



2024 Recipients

News Feature - Light Feature

Happy Gilmore, WDRB

Chris Sutter, Dominik Fuhrmann

News Feature - Serious Feature

From Drug House to Recovery House, WAVE

John Boel, Marc Wilson

Arts/Entertainment/News

Ken Clay The Man Behind the Music Scene in Louisville during the Civil Rights

Movement WHAS

Sherlene Shanklin

Human Interest - News (single shift)

Angel in the Outfield, WAVE

David Ochoa

Bald, Beautiful & Brave, WLWT

Sheree Paoello, John Massey

Human Interest - News (no production time limit)

A Father's Final Gift, WXIX

Joe Danneman

Human Interest - Short or Long Form Content

To Love and Be Loved, Make-A-Wish Ohio, Kentucky & Indiana

Katie Ferrell McDonough, Matthew Smith

C.Smith A Greatest Living Cincinnatian, RESLV

Scott Thompson, Steve May, Molly Henderson

Lifestyle – News

The Great Candy Corn Debate, WSYX/WTTE

Cameron Fontana

Lifestyle - Short or Long Form Content

Eat, Play, Stay: Cincinnati, Very Local

Michael Callahan, Clint Durrett, Bryan Kerr

Crossroads: Starlight, WDRB

Tom Round, Dalton Godbey

Graphic Arts

The Macro, Surreal and Nostalgia, WDRB

Thomas (TJ) Grant, Mike Petrig

Audio (Live or Post-Produced)

Cincinnati Reds - City Connect, 4th Floor Creative

Connor Leupp

ROMP Music Festival - Composite, WKU PBS

Jeff Petrocelli

Musical Composition/Arrangement

Great New Day, WDRB

Scott Brady, Jen Ipsan, Randy Wachtler, Haden Wachtler

Set Design

KFB Studios, Kentucky Farm Bureau

Michael Corrigan, Matt Hilton, Austin Anderson, Dan Smaldone, Jon Rutherford, Joel Roy, Laurie Deschaine, Kelly Gottesman, John Trupiano

Lighting (Studio or Location)

988: Be The Lifeline, Oculus Studios

Whit Bussey

Technical Achievement

Live. Cameras. ACTION!, WSYX/WTTE

Cameron Fontana

Informational/Instructional - Short or Long Form Content

Dr. B in 3: Behind the Scenes, COSI

Tony Auseon, Tres Carter, Bethany Trang, Dave Buker, Alyssa Cassabaum-Smith, PhD, Marci Howdyshell, PhD, Dr. Frederic Bertley

Interview/Discussion - Short or Long Form Content

Come Have Coffee - Zac Taylor, WCPO

Paul Grundy, Michelle Hopkins

Great Conversations: Jill Lepore, Jamie Raskin, KET

Thomas Bickel

Documentary - Cultural/Topical

Connected: The Story of the Seemingly Impossible Separation of Conjoined Twins Pedro and Augusto

Dayton Children's Hospital

Blow: The True Story of Cocaine, a Bear and a Crooked Kentucky Cop , WAVE

Natalia Martinez, Scott Isaacs, Jonny Trego, Kris Baete, Jenelle Shriner

Documentary - Historical/Nostalgia

A Higher Law: The Oberlin-Wellington Rescue of 1858, Production Partners Media

Scott Spears, Christina Paolucci

Magazine Program

VOICES | Keep on Growing, Kentucky Farm Bureau

Michael Corrigan, Matt Hilton

Public Affairs Program

Let's Talk Cincy: Cincinnati's Homeless Crisis, WLW

Courtis Fuller, David Seals, Tim Rosewood, Brandon Oubre

Arts Entertainment - Short or Long Form Content

Red Stewart Airfield: Shapes in the Sky, CET

Zachary Kramer

Entertainment - Short or Long Form Content

Black History Honors The National Underground Railroad Freedom Center, Zomotion Pictures

Alphonzo Wesson, Don Jackson, Jennifer Jackson, Teresa Hairston-Jackson, Michael Johnson, Kacie Champion, Woodrow Keown, Jr.

\$martPath: Plan For Every Season

Julie Heath, Michael Raymer, Megan Piphus, Gabriel Wimberly

Live News Producer

Let's Get Visual! WLWT

Marcelle Peters

Writer – News

Tales of the Bluegrass, WDRB

Dalton Godbey

Writer - Short or Long Form Content

WV Waterfall Trail, Marshall University

Dan Hollis

Reporter - Daily News

Cassy Arsenault Reports, WKRC

Cassandra Arsenault

Reporter – Investigative

Duane Pohlman, Investigative Reporter, WKRC

Duane Pohlman

Boel Investigative Composite, WAVE

John Boel

Reporter/Specialty Assignment

Boel Special Assignment Composite, WAVE

John Boel

The Exhumation That Ended A Cold Case Mystery, WCHS

Leslie Rubin

Performer/Narrator

The City That Sings: Cincinnati's May Festival, ThinkTV

Dan Nachtrab

Program Host/Moderator/Correspondent

Crossroads, WDRB

Dalton Godbey

Anchor/Reporter – Sports

2023 Anchoring, WBNS

David Holmes

Anchor – Weather

Weather Anchor, WSYX/WTTE

Marshall McPeck

Anchor – News

Scott Reynolds Composite, WDRB

Scott Reynolds

Child/Youth (12 and Under)

\$martPath: Fun & Bowling, CET

Julie Heath, Michael Raymer, Megan Piphus

Education/Schools – News

The Price of Protection, WXIX

Ken Brown

Education/Schools - Short or Long Form Content

Parker's Playground, Vehr Communications

Douglas Brown, Michael Davison

Diversity/ Equity/Inclusion – News

Food Insecurity, WHAS

Alyssa Newton, Lena Duncan, Eric King, Joseph Garcia

Bullies on the State Board, WHAS

Shay McAlister, Phillip Murrell

Diversity/Equity/Inclusion - Short or Long Form Content

Visit Ashland | C.B. Nuckolls Black History Museum, Justin Skeens Films

Justin Skeens, Eric Sanders, Sean Hall

Historical/ Cultural/Nostalgia – News

Derby Traditions Rooted in Lincoln County, WDRB

Stuart Hammer, Dalton Godbey

Historical/Cultural/Nostalgia - Short or Long Form Content

An Everlasting Flame | Ken Riley, Cincinnati Bengals

Shea Stephenson

Business/Consumer/Technology – News

The Death of DVDs, WKRC

Cassandra Arsenault, Bryan Dykes, Richard Henry

Business/Consumer/Technology - Short or Long Form Content

Dr. B in 3: The Rise of Generative A.I., COSI

Dr. Frederic Bertley, Dave Buker, Bethany Trang, Marci Howdysshell, PhD, Alyssa Cassabaum-Smith, PhD, Tony Auseon

Crime/Justice – News

The Untouchables, WAVE

John Boel

One Case, Three Traumas, WHAS

John Charlton

Societal Concerns – News

Train Wreck Tragedy: Graniteville's Past May Be East Palestine's Future, Spectrum News Ohio

Brandon Coello Amaya, Charles Ringwalt

Societal Concerns - Short or Long Form Content

The Story is Not Over: Abdelrahman Elaraby, University of Louisville

Andrew Osborn, JB Allen, Ricky Logan

Military - News (single shift)

Walking to Save Veterans, WLEX

Sean Moody, Brian Stahl

Military - News (no production time limit)

The Military Told Us a Lie, WDRB

Hayden Ristevski, Darius Bowie

Military - Short or Long Form Content

84 Strong, WHAS

Jessica Farley, Brooke Hasch

Politics/Government – News

A Councilman's Claim, WDRB

Stuart Hammer, Dalton Godbey, Jason Riley

Politics/Government - Short or Long Form Content

Your Voice / Your Future-Issue One, WSYX/WTTE

Robert Kendrick, Darrel Rowland, Rodney Dunigan, Teresa Riley

Health/Medical - Short or Long Form Content

A Journey Through Alzheimer's, WCMH

Jennifer Kiser, Colleen Marshall

Environment/Science/Health/Medical – News

CTE: Younger Than We Thought, WKRC

Duane Pohlman

Dental Death, WDRB

Stuart Hammer, Valerie Chinn

Environment/Science - Short or Long Form Content

Dr. B in 3: Dark Matter, COSI

Dr. Frederic Bertley, Dave Buker, Bethany Trang, Marci Howdysshell, PhD, Alyssa Cassabaum-Smith, PhD, Tony Auseon

Weather

Flying Pig, WLWT

Stephanie Bruner, Randi Rico, John Massey

Morning, Daytime or Weekend Newscast

Good Day Columbus: The MLS Cup Comes to Columbus, WSYX/WTTE

Tyler Corbit, Melissa Snider, Spencer Charlton, Jacqueline Orozco, Tom Bosco, Cameron Fontana, Benjamin Green

Celebrating the Champions: Good Day Columbus at the Crew Victory Parade, WSYX/WTTE

Tyler Corbit, Jessica Ralston, Tom Bosco, Spencer Charlton, Benjamin Green

Evening Newscast

WDRB News at 10 - Old National Bank Mass Shooting, WDRB

Rod Hissong, Gilbert Corsey, Lindsay Allen

WDRB News at 10 - LMPD DOJ Consent Decree, WDRB

Thomas Gleaton, Gilbert Corsey, Fallon Glick

Daily News Report (single shift)
Closing Arguments in the Abby Michaels Trial, WXIX
Ken Brown

Hard News Report (no time limit)

Tonini's Dual Roles, WAVE

Mark Stevens

News Special

Remembering Jerry Springer, WLWT

Courtis Fuller, David Seals, Ashley Kirklen, Mike Dardis, Sheree Paoello

Continuing Coverage

Years of Police Misconduct Caught up to LMPD, WDRB

Gilbert Corsey, Conroy Delouche, Travis Ragsdale, Greg Schapker, Hayden Ristevski, Valerie Chinn, Stuart Hammer, Gabrielle DeGeorge

Catching Contraband on America's Hidden Border, WKRC

Duane Pohlman

Team Coverage

Old National Bank Shooting, WDRB

Scott Reynolds, Monica Harkins, Hayden Ristevski, Gilbert Corsey, Cara Catlett, Christie Battista, Dalton Godbey, Katrina Nickell, Conroy Delouche, Elise Martino

Breaking News

Old National Bank Shooting, WDRB

Candyce Clifft, Sterling Riggs, Dalton Godbey, Monica Harkins, Brandi Utley, Abby Bauerla, Chris Turner, Joel Schipper, Cara Sabin, Mike Dever

Breaking News: The Tusky Valley Tragedy, WSYX/WTTE

Stephen Kappas, Stuart Osborne, Jessica Ralston, Kurt Ludlow, Kate Siefert, Katie Mckee, Ben Green, Christopher Baggs, José Ballón, Terri Sullivan, Tyler Corbit

Investigative - Single Report

Toxic Trains, WHIO

John Bedell

Investigative - Multiple Reports

Unguarded: Dangerous Guardrails, WHAS

John Charlton, Phillip Murrell

Branded Content - Short Form

Cincinnati Reds - City Connect, 4th Floor Creative

Marc Graham, Tom Gelehrter, Krista Schauder, Kirk Hanselmann, Peyton Monnell, Connor Leupp, Brennen Warner, Jami Patton, Nicholas Steinbach

Public Service Announcement (Single Spot or Campaign)

988: Be the Lifeline, Oculus Studios

Brock Smith, Whit Bussey

Commercial (Single Spot or Campaign)

Ale-8-One Musical, Eppic Films

Jason Epperson

News Promotion - Topical (Single Spot)

Courtis. Cancer. Let's Talk About Your Health, WLWT

Pete Salkowski, Kerri Hoffman, Madeline Moores

News Promotion - Image (Single Spot)

WLWT Storm Tracker Fleet Launch, WLWT

Madeline Moores, Kerri Hoffman, Jason Houston, Nichole Xiao, Pete Salkowski, Jacob Hills

News Promotion - Image (Single Spot)

2023 Year Ender, WLKY

Troy McDonald

News Promotion (Campaign)

Homefront with the Navy, WCPO

Paul Harper

Promotion - Non-News

The Football Fever Superfan, WSYX/WTTE

Eric Stewart, Greg Cellino, Clay Hall

Long Form Promotional Spot

Remembering Ollie, Weatherly Films

Chris Weatherly

Sports Story – News

Chasing 1975, WCPO

Raymond Pfeffer, Marshall Kramsky

Sports Story - Short or Long Form Content

From Cowboy to Bengal - Logan Wilson's Journey, Cincinnati Bengal

Marisa Contipelli, Will Laterza, Luke Johnson

Sports Program

Behind the Battle, Columbus Blue Jackets

Jonathan DeMuth, Derek Dawley, Donny DiCaprio, Patrick Cantwell, Andrew Hookman, Marcus Stephenson, Anthony LaRosa

Bengals Weekly AFC Championship Playoff Special, Cincinnati Bengals

Marisa Contipelli, Shea Stephenson, Kevin Barnett, Chris Renkel

Sports - One-Time Special

Behind the Battle: Zach Werenski's Road to Recovery, Columbus Blue Jackets

Jonathan DeMuth

Sports Open/Tease

2023 FC Cincinnati Intro Video, 4th Floor Creative

Marc Graham, Kirk Hanselmann, Krista Schauder, Connor Leupp, Peyton Monnell, Brennen Warner, Tom Gelehrter, Andy Torres

Xavier Basketball Intro - Winter is Coming, 4th Floor Creative

Marc Graham, Kirk Hanselmann, Tom Gelehrter, Peyton Monnell, Connor Leupp, Krista Schauder

Special Event Coverage (Live or Edited)

Surviving the Floods: Eastern Kentucky Rebuilds, Spectrum News Kentucky

Kody Conaway, Cris Mullen, Jonathon Gregg, Mason Brighton, Erin Kelly, Sabriel Metcalf

Live Sporting Event/ Game or Season

Columbus Blue Jackets Hockey, Bally Sports

Tom Farmer, Joel Goodling, Brian Filippetti, Dave Bachman, Jeff Rimer, Jody Shelley

Director

UC Basketball Composite, University of Cincinnati

Joe Brackman

Editor – News

Navy Week, WCPO

Raymond Pfeffer

Stuart Hammer - Editing Composite, WDRB

Stuart Hammer

Editor - Spot Announcement

Editing Composite, WLWT

Kerri Hoffman

Editor - Short or Long Form Content

The Art Show: Red Stewart Airfield, CET

Michael Seppelt

Photographer - News or Sports

Put the Jo in Phojo, WHAS

Alyssa Newton

Photographer - Short or Long Form Content

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Whit Bussey

Capturing Community, WDRB

Tom Round

Video Essayist

The Wright Stuff 2023, WDTN

Kris Sproles

Multimedia Journalist

This One's for You, Mike

Austin Pollack

Community Service

Operation Save a Life, WLWT

Jeffrey Bencoter

News Excellence

WHAS11 Louisville, WHAS

Christopher Gegg

Overall Excellence

WDRB The Source, WDRB

Dale Woods