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Awards 2023
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THE JUDGES' NOMINATIONS 2023

TALENT

ON SCREEN TALENT

Award for outstanding on-screen talent featured in a production, scripted or non scripted

• Presenter • Journalist • Show Host • Interviewer • Commentator • Cast member

WINNER Bertie Gregory

Epic Adventures with Bertie Gregory

Rhianne Barreto

The Outlaws

Tala Gouveia

McDonald & Dodds

Jessica Brown Findlay

The Flatshare

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FLYING FUTURES

This Award recognises outstanding emerging talent in any part of the behind-the-camera production process

WINNER Abdimalik Abdullahi

Drummer TV

Bethany Staley

BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Rebecca Durbin

Mammoth Screen

Samantha Stafford

Evolutions Bristol

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Factual
Entertainment

PRODUCTIONS



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PRODUCTION

SCRIPTED

Award for best scripted content – for example serial or single drama, comedy, comedy-drama, one off special and returning series

WINNER The Outlaws

Big Talk Productions and Four Eyes Entertainment

The Fence

Red Anchor Films

The Flatshare

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NATURAL HISTORY

Award for excellence in the production of Natural History Programme or Series

WINNER The Green Planet

BBC Studios Natural History Unit, The Open University, bilibili, ZDF German Television, France Télévisions and NHK

Prehistoric Planet

BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Dynasties II

BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Epic Adventures with Bertie Gregory

Wildstar Films

FACTUAL

Award for excellence in the production of Factual Programme/Content or Series including Popular and Specialist Factual • Science • Religion • History • Adventure • Arts

WINNER Trawlermen: Hunting the Catch

Frank Films

Murder in the Valleys

Five Mile Films

Britain's Secret War Babies

Wall to Wall West

My Hometown: Jayde Adams, Coming Home

BBC England

DOCUMENTARY

Award for excellence in the production of Documentary Programme/Content or Series

WINNER Drugsland – Going Country

Marble Films

Lion: The Rise and Fall of the Marsh Pride

BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Aids: The Unheard Tapes

Wall to Wall West

Drain the Oceans

Mallinson Sadler Productions

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FACTUAL ENTERTAINMENT AND FEATURES

Award for excellence in the production of Features and Factual Entertainment Programme/Content or Series including • Lifestyle • Entertainment • Food and Drink

WINNER The Dog House

Five Mile Films

You, Me, Garden?

Drummer TV

Back in Time for Birmingham

Wall to Wall West

Sign2Win

Drummer TV

CHILDREN'S

Award for excellence in the production of Factual and Entertainment Programme/Content or Series or Animation, produced for the children's audience and broadcast during children's airtime.

WINNER The Last Bus

Wildseed Studios

Lloyd of the Flies

Aardman

FYI Investigates: Escape from Ukraine

Fresh Start Media Bristol

Gym Stars

Drummer TV

ANIMATION

Award for the best animated Programme/Content or Series, broadcast on any platform. This category includes stop motion animation, CG animation and 2D drawn animation.

WINNER Sesame Street: The Nutcracker Starring Elmo and Tango

Sesame Workshop & A Productions

Warhammer: Hammer & Bolter

Sun & Moon Studios, Farside Features

SHORT FORM

Award for short form content, premiered on an online/and or broadcast platform - in any genre - 20 minutes max - non scripted and scripted singles or series.

WINNER After the After Party, Calling the Shots

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CRAFT

DIRECTOR

Award for Best Director or Producer of a Programme or Series, in any genre.

WINNER John Butler

The Outlaws, Big Talk Productions and Four Eyes Entertainment

Paul Williams, Peter Bassett, Rosie Thomas, Elisabeth Oakham

The Green Planet, BBC Studios Natural History Unit, with The Open University, bilibili, ZDF German Television, France Télévisions and NHK

Drew Casson

The Last Bus, Wildseed Studios

Mark Henderson

Aids: The Unheard Tapes, Wall to Wall West

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EDITING

Award for best editing of a programme or series across all genres.

WINNER Editing Team

The Green Planet, BBC Studios Natural History Unit, with The Open University, bilibili, ZDF German Television, France Télévisions and NHK

Angela Maddick

Dynasties II, BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Editing Team

Trawlermen: Hunting the Catch, Frank Films

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SOUND

Award for best use of sound including sound design, recording and dubbing, in any genre.

WINNER Sound Team

The Green Planet, BBC Studios Natural History Unit, with The Open University, bilibili, ZDF German Television, France Télévisions and NHK

Benjamin J. Jones

Earth's Great Rivers, Doghouse Post Production for BBC Studios

Paul Donovan, Adam Palmer, Alex Short, George Fry

Aids: The Unheard Tapes, Films at 59 for Wall to Wall West

Will Norie, Paul Ackerman

Epic Adventures with Bertie Gregory, Evolutions for Wildstar Films

Kate Hopkins, Graham Wild, Paul Ackerman, Tim Owens

Frozen Planet II, Wounded Buffalo Sound Studios for BBC Studios Natural History Unit and BBC America, France Télévisions, ZDF and The Open University

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CINEMATOGRAPHY

Award for best camerawork and photography; including lighting camera or camera operation, in any genre.

WINNER Cinematography Team

The Green Planet, BBC Studios Natural History Unit, The Open University, bilibili, ZDF German Television, France Télévisions and NHK

John Shier

Dynasties II, BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Jamie McPherson, Mathieu Dumond, Alex Vail, Bertie Gregory

Frozen Planet II, BBC Studios Natural History Unit with BBC America, France Télévisions, ZDF and The Open University

Brad Bestelink

Surviving Paradise: A Family Tale, Wild Space Productions in association with Natural History Film Unit Botswana and Freeborne Media

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VFX AND DIGITAL CREATIVITY

Award for professional excellence in the field of visual effects and digital innovation across all genres.

WINNER Lindsay MacFarlane, Elliot Newman, Fay Hancocks,

Andrew R. Jones

Prehistoric Planet, BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Simon Clarke, Graham Stott, Alex Dilworth, Tom Downes

The Green Planet Title Sequence, Moonraker VFX for BBC Studios Natural History Unit, The Open University, bilibili, ZDF German Television, France Télévisions and NHK

Alex Dilworth, Matt Denne, Scott Metcalfe, Jon Grafton

History 101, Moonraker VFX for ITN Productions

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GRADING

Award for best film grading and picture enhancement, in any genre.

WINNER Simon Bland

Dynasties II, Films at 59 for BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Tony Osborne

The Last Bus, Films at 59 for Wildseed Studios

Simon Bland

Prehistoric Planet, Films at 59 for BBC Studios Natural History Unit

Michael Lansdell

Race & Medical Experiments: What's the Truth? Doghouse Post Production for Uplands Television

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COMPOSER

Award for best composition of original music, in any genre.

WINNER Jim Cornick and Matt Loveridge

Rendezvous with the Future, BBC Science

William Goodchild

Surviving Paradise : A Family Tale, Wild Space Productions

Paul Honey

The People's Piazza: A History of Covent Garden, Uplands Television

Joseph Trapanese

America the Beautiful, Wildstar Films

PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT

This award is for roles such as Production Manager, Line Producer, Production Executive or Head of Production in any genre.

WINNER Megan Pinches

Trawlermen: Hunting the Catch, Frank Films

Vic Ribeck

America the Beautiful: Land of Heroes, Wildstar Films

Production Management Team

The Green Planet, BBC Studios Natural History Unit, The Open University, bilibili, ZDF German Television, France Télévisions and NHK

Helen Wallbank

Our Changing Planet, BBC Studios

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NEWS

NEWS OR CURRENT AFFAIRS JOURNALIST

This award recognises strong investigative and reactive journalism, and is open to any journalist or reporter working on regional, national, international or digital formats.

WINNER Beth McLeod

We Are England, BBC

Robert Murphy

ITV News West Country

Jacqueline Bird

ITV News West Country

Max Walsh

ITV News West Country

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NEWS OR CURRENT AFFAIRS STORY

*An award for a **single** news/current affairs report or news/current affairs item which stands out and demonstrates a high standard of journalism, production and technical delivery.*

WINNER Decoy

ITV News West Country

When the Boats Come In

BBC England

The Murder of Bobbi-Anne McLeod

ITV News West Country

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