



**THE NATIONAL ACADEMY
OF TELEVISION ARTS & SCIENCES
ANNOUNCES WINNERS FOR
THE 44th ANNUAL DAYTIME EMMY® AWARDS**

*Mary Hart of “Entertainment Tonight” Honored with the
Lifetime Achievement Award*

Los Angeles, CA – April 30th, 2017 – The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences (NATAS) tonight announced the winners of the 44th Annual Daytime Emmy® Awards in a grand gala held at the Pasadena Civic Auditorium in Pasadena, Southern California.

“What a fantastic evening to be celebrating the life and blood of Daytime television in the magnificent Pasadena Civic Auditorium,” said Bob Mauro, President, NATAS. “The National Academy is excited to be honoring these esteemed nominees and we are thrilled to be honoring the woman who the whole country fell in love with when she first appeared on ‘Entertainment Tonight,’ Mary Hart. Mary’s charm, wit, and intelligence made her the most trusted anchor in the genre of entertainment news. Tonight, we raise a glass to her long career and all the men and women who make Daytime television one of the staples of the entertainment industry.”

The evening’s show was hosted by the charming and talented Mario Lopez (EXTRA) and Sheryl Underwood (The Talk), and included many star-studded presenters such as Larry King (Larry King Now), Jane Pauley (CBS Sunday Morning), Susan Lucci, Harry Connick, Jr. (Harry), Margaret Cho, Tim Allen, Blair Underwood (GIVE, Quantico), Trisha Yearwood (Trisha’s Southern Kitchen), Nancy O’Dell and Kevin Frazier (ET), Natalie Morales (The Today Show, Access Hollywood), Sara Gilbert, Sharon Osbourne and Aisha Tyler (The Talk), Dr. Mehmet Oz (Dr. Oz), Vanna White (Wheel of Fortune), Mark Steines & Debbie Matenopoulos (Home & Family), Chris Hansen (Crime Watch Daily with Chris Hansen), as well as Tamera Mowry-Housley, Loni Love, Jeannie Mai, and Adrienne Houghton (The Real), Ross Mathews & Garcelle Beauvais (Hollywood Today Live) and Carla Hall and Daphne Oz (The Chew).

Also presenting were cast members from the four daytime soaps, including Bryton James and Mishael Morgan (The Young & the Restless), Kelly Monaco and Dominic Zamprogna (General Hospital), Katherine Kelly Lang and John McCook (The Bold and the Beautiful), and Billy Flynn and Marci Miller (Days of Our Lives).

Special musical performance by Max Ehrich (The Young & the Restless, Under the Dome). Additional appearances by Karla Mosley, Reign Edwards and Jacob Young (The Bold & the Beautiful), Sonya Eddy and Robert Palmer Watkins (General Hospital), Nadia Bjorlin and Eric Martsoff (Days of Our Lives) and Tristan Lake Leabu (The Young & the Restless). Music was provided by Caleb Nelson and The Remotes.

The Daytime Emmy® Awards recognize outstanding achievement in all fields of daytime television production and are presented to individuals and programs broadcast from 2:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. during the 2016 calendar year.

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The 44th Annual Daytime Emmy Awards is a presentation of the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences. A breakdown of the awards by network, as compiled by the independent accounting firm of Lutz & Carr, LLP, follows. A full list of all nominees in all categories can be downloaded from our website at www.emmyonline.tv.

About The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences (NATAS) is a professional service organization dedicated to the advancement of the arts and sciences of television and the promotion of creative leadership for artistic, educational and technical achievements within the television industry. It recognizes excellence in television with the coveted Emmy Award for News & Documentary, Sports, Daytime Entertainment, Daytime Creative Arts & Entertainment, Public & Community Service, and Technology & Engineering. NATAS membership consists of over 15,000 broadcast and media professionals represented in 19 regional chapters across the country. Beyond awards, NATAS has extensive educational programs including Regional Student Television and its Student Award for Excellence for outstanding journalistic work by high school students, as well as scholarships, publications, and major activities for both industry professionals and the viewing public. For more information, please visit the website at www.emmyonline.tv.

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The 44th Annual Daytime Emmy® Award Winners

Multiple Winners by Network

Network	Total
CBS	7
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Syndicated	5

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Program	Total
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ABC

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Frank Valentini

Coordinating Producer

Jennifer Whittaker Brogdon

Producers

Mercer Barrows, Michelle Henry, Mary Kelly Weir

Outstanding Culinary Program

Eat the World with Emeril Lagasse

Amazon

Executive Producers

Tim Duffy, Mike Duffy, Emeril Lagasse, Bill Pruitt

Co-Executive Producer

Paulina Williams

Producer

Maggie McCabe

Consulting Producers

Aaron Schoonhoven, Rajan Shandil, Tara Siener

Outstanding Game Show

Jeopardy!

SYNDICATED

Executive Producer/Writer

Harry Friedman

Supervising Producers

Lisa Broffman, Rocky Schmidt

Senior Producer

Deb Dittman

Producers

Brett Schneider, Maggie Speak

Coordinating Producer

Bob Sofia

Editorial Supervisors/Writers

Michele Loud, Billy Wisse

Writers

John Duarte, Mark Gaberman, Debbie Griffin, Robert McClenaghan, Jim Rhine, Steve D. Tamerius

Outstanding Morning Program

Good Morning America

ABC

Anchors

Robin Roberts, George Stephanopoulos, Michael Strahan, Lara Spencer, Amy Robach, Ginger Zee

Weekend Anchors

Ron Claiborne, Paula Faris, Sara Haines, Dan Harris, Rob Marciano

Correspondents

Dan Abrams, Jim Avila, Adrienne Bankert, Gio Benitez, Dr. Richard Besser, Abbie Boudreau, Mary Bruce, Juju Chang, Chris Connelly, Linsey Davis, Kendis Gibson, Matt Gutman, Lama Hasan, T.J. Holmes, Sunny Hostin, Linzie Janis, Rebecca Jarvis, Tory Johnson, Jonathan Karl, Neal Karlinsky, David Kerley, Tom Llamas, Diane Macedo, Alex Marquardt, Phillip Mena Terry Moran, Steve Osunsami, Alex Perez, Eva Pilgrim, Martha Raddatz, Gloria Riviera, Deborah Roberts, Brian Ross, Clayton Sandell, Mara Schiavocampo, Ryan Smith, Pierre Thomas, Cecilia Vega, Nick Watt, Kanya Whitworth, Bob Woodruff, Becky Worley, David Wright

Special Contributor

Jesse Palmer,

Contributors

Donna Brazile, Matt Dowd, Cokie Roberts

Senior Medical Contributor

Dr. Jennifer Ashton

Senior Executive Producer

Michael Corn

Executive Producer

Chris Vlasto

Chief Editorial Producer

Santina Leuci

Senior Broadcast Producer, 8am Hour

Simone Swink

Senior Broadcast Producer, Futures & Special Programming

Margo Baumgart

Senior Broadcast Producers

Pete Austin, Christine Brouwer, Angela Ellis, Mike Milhaven

Director Producers

Lily Olszewski, Jeff Winn

Chief of Tape Content and Production

Seth Fenton

Executive Broadcast Producers

John Ferracane, Ethan Nelson

Senior Producer, Special Projects

Morgan Zalkin

Senior Producers

Sandra Aiken, Chris Donovan, Tracey Marx Bernstein, Alberto Orso, Kristin Sebastian, Vanessa Weber, Maureen White

News Senior Producer

Kenneth Kneeland

Senior Producers, Los Angeles

David Herndon, Michael Kreisel

Supervising Editorial Producer

Justin Weaver

Senior Editorial Producer

Mark Robertson

Coordinating Producers

Cathy Becker, Kristopher Campbell, Imtiyaz Delawala, Carolyn Durand, Devin Dwyer, Ross Eichenholz, Elena Genovese-Picard, Kelly Hagan, Katie Kastens, Karen Leo, Yoni Mintz, Brian O'Keefe, Sabrina Parise, Sabrina Peduto, Margaret Pergler, Lauren Sher, Emily Stanitz

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Sabina Ghebremedhin

Deputy Editorial Producer

Shah Rahmanzadeh

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Joanne Amato, Jade Anderson, Brandon Baur, Taylor Behrendt, Diane Benneian, Clark Bentson, Tara Berardi, Ismaela Best, Michael Bickal, Brandon Bodow, Carlos Boettcher, Elisabeth Bognar, Connor Burton, Matthew Busekroos, Margaret Chadbourn, Brandon Chase, Trinity Chavez, Meg Christie, Jessica Church, Matthew Claiborne, Suzan Clarke, Stephan Cohen, Courtney Condron, Michael Conte, Jesse Convertino, Kirstyn Crawford, Bill Cunningham, Nicole Curtis, Lawrence Dechant, Patrick J. Doherty, Regina Donizetti, Stefan Doyno, Ali Dukakis, Taylor Dunn, Ali Ehrlich, Frank Elaridi, Janine Elliot, Ronal Ellison, Caitlin Fallon, Jillian Fama, Conor Ferguson, Andy Fies, Kaitlyn Folmer, Shaun Francis, Kevin Freeman, Cindy Galli, Will Ganss, Cassidy Gard, Chris Geerdes, Cliff Gelb, Danielle Genet, Jessica Goldberg, Alexandria Goodson, Joan Griffin, Rashid Haddou, Cameron Harrison, Jennifer Harrison, Brian Hartman, Josh Haskell, Amy Hayden, Marilyn Heck, Sarah Herndon, Angus Hines, Alex Hosenball, Jamila Huxtable, Heidi Jensen, Mariam Khan, Ilana Katz, Gitika Kaul, Amanda Keegan, Alison Kenworthy, Erin Keohane, Katie Kindelan, Matt Knox, Randy Kreider, Jason Kuang, Sarah Kunin, Kelly Landrigan, Roger Lee, Jennifer Leong, Danielle Patrice Librizzo, Jeffrey Lowe, Jonah Lustig, Chris Marderosian, Katelyn Marmon, Serena Marshall, Christene Martin, Kelly McCarthy, Janice McDonald, Matthew McGarry, Kelly McKelvey, Bonnie McLean, Kevin McMillen, James Meek, Sarah Messer, Sharde' Miller, Victoria Morini, Julia Moser, Anthony Morrison, Matthew Mosk, Eliza Murphy, Phoebe Natanson, Anthony Navarrete, Bruno Nota, Alexandra Oxborough-Yankus, Ghazaros Parikian, Cho Park, Felicia Patinkin, Tennille Patterson, Nicole Pelletiere, Jennifer Pereira, Duan Perrin, Mary Pflum, Nia Phillips, George Pilla, Alyssa Pone, Bartley Price, Kim Randolph, Florinda Ricks, Ashley Riegle, Daisha Riley, Charles Rivera, Bruno Roeber, Sara Russell, James Scholz, Katherine Scoones, Molly Shaker, Tenzin Shakya, Aliko Shinas, Faryn Shiro, Scott Shulman, Stuart Sia, Lisa Sivertsen, Natasha Singh, Liz Sintay, Galia Sotomayor, Jordan Smith, Nathan Smith, Daniel Steinberger, Elsie Strong, Gina Sunseri, Sandra Temko, Seniboye Tienabeso, Carissa Tjia, Thea Trachtenberg, Mike Trew, Sohel Uddin, Ellen Van De Mark, Jim Vojtech, Douglas Vollmayer, Gerry Wagschal, Stephanie Wash, Jennifer Watts, Misha Wee, Robyn Weil, Janet Weinstein, Ariella Weintraub, Alisa Wiersema, Anna Wild, Nicole Wilkins, Scott Withers, Grace Wong, Gary Wynn, Angelique Yack, Derick Yanehiro, Suzanne Yeo, Robert Zepeda

Producer/Editors

Cameron Brock, Jeannine Brown, Jennifer Chambers, Jonathan Cordell, Cliff DeGray, Macy Jones, Gerald Mahoney, Robert McLaughlin, Michele Molnar, Ki Jung Park, Judd Parson, Norberto Petrello, Jeremy Phillips, Cybele Policastro, Mike Proser, Daniel A. Recalde, Steven Rogalinski

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Entertainment Producers

Cleopatra Andreadis, Monica Escobedo, Eric Jones

Segment Producers

Katie Conway, Michael Del Moro, Hallie Eisenpress, Henderson Hewes, Kate Hodgson, Anthony McMahan, Paige More, Doug Lantz, John Santucci, Matt Stone, Anastasia Williams

Meteorologist Producers

Max Golembo, Melissa Griffin, Daniel Manzo, Dan Peck, Samantha Wnek

Operations Producers

Julie Amar, Megan Dohmlo, Robert Dominguez, Seth Easter, Matthew Jakl, Cameron Jones, Sharon Lechleiter, Kyle Morris, Larry Peterson, Maria Stefanopoulos, Kim Supsak

Outstanding Informative Talk Show

The Dr. Oz Show

SYNDICATED

Executive Producer

Amy Chiaro

Co-Executive Producers

Stacy Rader, Laurie Rich

Consulting Producer

Rob Dauber

Senior Supervising Producers

Eric Beesemyer, Andrea D'Ambrosio, Kathy Gulinello

Supervising Producers

Christine Byun, Dr. Mehmet Oz, Shant Petrossian, Michele Wasserman

Senior Producers

James Avenell, Dr. Michael Crupain, John Filimon

Producers

Andrea Chessler, Sabrina Clay, Lisa Cohen, Ashley DeMarco, Dean Dimitruk, Dr. Tom Flaherty, Nicole Giambone, Brooke Jacobsen, Sasha Mitchell-Fuller, Lauren Pacheco, Ali Perry, Gregory Piccioli, Nicole Romanella, Martin Toub, Nancy Vaden, Ann Varney, Jessica Yankelunas.

Line Producer

Jon Coniglio

Outstanding Entertainment Talk Show

The Ellen DeGeneres Show

SYNDICATED

Executive Producers

Ellen DeGeneres, Mary Connelly, Ed Glavin, Andy Lassner, Kevin A. Leman II, Derek Westervelt

Co-Executive Producers

Jonathan Norman, Corey Palent

Supervising Producers

Kara Hogan-Leonardo, Ellen Rocamora, Matthew Wright, Andy Zenor

Senior Producers

Alison Balian, Jason Gelles

Coordinating Producer

Ross Williams

Producers

Lori Blackman, Jason Blackman, Sarah Bruno, Jamie Brunton, Alissa Cote, Chris Cucci, Claudia Gharibian, Tracy Gold, Jeannie Klisiewicz, Carly Lopez Suzanne Luna, Rick Mitchell, Liz Patrick, Aaron Pinkston, Lauren Pomerantz, Korey Provencher, Gil Rief, Troy Thomas, Adam Yenser

Line Producer

Nicole Collins Arlook

Outstanding Entertainment Program in Spanish

Destinos

CNN en Español

Executive Producer/Director

Eduardo Suarez

Executive Producers

Sheri England, Matt Vigil

Supervising Producer

Felipe Barral

Producer

Natali Monterrosa

Anchor/Writer

Alejandra Oraa

Producer/Editor

Diana Diaz

Writer

Dinorah Rosas

Outstanding Entertainment Program

Entertainment Tonight

CBS

Executive Producer

Brad Bessey

Co-Executive Producer

Rick Joyce

Senior Supervising Producers

Bridgette Jones, Mylin Watkins

Supervising Producers

Elizabeth Applegate, Claudia Cagan, Ron Glines, Carolyn Greenspan-Rosen, Daniel A. Henry, Jr., John Kosinski, Whitney Nevill-Wallace, Amy Purnell-Silberman, Brenda Rodriguez, Dan Schanks, Joe Siyam, Jama Suchomel

Senior Producers

Chris Clark, Eliza Cost, Erin Johnson, Erik Photenhauer, Ray Slaboda, **Bonnie Tiegel**

Coordinating Producer

Ben Wallace

Producers

Kevin Gershan, Jennifer Peros

Segment Producers

Elise Backus, Scott Barton, David Batista, Megan Bauer, Michael De Lazzer, Brendon Geoffrion, Rande Iaboni, Angelique Jackson, Leslie Kawaguchi, Michael Kettering, Marina Knapp, Emily Lefkowitz, Tracie Kosinski, Haig Mackey, Steve Noble, Bari Novak, Heidi Ortlip, Andy Reyes, Kayley Stumpe, Tatiana Toomer, Steve Wilks

Co-Hosts

Nancy O'Dell, Kevin Frazier

Correspondents

Samantha Harris, Cameron Mathison, Carly Steel, Nischelle Turner

Outstanding Lead Actress in a Drama Series

Gina Tognoni, as Phyllis Summers
The Young and the Restless

CBS

Outstanding Lead Actor in a Drama Series

Scott Clifton, as Liam Spencer
The Bold and the Beautiful

CBS

Outstanding Supporting Actress in a Drama Series

Kate Mansi, as Abigail Deveraux
Days of Our Lives

NBC

Outstanding Supporting Actor in a Drama Series

Steve Burton, as Dylan McAvoy
The Young and the Restless

CBS

Outstanding Younger Actress in a Drama Series

Lexi Ainsworth, as Kristina Corinthos Davis
General Hospital

ABC

Outstanding Younger Actor in a Drama Series

Bryan Craig, as Morgan Corinthos
General Hospital

ABC

Outstanding Guest Performer in a Drama Series

Jim O'Heir, as Matt Cannistra
The Bold and the Beautiful

CBS

Outstanding Daytime Talent in a Spanish Language Program

Gaby Natale, *Anchor*
SuperLatina with Gaby Natale

VME TV

Outstanding Game Show Host

Steve Harvey, *Host*
Family Feud

SYNDICATED

Outstanding Informative Talk Show Host

Steve Harvey
Steve Harvey, *Host*

SYNDICATED

Outstanding Entertainment Talk Show Host

The Talk
Julie Chen, Sara Gilbert, Sharon Osbourne,
Aisha Tyler, Sheryl Underwood, *Hosts*

CBS

Outstanding Drama Series Writing Team

The Young and the Restless

CBS

Head Writer

Charles Pratt Jr.

Co-Head Writer

Tracey Thomson

Script Editor

Brent Boyd

Writers

Amanda L. Beall, Jeff Beldner, Michael Conforti, Susan Dansby, Christopher Dunn, Janice Ferri Esser, Lloyd Gold, Kate Hall, Rebecca Taylor McCarty, Natalie Minardi Slater, Michael Montgomery

Outstanding Drama Series Directing Team

General Hospital

ABC

Directors

Larry Carpenter, William Ludel, Scott McKinsey, Penny Pengra, Frank Valentini, Phideaux Xavier

Associate Directors

Peter Fillmore, Paul Glass, Marika Kushel, David MacLeod, Christine Magarian Ucar, Allison Reames, Denise Van Cleave

Stage Managers

Crystal Craft, Craig McManus

Production Associates

Jillian Dedote, Nate Hapke, Cherie Wall