sports - News

Where There is a Will, There is a Jacob, WTHI
John Timm, Rick Semmler

21B Sports - Feature/Segment

Put Out the Fire - Chicago Fire Recap, 4th Floor Creative
Shane Harrison, Marc Graham

Tough Love, University of Kentucky Sports Video
Kirk Hanselmann

Headfirst into History, WVXU/NPR
Michael Keating

On Opening Day, this one belongs to us, The Cincinnati Enquirer/Cincinnati.com
Carrie Cochran

21C Sports - Daily or Weekly Program

Reds Live (pre-game), Fox Sports OH
Kent Weaver, Bob Pennell, Matthew Sigafoos, Tom Farmer

Dayton Flyers- Top 10 Players of All Time, Spectrum Sports
Alison Momeyer, Andrew Fiscus, Bryan Levin, Jason Pheister

Blue Jackets Live PREGAME, Fox Sports Ohio
Travis Williams, Tom Farmer, Bob Pennell

21D Sports - One-Time Special

Out of the Blue, Filthy Rags Media
Dick Gabriel, Cameron Mills

Cincinnati Reds Opening Day, Fox Sports Ohio
Tom Farmer, Bob Pennell, David Ashbrock, Brian Hunterman

Rise Together, Spectrum Sports
Alison Momeyer, Bryan Levin, Jason Pheister, Tom Gelehrter

Never Been Done Before: Kentucky Baseball 2017, University of Kentucky Sports Video
Greg Gorham, Kirk Hanselmann, Dick Gabriel, John Rowland

LEX 18 Special Coverage of Kentucky Derby 143, WLEX
Jennifer Evans Smith, Katherine Shepherd

22 Sports Event/Game - Live/Unedited

FC Cincinnati vs Columbus Crew SC - US Open Cup, 4th Floor Creative
Tom Gelehrter, Lindsay Patterson, David Ashbrock, Kevin McCloskey

Columbus Bluejackets Hockey, Fox Sports Ohio
Tom Farmer, Bob Pennell, Joseph Whelan, Brian Filippetti, Matthew Sigafoos, David Bachman

Kentucky Derby 143, WAVE 3
Molly Huff, Bill Shory, Zachary Owens, Christopher Kyle, Curtis Tate, Kent Taylor, Connie Leonard, Kevin Harned, Scott Reynolds, Maira Ansari, William Joy

Reds Baseball: Players Weekend, FOX Sports Ohio
Tom Farmer, Bob Pennell, Joshua Hall, Roy Alfors, Brian Filippetti, Brian Hunterman,
Matthew Sigafoos

23 Weather

- WV Floods: One Year Later, WCHS/WVAH
Leslie Rubin, Brad Rice, Jessi Starkey, Kalea Gunderson
- Viewing the Solar Eclipse, WDRB
Jennifer Keeney, Dominik Fuhrmann, Hobie Crase
- 5 Years Later: Reliving the Henryville Tornado, WDRB TV
Jeremy Kappell
- First Alert Storm Team Winter Weather Special, WHAS TV
Lena Duncan, Reed Yadon, Ben Pine, Joseph Federle

24A Documentary - Cultural/Topical

- Fiona: The Story So Far, WCPO-TV
Jeff Ackermann, Tanya O'Rourke, Craig McKee, Ramsay Fulbright, Sarah Zak
- Cincinnati Music Hall: The Next Movement, CET
Richard Wonderling, Donald Hancock
- Journey to Recovery, Kentucky Educational Television
Justin Allen, Laura Krueger
- The Pivot Point, Curtis Visual Communications
Alphonzo Wesson, Ethel Cogen, Harry Black, Eliot Isaac, Tiffaney Hardy

24B Documentary - Historical

- From the Ashes: The University of Evansville Purple Aces, Court Street Productions
Joe Atkinson
- Little City Beautiful, 180 Degrees
Archie Borders, Erin Roark, Michael Fitzer
- Vietnam: West Virginians Remember, West Virginia Public Broadcasting
Suzanne Higgins, Aaron Shackelford
- Columbus Neighborhoods - WWI, WOSU
Cindy Gaillard, Mary Rathke, Diana Bergemann, Ben Bays, Brent Davis, Charlene Brown, Gary Orr
- Paul Laurence Dunbar: Beyond the Mask, Ohio University
Frederick Lewis, Joseph Slade
- Belle Brezing and the Gilded Age of the Bluegrass, High Impact Productions
Douglas High, Kaitlyn Kirk
- Our Town: Jackson, WOUB
Evan Shaw, Adam Rich, Rusty Smith
- Journey of the Freedom Riders, FOX 19 WXIX
Charisse Gibson, Nicholas Helton, Dan Wood

25 Informational/Instructional Program

- Imagine Lexington, Lex TV (Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government)
Neville Brett Smith
- REACH with STEM Parent Training Video, ThinkTV
Ann Rotolante, Mike Schwartz
- News Quiz, KET - Kentucky Educational Television
Jayne McClew, Angelic Phelps, Anna Gordon, Allison NeCamp Day

26 Interview/Discussion Program

Indian Oven/Food as a Pathway to Culture, WOSU

Diana Bergemann, Ben Bays, Cindy Gaillard, Javier Sanchez

Showcase on the Streetcar - BLINK, "Showcase with Barbara Kellar", WCET

Colin Scianamblo, Barbara Kellar, Jason Garrison, Zachary Kramer, R. Matthew Schwartz,

Paul Verhagen, Michael Seppelt

Muirfield Revealed, FOX Sports Ohio

Jeff Platz, Tom Farmer, Pat Kilkenney

COUNTRY BOYS segment from DOWNSTREAM. "Party Barges, River Races, Country Boys & Very Kyle Lake

A Seat at the Table: Talking Cincinnati Reds, WLWT

Maureen Hagrman

27A Magazine Program

Broad & High, WOSU Public Media

Jackie Shafer, Kate Quickel, Gary Orr, Chuck Oney

The Local Traveler- Historic Inns and Taverns, KET and Beloved Productions

Amy Hess

Kentucky Life 2301, KET

Brandon Wickey, Valerie Trimble, Gary Pahler, Paul Smith, Doug Flynn

27B Magazine Feature/Segment

Wounded Warrior Dogs, WOSU Public Media

Jackie Shafer

Yarn Over Dublin, WOSU Public Media

Jackie Shafer, Cindy Gaillard

Effie Waller Smith, KET

Chelsea Gorham, Lillie Ruschell

Bluegrass & Backroads - Hope Scarves, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios

Matt Hilton

Bluegrass & Backroads - BigHead Studios, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios

Matt Hilton

Gearid Strickland, Instrument Maker, WCET

Donald Hancock, Zachary Kramer, DeShon Able

Black Bear Dens, Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife

Jamison Standard, Chad Miles

28 Nostalgia Program

A Saturday unlike all others: The Beverly Hills Supper Club fire, The Cincinnati Enquirer/
Meg Vogel

BILL MONROE segment: kNOWMORE "Nonprofits & History", Prosper Media Group, Inc.

Kyle Lake

Hey Kentucky's "Lost Episode", WLEX-TV

Mike Kerber, Matthew Jones, Lee Cruse, Christopher Tomlin, Daniel Dunston, Noah Day,

Paul Wolf

29 Public/Current/Community Affairs Program

Ohio Development Services Agency: Ohio Opioid Technology Challenge, MediaSource
Jerred Ziegler, Robert Leitch

WKYT Investigates | State of Addiction, WKYT
Barton Bill, Miranda Combs

Making a Difference, WLEX
Jennifer Evans Smith, Michael Berk, Nancy Cox, Brian Gilbert, Leah Olson

Eastway- "60 Years of Hope", The 5 Stones Group and Fleisher Communications
Mike Edwards, Joe Ashley, Marcy Fleisher, Joel Hammers, Danny Woods, Jeremy Steckel,
Tami Jones

Street Stories - Price Hill, Cincy Stories
Chris Ashwell, Shawn Braley

State of Addiction - Impact on Youth, WLKY
Reid Bolton, Jennifer Osburne

30 Special Event Coverage

Jack Hanna's Into the Wildlights Holiday Special, WBNS-TV
Joe Brackman, Bryan K Wolfe

Capital City Half Marathon, WBNS - 10TV
Aly Romot, Joe Brackman, Dominic Dodrill

31 Interstitial

Cincinnati Music Hall: The Next Movement / Promo 3, ThinkTV
Richard Wonderling, Jason Wilson

Juncta Juvant (Better Together), Curtis Visual Communications
Alphonzo Wesson, Chantia Miller, Tiffaney Hardy

32A Short Format Program - Informational

150th Anniversary of the Roebling Bridge, Kenton County Public Library
Mike Blum

Bengals 50 - Bill Walsh: From Cincinnati to San Francisco, The Enquirer/Cincinnati.com
Michael Nyerges

OHIO, Pilot Boys and The 5 Stones Group
Mike Edwards, Viswant Korrapati, Emeka Onyejekwe

The 8 Gates: It's Who We Are - CityGate, Born To dp Films
De'Niel Phipps

32B Short Format Program - Entertainment

OBKY, Tanner+West
Jason Tanner, David Grinnell

Left Turn, Wavelength Films
Chris Weatherly, Jonathan Boettcher, Ross Chapman

Split Decision, The 5 Stones Group
Mike Edwards, Otis Winston, Jamar Jones

2017-18 Columbus Blue Jackets Open, Post House Creative
Timothy Flaherty, Scott Baldner, Derek Dawley

33 Branded Content

Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption: "Forever", MediaSource
Jerred Ziegler, Robert Leitch

We The People, Wavelength Films
Chris Weatherly, Pamela Anderson

Scotts Miracle-Gro - 150 Years and Growing, Post House Creative
Andrew Massarella, Rick Green

34 Community/Public Service (PSAs)

Muskingum County Matters Campaign, WHIZ-TV
Sara Davis, Aaron Yerian, Nathan Zangmeister, Karysa Kent

Kentucky Farm Bureau Lead Where You Stand, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios
Matt Hilton, Austin Anderson, Tim Thornberry, Melissa LaRoche, B. Todd Bright, David S. Beck

State of Addiction - Our Commitment, WLKY
Andrea Stahlman, Paul Chaplin

Columbus Makes Art/Art Makes Columbus, WOSU
Cindy Gaillard, Ben Bays, Jami Goldstein

35 Commercial

Briar Rabbit Shooting Sports, WHIZ-TV
Nathan Zangmeister, Aaron Yerian, Karysa Kent

Proper Coffee, Chris Weatherly, LLC
Chris Weatherly, Dave Docimo

Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra - "Short Histories", WCET
Mark Lammers

Who Killed Betty, Adams Film
Jason Adams

36A Promotion: News (Single Spot)

Go To The Source, WDRB
Scott Brady, Josh Kidd

Vietnam: A Personal Story, WCPO 9 On Your Side
Paul Harper

Missing in the Miami Valley: Erica Baker, WHIO (Cox Media Group Ohio)
Trey Back

10TV School closings, WBNS-10TV Marketing
Ted Nekic, Larry Watzman, Jenny Dolph, Michael Moon

Nikki Brooks: Cold Case, Cox Media Group Ohio/WHIO TV
Zebulon Griffin

36B Promotion: News (Campaign/Image)

WLWT News 5 - Leading The Way, WLWT
Christina Rule, Pete Salkowski, Nishan Gilmet

Local 12 Investigates - Image, WKRC
Sheila Obermeyer, Tim Fair, Selena Reder, Duane Pohlman

Local 12 Investigates - Franchise, WKRC
Sheila Obermeyer, Tim Fair, Scott Dailey, Duane Pohlman

36C Promotion: Program (Single Spot/Campaign/Image)

Forgotten Louisville, WLKY
Paul Chaplin

Farsleben, The 5 Stones Group
Mike Edwards, Shawn Tegtmeier

Rise Together- Promotion, Spectrum Sports
David Plantz

Developed Here, Pilot Boys and The 5 Stones Group
Emeka Onyejekwe, Viswant Korrapati, Mike Edwards, Shawn Tegtmeier

37 Special Achievement: Overall Excellence

WDRB MEDIA - THE SOURCE, WDRB
Bill Lamb

WAVE 3 NEWS, WAVE 3 NEWS
Ken Selvaggi

Glenn Haygood - WLKY, WLKY
Glenn Haygood

WBNS-10TV Overall Excellence, WBNS-10TV Marketing
John Cardenas

WLWT Overall Excellence, WLWT
Branden Frantz

38 Special Achievement: News Excellence

WCPO Cincinnati, WCPO
Chip Mahaney

WBNS-TV, WBNS
Kelly Frank

WAVE 3 News - Expect More. Right Now., WAVE 3 News
Bill Shory

WDRB News, WDRB
Barry Fulmer

WLWT News Excellence, WLWT
Jeffrey Benscoter

ABC6/FOX28, WSYX/WTTE
Jamie Innis Justice

39 Special Achievement: Community Service

WHAS TV Community Service, WHAS
David Seals

WLKY
Debbie Roberson

National African American Male Wellness Walk: Kicking Heart Disease, Saving the Community, WCMH
Nicole Wolfe

Cincy Stories, Cincy Stories
Chris Ashwell

40 Interactivity

American Dairy Association Mideast: 2017 Butter Sculpture Multimedia Campaign, MediaSource
Jerred Ziegler, Robert Leitch, Barb Consiglio

Feedback Friday, WCPO TV9
Craig McKee

41A Anchor - News

Kristyn Hartman - Asking the Questions, WCPO
Kristyn Hartman

Best Anchor - Tanya O'Rourke, WCPO
Tanya O'Rourke

Mike Dardis Composite, WLWT
Michael Dardis

41B Anchor - Weather

Andrew Buck Michael: Weather Compilation, WSYX / WTTE
Andrew Buck Michael

Meteorologist Jude Redfield Composite Weather, WDRB
Jude Redfield

Bill Kelly - Chief Meteorologist, WSYX
Bill Kelly

41C Reporter

Gilbert Corsey-Reporter, WDRB TV
Gilbert Corsey

Boel News Reporter Composite, wave
John Boel

For My Wife And My Son, WBNS
Bryant Somerville

TV Storytelling, WSYX
Mike McCarthy

Hamrick Composite, WLWT
Brian Hamrick

Chris Williams Composite, WHAS11
Chris Williams

Composite, WSAZ
Dan Klein

41D Reporter - Features/Human Interest

Chris Sutter Composite, WDRB
Chris Sutter

Feature Storytelling, WSYX/WTTE
Mike McCarthy

41E Reporter - Investigative

Law and Disorder, WCPO-TV
Craig Cheatham

Bennett Haeberle - Investigative Reporter, WBNS-TV
Bennett Haeberle

Gilbert Corsey-Investigative Reporter, WDRB TV
Gilbert Corsey

41F Sports (Talent)

2017 Sports, WBNS
Dave Holmes

Kent Taylor - Composite, WAVE-TV
Kent Taylor

Jerod Smalley 2017, WCMH-TV
Jerod Smalley

Small Towns, Big Moments, WHAS11
Whitney Higaki

The Personal Side of Sports, WLWT-TV
Elise Jesse

41G Performer

**There were no nominees in this category.

41H Program Host/Moderator/Narrator

Matt Jones, Host of "Hey Kentucky!", WLEX-TV
Matthew Jones

42A Director - Live or Recorded Live

FRIENDS LIKE YOU, Episode #909, "She's a Woman", Asbury University
Doug Smart

Music Comes Home, WCPO
Peter Kasprzycki

Kentucky Derby 143, WLEX
Chelsea Gorham, Paul Wolf

Classic Uggams: Live From the Victoria Theatre, ThinkTV
Julie Davis

42B Director - Newscast

WDRB News - Tom Jurich Speaks, WDRB
Kyle Lizenby

42C Director - Non-Live (Post-Produced)

Our Town: Jackson, WOUB
Evan Shaw

Achieve Ability, Wavelength Films
Dave Docimo

Awaited, Crossroads Church
David Ashbrock

42D Director – Short Form

**There were no nominees in this category.

43A Writer - News

Pistols In The Pews, Today's Special, Bargain Properties, WHAS11 News
John Charlton

Boel News Writer Composite, wave
John Boel

Story Time with Mike, WSYX/WTTE
Mike McCarthy

43B Writer - Program

Rise Together- Writer, Spectrum
Alison Momeyer

Our Town: Jackson, WOUB
Evan Shaw

43C Writer - Short Form

CREATIVE WRITER COMPOSITE, WDRB
Scott Brady

Ryan Rutman - The Perfect House, Tanner+West
Jason Tanner

Cotton Bowl Poetry Jam, WBNS
Dave Holmes

10 Investigates Special Reports, WBNS-10TV Marketing
Larry Watzman, Jenny Dolph, Ted Nekic, Michael Moon

Dayton Children's Hospital - Tall Tales Neuro, Boom Crate Studios
Kelly M. Mercer, Brian Mercer

Selena Reder - Writer Composite, WKRC
Selena Reder

44A Editor - News

Composite, WAVE
Steven Richard

John Timm News Editor Composite, WTHI
John Timm

LEX18 Original- Karen Brown: Breaking Her Silence, WLEX
Dave Medley

Reid Bolton - Editor, WLKY
Reid Bolton

44B Editor - Program

Rise Together: FC Cincinnati, Spectrum Sports
Bryan Levin

The Art Show: Cervilio Amador, WCET
Michael Seppelt

Bluegrass & Backroads - Camp Quality, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios
Austin Anderson

Bluegrass & Backroads - Bluegrass Honor Flight, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios
Austin Anderson

Hell is Real - Ohio Derby Recap, 4th Floor Creative
Marc Graham

Put Out the Fire - Chicago Fire Recap, 4th Floor Creative
Marc Graham

Split Decision, The 5 Stones Group
Mike Edwards

44C Editor - Short Form

Editor Composite, WCPO 9 On Your Side
Paul Harper

Xavier Men's Basketball Intro Video - White Version, 4th Floor Creative
Shane Harrison

Briar Rabbit Shooting Sports, WHIZ-TV
Nathan Zangmeister

Tim Fair Composite, WKRC
Tim Fair

Kentucky Farm Bureau Lead Where You Stand, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios
Austin Anderson

Nishan Gilmet Editor Composite, WLWT
Nishan Gilmet

45A Photographer - News

John Timm News Photographer Composite, WTHI
John Timm

My Favorite Stories, WDRB
Dominik Fuhrmann

Tom Round - TV News Photographer, WDRB
Tom Round

45B Photographer - Program

Bluegrass & Backroads - Bluegrass Honor Flight, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios
Matt Hilton, Austin Anderson

Our Ohio - Bucyrus Copper Kettle Works, ThinkTV
Joe Crane

Cinematography, Born To dp Films
De'Niel Phipps

Forgotten Louisville - Photography, WLKY
Scott Eckhardt

45C Photographer - Short Form

OWB - Magic in the Air, Tanner+West
David Grinnell

PROMO COMPOSITE, WDRB
Josh Kidd

We The People, Wavelength Films
Chris Weatherly

Kentucky Farm Bureau Lead Where You Stand, Kentucky Farm Bureau Studios
Matt Hilton, Austin Anderson

45D Video Essay (Single Camera Only)

Flick Flick, WLEX
Brian Gilbert

Prosthetic gives 150-pound dog a new leg on life, WCPO Digital
Emily Maxwell

Dreams On Horseback, Ondo Media
John Ondo

46 Graphic Arts

MedMyne, Oculus Studios
Jordan Hill

Allsports - Back to School, Oculus Studios
Jordan Hill

Comfort Heating and Air - Furnace, Oculus Studios
Jordan Hill

Justice Dental - Branding Evolution, justicedental.com
Jordan Hill

47 Audio

Briar Rabbit Shooting Sports, WHIZ-TV
Nathan Zangmeister, Aaron Yerian, Karysa Kent

Classic Uggams: Live from the Victoria Theatre, Think TV
James Dunlap

Lost River Sessions - Audio - Composite, WKU PBS
Jeff Petrocelli, Sam Holaday

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