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CINE Announces 58th CINE Golden Eagle Awards for Professional Media Recipients and Finalists

Award winners include top industry films, series and documentaries

Washington, DC - CINE is proud to announce the recipients of the 58th CINE Golden Eagle Awards for Professional Media. One of the nation's oldest industry awards, the CINE Golden Eagle Awards were reimagined in 2014 as a revolutionary, modern media honor — a transparent, juried process to honor originality and storytelling in media across genres and distribution platforms.

"I'm really proud of the incredible productions that our jurors chose," said Bill Gardner, CINE President and Vice President of Programming and Development for PBS. "When we envisioned the 'new' CINE Golden Eagle Awards, we wanted to create a model that's focused on honoring unique, extraordinary media — work that really breaks the mold and inspires our fellow industry members. I'm thrilled by the response, and I can't wait to congratulate everyone in person."

Review panels evaluated each awards submission, and a [distinguished jury of media industry professionals](#) was tasked with selecting the Golden Eagle Award recipients and naming up to five finalists in each category. To emphasize transparency, CINE's evaluation criteria — emphasizing storytelling and originality of production and presentation — is published online, and everyone who submitted work for consideration receives the comments of the review and jury panels.

CINE will honor those recognized — as well as the recipients and finalists of the 58th Golden Eagle Awards for Independent and Student Media, which will be announced this summer — at CINE Celebrates networking parties in New York, Washington, DC and Los Angeles in October. CINE will also welcome local media students and honored alumni at each event, so media makers at every skill level can gather to celebrate and share.

To read more about the Golden Eagle Award recipients and finalists, visit www.cine.org/professional.

2015 CINE Golden Eagle Awards for Professional Media

Golden Eagle Finalists listed alphabetically

Narrative Content: Series/Mini-Series
Episodes of 30:01 Minutes or Longer

Golden Eagle Award

HANNIBAL

Dino De Laurentiis Company and Living Dead Guy Productions in Association with Gaumont International
Television

NBC (US), AX, Sky Living (UK) and City TV (Canada)

Golden Eagle Finalists

GIRLFRIENDS' GUIDE TO DIVORCE

Tiny Pyro Productions and Universal Cable Productions
Bravo Media

ORPHAN BLACK

Temple Street Productions and Bell Media
BBCA

Narrative Content: Series/Mini-Series
Episodes of 30:00 Minutes or Less

Golden Eagle Award

60-SECOND PRESIDENTS

PBS LearningMedia and Kornhaber Brown

Golden Eagle Finalist

MOM

Chuck Lorre Productions, Inc. in association with Warner Bros. Television
CBS

Narrative Content:
Feature — Live Action

Golden Eagle Award

A MOST VIOLENT YEAR

A24

Golden Eagle Finalists

BIG EYES

The Weinstein Company

THE IMITATION GAME

The Weinstein Company

ST. VINCENT

The Weinstein Company

Narrative Content:

Short — Animation

Golden Eagle Award

SEEING THE INVISIBLE

Funded by the Howard Hughes Medical Institute

A film by SWEET FERN Productions

Golden Eagle Finalist

THE NATURE OF WAR

StoryCorps and The Rauch Brothers

PBS

Nonfiction Content:

Series/Mini-Series — Episodes of 30:01 Minutes or Longer

Golden Eagle Award

MORGAN SPURLOCK: INSIDE MAN

CNN

Golden Eagle Finalists

ANTHONY BOURDAIN: PARTS UNKNOWN

Zero Point Zero Productions

CNN

NY MED

ABC News

THE ROOSEVELTS

Florentine Films

WETA

PBS

THIS IS LIFE WITH LISA LING

CNN

Nonfiction Content:

Series/Mini-Series — Episodes of 30:00 Minutes or Less

Golden Eagle Award

WE THE ECONOMY

Vulcan Productions and Cinelan

Golden Eagle Finalists

INSIDE THE FIGHT FOR KOBANI

CNN

THE PALEO WAY WITH CHEF PETE EVANS

Seven Network Australia

Endemol

THE PLACE WE LIVE IN

August Pictures Pte Ltd

Singapore MediaCorp Channel 8

Nonfiction Content:

Feature — Current Affairs or Investigations

Golden Eagle Award

E-TEAM

Big Mouth Productions and Red Light Films

Netflix

Golden Eagle Finalists

ALIVE INSIDE

Projector Media and Artemis Rising Films

City Drive Films, Netflix, MTuckman Media, Bond 360 and Yekra

AMERICA REFRAMED: RACHEL IS

American Documentary Inc.
WORLD Channel

BLACKFISH

Our Turn Productions
CNN Films

DOCUMENTED

Apo Anak Productions
CNN Films

Nonfiction Content:
Feature — Environment and Science

Golden Eagle Award

TRULY STRANGE: THE SECRET LIFE OF BREASTS

Genepool Productions and SBS Australia
Smithsonian Channel

Golden Eagle Finalists

AMERICA REFRAMED: COME HELL OR HIGH WATER

American Documentary, Inc.
WORLD Channel

BIGGER THAN T.REX

A Production of NOVA/WGBH Boston and National Geographic Studios in association with National
Geographic Channels International and ZDF
PBS

MASS EXTINCTION: LIFE AT THE BRINK

Tangled Bank Studios and Holt Productions
Smithsonian Channel

NATURE: SNOW MONKEYS

Pontecorvo Productions and THIRTEEN Productions LLC for National Geographic Channel, Sky Vision
and WNET
PBS

NATURE: TOUCHING THE WILD

Passion Planet and THIRTEEN Productions LLC for WNET
PBS

Nonfiction Content:
Feature — Historical Events and Biographies

Golden Eagle Award

LIFE ITSELF

CNN Films

Golden Eagle Finalists

AMERICAN EXPERIENCE: FREEDOM SUMMER

A Firelight Films production for AMERICAN EXPERIENCE

COLD CASE: JFK

A NOVA Production by Lone Wolf Media for WGBH/Boston

INSIDE THE HUNT FOR THE BOSTON BOMBERS

RAW TV

National Geographic Channel

WHITEY: THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA V. JAMES J. BULGER

CNN Films

ZEPPELIN TERROR ATTACK

Produced by Windfall Films Ltd. for NOVA/WGBH Boston in association with Channel 4 and National Geographic Channels

Nonfiction Content:

Short — Documentary

Golden Eagle Award

LAST CHANCE HIGH

VICE Media

Golden Eagle Finalists

GREAT TRANSITIONS — THE ORIGINS OF HUMAN

Funded and Produced by the Howard Hughes Medical Institute
A film by Rob Whittlesey

STRUGGLE AND TRIUMPH: THE LEGACY OF GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER

Signature Communications for the National Park Service

WORLD SPORTS PRESENTS: JOURNEY OF THE GAY ATHLETE
CNN

Nonfiction Content:
Short — News Program

Golden Eagle Award

NIGHTLINE: THE WAR FOR PARADISE
ABC News

Golden Eagle Finalists

CNN INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS: CRISIS AT THE VA
CNN

HIRED GUNS
CNN and The Center for Investigative Reporting

WORLD WITHOUT HATE
Thirteen WNET
PBS

Children's Programming:
Series/Mini-Series

Golden Eagle Award

LILY'S DRIFTWOOD BAY
Sixteen South
Sprout (USA), Nick Jr (UK), ABC (Australia) and TVNZ (New Zealand)
The Jim Henson Company

Golden Eagle Finalists

60-SECOND PRESIDENTS
PBS LearningMedia and Kornhaber Brown

JIM HENSON'S DOOZERS
The Jim Henson Company
Hulu

OUR CAMERAS, OUR STORIES

Downtown Community Television Center, Inc.
Thirteen WNET

Children's Programming:

Short — Live Action, Animation or Nonfiction

Golden Eagle Award

FRIENDS OR FOES?

Rice Film Co. Ltd.
Public Television Service Foundation (PTS)

Golden Eagle Finalists

HELLO! MR. MAYOR

Public Television Service Foundation (PTS)

LOST TREASURE HUNT

Argosy Film Group for American Public Television

Variety, Talk Shows and Special Events:

Series/Mini-Series — Episodes of 30:01 Minutes or Longer

Golden Eagle Award

SUPER SOUL SUNDAY

Harpo Studios
OWN: Oprah Winfrey Network

Variety, Talk Shows and Special Events:

Special or Live Event

Golden Eagle Award

CANADA'S WALK OF FAME 2014

Insight Production Company Ltd.
Shaw Media

Golden Eagle Finalists

2014 NATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY CONCERT

Capital Concerts, Inc.
PBS

A CAPITOL FOURTH 2014

Capital Concerts, Inc.
PBS

THE JUNO AWARDS 2014

Insight Production Company Ltd.
Bell Media

Advertising, Marketing and Institutional Productions:
Complementary Productions — Museums or Exhibits, Special Features,
Meetings or Conferences

Golden Eagle Award

“ANNE’S ROOM” — MUSEUM OF TOLERANCE

Cortina Productions
Museum of Tolerance

Golden Eagle Finalists

CAMBRIDGE AMERICAN CEMETERY INTERPRETIVE FILM

Aperture Films, Ltd.
American Battle Monuments Commission

D-DAY: INVASION AT NORMANDY

Aperture Films, Ltd.
The National World War II Museum

THE INTREPID: DISCOVERING LINCOLN’S BALLOON CORPS

NorthLight Productions
The Genesee Country Village and Museum of Mumford, New York
WXXI-TV

Advertising, Marketing and Institutional Productions:
Public Service Announcements and Non-Profit Promotion

Golden Eagle Award

**CHILDHOOD INTERRUPTED:
UNRAVELING THE MYSTERY OF AUTISM**

Backfin Media
Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health

Golden Eagle Finalists

AUTUMN JOURNEY

Citygate Films
Opera North, Inc. and the Department of Behavioral Health and disAbility Services

CRISIS GROUP: ON THE FRONTLINES

Storywise LLC
International Crisis Group

MY LIFE HAS BEEN TRANSFORMED

Off Ramp Films

**Advertising, Marketing and Institutional Productions:
Advertising and Corporate Branding**

Golden Eagle Award

STRIP THE COSMOS — AD SALES UPFRONT TAPE

Science Channel

Golden Eagle Finalists

MAN VS. THE UNIVERSE PROMO

Science Channel

THE THANK YOU PROJECT

Strong Films
Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children

PORSCHE AT LE MANS

Kemper Kommunikation GmbH and bee Film GmbH
Dr. Ing. h.c. F. Porsche AG

THE TONIGHT SHOW WITH JIMMY FALLON FIRST LOOK

NBC Custom Content Marketing
NBC

Advertising, Marketing and Institutional Productions:
Employee or Consumer Training & Education

Golden Eagle Award

PERSONAL FALL PROTECTION: YOUR LIFELINES

DuPont Sustainable Solutions

Golden Eagle Finalists

CONNECTING THE DOTS: RECOGNIZING AND RESPONDING TO STALKING

O'Keefe Communications, Inc.

Stalking Resource Center

National Center for Victims of Crime

U.S. Department of Justice Office on Violence Against Women

THE PAPER KINGDOM

Wisdom Tools

National Institutes of Health (NIH), the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI)

SAFETY IS PERSONAL: AN EMPLOYER'S STORY

WorkSafeBC

STEP UP — BE MORE THAN A BYSTANDER

University Video, Office of University Communications and Marketing

American University Office of Campus Life

THROUGH OUR EYES: CHILDREN, VIOLENCE, AND TRAUMA

Video/Action

The Office for Victims of Crime (US-DOJ)

Advertising, Marketing and Institutional Productions:
Viral or Social Marketing

Golden Eagle Award

THE THANK YOU PROJECT

Strong Films

Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children

Golden Eagle Finalists

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Caterpillar, Inc.

**BUILT FOR IT™ TRIALS — STACK: LARGEST JENGA® GAME PLAYED WITH CAT®
EXCAVATORS**

Caterpillar, Inc.

CLAWED'S GIFT: AMERICAN UNIVERSITY HOLIDAY VIDEO

University Video - American University Office of Communications and Marketing

ABOUT CINE

CINE was created in 1957 as a private-public partnership with the USIA branch of the State Department as a way to accredit U.S. documentary and industrial films to send to large foreign festivals (Berlin, Venice, Rotterdam). The CINE Golden Eagle Award was created as the method to choose films for submission to the overseas festivals. Over the years, the CINE Golden Eagle Awards expanded to include student, independent, narrative and television productions. By the mid-1990s CINE's partnership with the State Department ceased, and the Golden Eagle Awards were presented as a symbol of peer-reviewed media excellence rather than as a conduit to foreign film festivals.

CINE Golden Eagle Award-winning alumni are working throughout the industry. For some, such as **Steven Spielberg** (1969) and **Ken Burns** (1981), it was their first major industry recognition; others, such as **Martin Scorsese** (2006), **Barbara Kopple** (1992) and **Spike Lee** (1999) were honored well into their illustrious careers.