



## 2022 Winners & Finalists

### **ARTS/CULTURAL AWARENESS**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Art on the Commons Artist Series, Miami Valley Communications Council, OH Liberty Lord Shayna McConville Andrew Dailey
- **FINALIST:** Earth Transformed, Miami Valley Communications Council, OH Liberty Lord Rosewood Art Centre
- **NON-PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Patty's' Page, Patty Hunter, Bob Hunter, Fort Wayne, IN

### **CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** The Treehouse - Bee Happy, Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV, MI
- **FINALIST:** Whale Fall, Kurt Roembke, Lyssa Troemel, Fort Wayne, IN

### **COMEDY/HUMOR**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** The Real Digital Versatile Disc Hour, Jake Baker, Doc, Kurt Roembke, Fort Wayne, IN
- **NON-PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Karma, Lindsay Blanton, Jasmine Martoglio, Aurelia Martoglio, Oscar McDermott-Sipe Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, Bloomington, IN

### **COMMUNITY EVENT GENERAL**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** The Wall That Heals in Harrison, Ohio, ICRC-TV, Josh Sempsrott, Jason Dudley, OH
- **FINALIST** 2021 Shelby Township Christmas Aglow, Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV, MI

### **COMMUNITY EVENT GENERAL- PARADES/FESTIVALS**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Colerain Township 4th of July Spectacular: The Classic Rock Experience, Tony Suarez, Waycross Community Media, OH
- **FINALIST:** Lincoln Heights Diamond Jubilee, ICRC-TV, Josh Sempsrott, Bob Rinker, OH

## **DOCUMENTARY**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Sterling Heights Historical Commission Bus Tour, Robert Sergott Sterling Heights Television Cynthia Appleton Sterling Heights Historical Commission, Sterling Heights, MI
- **FINALIST:** Pioneers of the Soldiers Home Grotto and Gardens, Robert Kincses Liberty Lord Cindy LaPointe-Dafler Wade T Oberlin, Centerville, OH
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** Thank a Hero - Maurice Hilleman, Jasmine Martoglio, Aurelia Martoglio Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, IN

## **EMPOWERMENT/INSPIRATIONAL**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Ann Arbor Inclusive 63 - Miss Wheelchair Michigan, CTN Ann Arbor, MI
- **FINALIST:** AAPS Class of 2021 Thanks Their Teachers, Ann Arbor Public Schools Scott Nadeau, Video & Internet Stuff, LLC, Ann Arbor, MI
- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Ann Arbor Tonight: At Home, Zachary Damon Producer/Host Ann Arbor Tonight; At Home Valentina Castellani Interview, Ann Arbor, MI
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** All the Colors of the Rainbow, Abigail Goodwin Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, Bloomington, IN

## **ENTERTAINMENT**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** The Winterfest Variety Show season 2 episode 3, Jason Augenstein / AccessVision Clovis Bordeaux / Battle Creek Community Foundation, Battle Creek, MI
- **FINALIST:** Milford on The Miami - October 2021 ICRC-TV, Josh Sempsrott, Jason Dudley, the City of Milford, OH
- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Halloween Spooktacular 2021, Mike Sopronyi Danny R.O. Shawn A Green III Greg Nichols John Golub Joe MacKenzie Ray Gambrel, Miami Valley Communications Council, OH
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** Gambler's Game, Waycross Community Media 2021 Summer Workshop, OH

## **INSTRUCTIONAL**

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Fire Safety In The Home: Smoke and Carbon Monoxide Detectors, Josh Whitehead Heidi Van Antwerp Richard Diaz, Miami Valley Communications Council, OH
- **FINALIST:** Kettering points of interest Bicycle Tour, Carl Suchomel, Miami Valley Communications Council, OH
- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** How to Make Chocolate Treats, Macy Ross, Gianna Stanton Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, Lora Batchelor Middle School, IN

### ***INTERVIEW/TALK SHOW***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Straight Talk with Chief Shelide, Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV, MI
- **FINALIST (TIE):**
  - Counseling Services at Central State University, Kathryn Mobley, Miami Valley Communications Council, OH
  - In FocUS Episode 4 - Education Special / Hutch Baby, Lacey Roberts, CitiCable, OH
- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Countdown To Afterlife, Mike Sopronyi Shawn A Green III Greg Nichols John Golub Danny R.O. Ray Gambrel, Miami Valley Communications Council, OH

### ***MAGAZINE PROGRAM***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** FYI 2021, Dana Denha, Rob Cross, CTN, CTN Ann Arbor, MI
- **FINALIST: (TIE)**
  - Living in Shelby Township - Senior Center Flea Market Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV, MI
  - Milford on The Miami - October 2021, ICRC-TV, Josh Sempstrott, Jason Dudley, the City of Milford, OH

### ***MUSIC VIDEO (TV OR WEB)***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Crystal C Note Vibe Higher, Crystal C Note, Otto Boschet, Jake Baker, Fort Wayne, IN

### ***NEWS***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** FYI 2021, Dana Denha, Rob Cross, CTN, CTN Ann Arbor, MI
- **FINALIST:** ONTV News #1209 (Dragon on the Lake Episode) Stacy Calloway & Joe Johnson Orion Neighborhood Television, Orion TV, MI

### ***OVERALL EXCELLENCE – ACCESS TV***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Shelby TV, Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV
- **FINALIST:** 2022 Philo Awards “Overall Excellence Civic Center TV” Civic Center TV, West Bloomfield, MI

## ***PERFORMING ARTS***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** 2021 Eisenhower Dance Virtual Competition, Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV, MI
- **FINALIST:** LIVE FROM CINCINNATI - Room For Zero, ICRC-TV, Josh Sempstrott, Dean Lowry, OH

## ***POLITICAL AWARENESS***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** 2021 West Carrollton State of the City Address, Mayor Jeff Sanner Heidi Van Antwerp Richard Diaz, Centerville, OH
- **FINALIST:** Waycross Election Forum: Forest Park City Council, Dana Gagnon, Waycross Community Media, OH
- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Searching for Truth, Aurelia Martoglio Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, IN
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** Fossil Fuels - a Threat to Our Planet, Jasmine Martoglio Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, IN

## ***PROMOTIONAL VIDEO (3:00 OR LESS)***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER (TIE):**
  - Recreating Recreation and its Impact on Sterling Heights, Sterling Heights Television, city of Sterling Heights Producers Melanie Davis Daniel Rizek Videographers Daniel Rizek Robert Sergott Editor Daniel Rizek, Sterling Heights, MI
  - JumpSpark, Marra Honeywell, Kay Gregg, Fort Wayne, IN
- **FINALIST:** Break-Free Blast: We've Got A Lot To Offer! Sterling Heights Television, city of Sterling Heights Producer/Videographer/Editor Daniel Rizek, Sterling Heights, MI
- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Enough, Kaari Tabor Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, Bloomington IN
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** CACC: Welding Technology, Gustavo Rodriguez Izak Schipper Teresa Osborne Jason Augenstein, Battle Creek, MI

## ***PROMOTIONAL VIDEO (3:01 OR MORE)***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Shelby Township Youth Police Academy, Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV, MI
- **FINALIST:** Diversity -Character-Excellence, Steve Colwell Teri Horsley, OH
- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Kindness Sticks, Lindsay Blanton, Neva Livingston, Nysa Ashtvansh Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, IN
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** Live It!, Tristan Williams, Oscar McDermott-Sipe, Cameron Myers, Leo Rusch Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, OH

### ***PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** On Patrol with the Macomb County Animal Control, Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV, MI
- **FINALIST:** Close Before you Doze, Carl Suchomel, Miami Valley Communications Council, OH

### ***RELIGIOUS/SPIRITUAL/INSPIRATIONAL***

- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** "The Facts and the Truth", Pastor John Albert Baird "The Way The Word Ministries", OH
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** Breaking Boundaries, Elia Defore Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, IN

### ***SPECIAL/CRITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** COVID-19 Vaccine Town Hall, Presented by Civic Center TV & Henry Ford West Bloomfield Hospital, Ronnie Dahl & Tyler Kieft, Civic Center TV, West Bloomfield, MI
- **FINALIST:** COVID VACCINE, Spectrum Ch.1022, OH

### ***SPORTS COVERAGE***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER: (TIE)**
  - OHSAA Playoff Basketball - Mariemont vs CHCA, ICRC-TV, Josh Sempsrott, Dean Lowry, OH
  - MCTV Sports: Midland HS vs HH Dow HS Hockey, MCTV Volunteers & Staff - Midland Community Television Network, MI
- **FINALIST:** Shelby TV Sports - Utica Eisenhower vs. Sterling Heights Stevenson Sept. 7, 2021, Shelby Township Community Relations Department, Shelby TV, MI
- **NON PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** AHS vs. LOUISVILLE BASKETBALL, Spectrum Ch.1022, Alliance High School, OH

### ***SPORTS ENTERTAINMENT/TALK***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Avon Lake Oral History Project: Avon Lake State Champion Golfer Niki Schroeder, Avon Lake, MI
- **FINALIST:** Northwood Replay, MCTV Volunteers & Staff - Midland Community Television Network, Midland, MI
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** Michael Jordan - the Greatest, Nathan Lukes Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, IN

### ***UNDERSERVED VOICES***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** Legally Speaking: LGBTQA, Robert Sergott Beth Richardson Sterling Heights Television Macomb County Bar Foundation, MI
- **FINALIST:** City Hall Pride Flag Raising, CitiCable Staff, OH
- **NON-PROFESSIONAL DIVISION WINNER:** Everyone Has a Story, Alex Karaffa, Emily Bengston, Ezra Kakmak Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, OH
- **STUDENT DIVISION WINNER:** Missing, Audrey Rusch, Sophia Trcka, Sadie Vanhoosier Lora Batchelor Middle School B-TV, OH

### ***VIRTUAL EVENTS***

- **PROFESSIONAL WINNER:** The Winterfest Variety Show 2021, Jason Augenstein / AccessVision Clovis Bordeaux / Battle Creek Community Foundation, Battle Creek, MI
- **FINALIST:** 49th Annual Michigan Week Community Awards Presentation, Larry Nilan & Brooke Allen, Civic Center TV, West Bloomfield, MI



## 2022 Philo Excellence Award Nominations

The Philo T. Farnsworth Excellence Award Winners will be announced during the Philo Festival of Media Arts Award Ceremony on Friday November 4<sup>th</sup> at Access Fort Wayne, Fort Wayne, IN

Good luck to all the nominees below!

### ***Excellence in Animation***

Whale Fall  
AccessVision QR Code Promo  
JumpSpark  
The Winterfest Variety Show 2021

### ***Excellence in Editing***

The Wall That Heals in Harrison, Ohio  
A New Normal  
Sterling Heights Historical Commission Bus Tour  
Overcoming the Challenges: Instructional Coaches  
Brood X 2021  
Fire Safety In The Home: Smoke and Carbon Monoxide Detectors  
2021 Eisenhower Dance Virtual Competition  
LIVE FROM CINCINNATI - Room For Zero  
2021 West Carrollton State of the City Address  
Ann Arbor Police and The Community -Together We Are Ann Arbor  
ICRC - Bringing the Community To You  
Ask for a Crisis Intervention Trained Officer  
Close Before you Doze  
COVID-19 Vaccine Town Hall, Presented by Civic Center TV & Henry Ford West Bloomfield Hospital  
Shelby TV Sports - Utica Eisenhower vs. Sterling Heights Stevenson Sept. 7, 2021

***Excellence in Directing***

27th Annual United We Walk - Virtual Showcase  
Ask Santa Anything!  
The Real Digital Versatile Disc Hour  
Colerain Township 4th of July Spectacular: The Classic Rock Experience  
Centerville Americana Parade 2021  
2021 Shelby Township Christmas Aglow  
Ann Arbor Inclusive 63 - Miss Wheelchair Michigan  
Macomb Community Jazz Band  
Recreating Recreation and its Impact on Sterling Heights  
Break-Free Blast: We've Got A Lot To Offer!  
MCTV Sports: Midland HS vs HH Dow HS Hockey  
3rd Annual Greater West Bloomfield State of the Communities

***Best Series Programs***

Earth Transformed  
The Winterfest Variety Show 2021  
The Treehouse - Bee Happy  
Milford on The Miami - October 2021  
Engage Avon Lake App Promo Video  
Living in Shelby Township - Senior Center Flea Market  
MVCC Game Of The Week  
The Winterfest Variety Show 2021

***Best in Show (Overall most amazing media of the year)***

The Winterfest Variety Show season 2 episode 3  
FYI 2021  
Waycross Election Forum: Forest Park City Council  
Recreating Recreation and its Impact on Sterling Heights  
COVID-19 Vaccine Town Hall, Presented by Civic Center TV & Henry Ford West Bloomfield Hospital  
3rd Annual Greater West Bloomfield State of the Communities

***George Stoney Community Activism Award –A program that campaigns for some form of social change.***

27th Annual United We Walk - Virtual Showcase  
Shelby Township Youth Police Academy  
Legally Speaking: LGBTQA





*PHILO FESTIVAL OF MEDIA ARTS COORDINATOR*

Melissa Bondy

*THANK YOU TO THIS YEAR'S JUDGES*

Alexis Chaviaras

Alli Klinger

Allison Baker

Angela Logan

Brady Wurtz

Chip Bergquist

Dale Geminder

Elizabeth Lord Cary

Dana Denha

Eugene Gussenhoven

Jamie Chiu

Jan Howard

Jeff Rudkin

Jennifer Teipel

Jim Knightwright

Joe Dinda

Kevin Sluder

Kris Ferguson

Krista Maggard

Lucinda Waters-Sutherland

Matt December

Matt Schuster

Matt Mena-Landry

Matthew Richardson

Nick Kuiper  
Norm Compton  
Otto Andrew  
Patty Hunter  
Rhine McLin  
Rob Cross  
Samantha Diehl  
Scott Nadeau  
Stephanie Biggers  
Stephanie Baiyasi  
Steve Sobol  
Tim Nagae  
Tim Neumann  
Traci Furman  
Zachary Damon