



BLACK PRESS ALL STAR Awards Sept. 16-17, 2011 Washington, DC
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2011 NOMINEES LIST

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT
Percy Sutton (posthumously)

LEGACY AWARD
Terrie M. Williams

CENTENNIAL AWARD
Indianapolis Recorder

PRINT AWARDS
BLACK NEWSPAPER of the YEAR

African Sun Times
 Birmingham Times
 Prince George's Post
 Philadelphia Tribune
 St. Louis American
 Washington Informer

BLACK MAGAZINE of the YEAR

Black Enterprise
 Black Health
 Heart & Soul
 Monarch
 Uptown
 Gospel Today

PUBLISHER of the YEAR

Butch Graves (Black Enterprise)
 Edwin Avent (Heart & Soul)
 Jamie Brown (Sister 2 Sister)
 Tracey Ferguson (Jones Magazine)
 Londell McMillian (Source)

BLACK WRITER of the YEAR

Chineesa "Chee" Gates ("O")
 Derrick T. Dingle ("One-on-One with Obama's Money Man")
 Emil Wilbekin ("Remember Me?")
 Kevin Powell ("Open Letter to Chris Brown")
 Sheryl Nance-Nash ("Your 2011 Debt Crisis Guide")
 Tennille M. Robinson ("The Many Faces of 50")

BLACK PHOTOGRAPHER of the YEAR

Bill Moore (Amsterdam News)
 Bill Jones (Ebony)
 Don and Ron Baker (JET)
 Phillipe (BET.com)
 Robert Ector (Sister 2 Sister)
 Ronnie Wright (Various)

BLACK PUBLICIST of the YEAR

Linda Wharton-Boyd (DC BPRS)
 Denise Pines (Tavis Smiley)
 Lynn Jeter (Lisa Raye/Teena Marie)
 Makeda Smith (Terrance Dean)
 Terrie M. Williams (Tyler Perry "For Colored Girls")
 Priscilla Clarke (Congressional Black Caucus)

NEWSMAKER of the YEAR ***

Alicia Keys ("Love Triangle")
 Charlie Rangel ("Ethics Violation Scandal")
 Chris Brown ("Bottom to the Top")
 Michelle Obama ("Childhood Obesity campaign")
 Shirley Sherrod ("USDA/NAACP")
 Maya Angelou ("Donates Papers to Schomburg")
 LeBron James ("The Decision")

MOST IMPROVED PUBLICATION

Heart & Soul
 N'Digo
 Sister 2 Sister
 Savoy

BEST BLACK NICHE PUBLICATION

Black Enterprise Magazine
 Jones Magazine
 Monarch
 Plus Model
 Today's Child
 Urban Informer

BLACK COLUMNIST of the YEAR

Bishop T. D. Jakes
 Dr. Boyce Watkins
 Dr. Jeff Gardere
 Earl Ofari Hutchinson
 Stanley Crouch

BLACK AUTHOR of the YEAR

Kenneth Braswell (When the Tear Won't Fall)
 Shanae Hall/Rhonda Frost (Why Do I Have Think Like a Man?)
 Steve Harvey (Straight Talk)
 Sylvia Harris (My Bipolar Life)
 Terrance Dean (Hiding in Hip Hop)
 Tyrese Gibson (Get Out of Your Way)

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BLACK SPORTSWRITER of YEAR **

Carla Peay
Chi-Chi Anunkor
Jerald Hoover
Michael Wilbon
Stephen A. Smith
Tony Williams

BROADCAST

BLACK RADIO NEWS REPORTER of the YEAR

Ann Trip (WBLS)
Bob Slave (KISS FM)
Bruce E. Williams (AURN)
Cliff Kelley (WVON)
Herman Thomas (Various)
Joe Madison (WOL)
Sheila Stewart (WKYS)

BLACK BROADCASTING PROFESSIONAL of the YEAR

Kevin Frazier (Insider) **(disqualified)**
Marcy Polanco (BET)
Michelle Ebanks (Essence)
Oprah Winfrey (Oprah Winfrey Show)
Stephen Hill (BET)
Tracey Ferguson (Jones Mag)

BEST BLACK RADIO SHOW

Al Sharpton Show
Bev Smith Show
Michael Baisden Show
Russ Parr Show
Steve Harvey Show

BEST BLACK TV SHOW

Basketball Wives
Bobby Jones Gospel
Braxton Family Values
House of Payne
Housewives of Atlanta
The Game
Wendy Williams Show

BEST BLACK RADIO NETWORK

American Urban Radio Network
Inner City Broadcasting
Premiere Radio
Radio One

BEST BLACK TELEVISION NETWORK

Africa Channel
Black Entertainment Television
Oprah Winfrey Network (OWN)
TV One

BLACK FILMMAKER of YEAR ***

Ava Duvernay ("I Will Follow")
Tyler Perry ("Colored Girls")
Tyler Perry ("Madea's Happy Family")
Anthony Anderson ("Anacostia")
Salim Akil ("Jumping the Broom")

BLACK CARTOONIST of YEAR ***

Bryan Collier
Jerry Craft
Khadir Nelson

DIGITAL ARTS

BEST BLACK BLOG

Bitchie Life
Jasmyne Cannick
Married with Children
Miss Jia
Polite on Society
Urban Informer

BEST BLACK PUBLICATION WEBSITE

AfroScreen.com
BallerStatus.com
BlackEnterprise.com
BlackCollegeWire.com
Hot97.com
Urban Informer.com
Washington Informer.com

BEST BLACK DIGITAL IPAD or TABLET APP ***

106 & Park
African Vibes
BET Awards
Black Enterprise
EbonyJet
TheRoot

YOUTH

BEST BLACK COLLEGE PAPER

District Chronicles
Florida AM Univ
Hampton Univ
Howard Hilltop

COLLEGE JOURNALIST TO WATCH

Ashley Griffin
Kristen Briscoe (Howard)
Matthew Richardson
Maya Rhodan

BEST HIP HOP PUBLICATION

Don Diva Magazine
Hip Hop Weekly
Juicy Magazine
Ozone Magazine
Vibe Magazine
XXL Magazine

GOSPEL

BEST GOSPEL PUBLICATION

Drum Beats
Gospel Today
Gospel Truth
Gospel USA
Premier Gospel Music & Christian News

GOSPEL PUBLISHER of the YEAR

Cecil Brown
Kerry Douglas
Teresa Hairston

BEST BLACK GOSPEL WEBSITE

BlackSermons.com
GospelFlava.com
GospelUSA.com
GospelToday.com

PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD: Reality TV Star (Chosen EXCLUSIVELY by readers and viewers)

Antonia Carter (Toya Show)
NeNe Leakes (Celebrity Apprentice)
Pooch Hall (The Game)
Shaunie O'Neal (Basketball Wives)
Stacy Dash (Single Ladies)
Star Jones (Celebrity Apprentice)

VOTING INFORMATION: *Voting for the awards, with the exception of the people's choice, is for media industry professionals, executives, publishers and content producers. You may vote as many times as you like, but only once per day no matter then format. Nominees may vote for themselves. Use of the Black Press All Stars logo, name or likeness is prohibited unless permission is granted. Winners will be announced t the Black Press All Stars Awards Luncheon which takes place Friday, September 16, 2011 in Washington, DC. Registration required. To vote, send an email to: blackpressradio@yahoo.com with subject line "VOTE: 2011 BP All Stars" by August 15, 2011. Voting Ballots will be available at some major media events this summer. Copyright 2004-2011 All Rights Reserved.*

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