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A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Good evening and welcome to our celebration of The 53rd Annual Daytime Emmy® Awards!

We have an extraordinary evening planned for you. Here at the historic Hollywood Palladium, we will celebrate the very best in Daytime TV — from our Daytime Dramas to talk, entertainment news, and the creative arts — all in a single ceremony, streaming live to fans everywhere on the Emmys YouTube Channel.

Over the course of the evening, we will celebrate the talents and contributions of dozens of our industry's best and brightest talents, with a lucky few going home with our industry's gold standard: the Emmy Award.

We will also be celebrating the remarkable career of Genie Francis — General Hospital's beloved Laura — with our Lifetime Achievement Award, and we will welcome this year's inductees to our Daytime Gold and Silver Circles, honoring 50 and 25 years of industry service, respectively. Joining the Gold Circle are Byron Allen, Patrika Darbo, Francesca James, and Meredith Vieira; joining the Silver Circle are Stephen Brown and Rubin Ervin.

On behalf of our National Board of Trustees, our Academy staff, all the skilled professionals who are working behind the scenes tonight, and our more than 19-thousand members from coast to coast, it is our great honor to have you as our guest.

Congratulations to all of tonight's honorees: nominees and Emmy-winners alike. I hope you have a wonderful evening!

Terry O'Reilly
Chairman
The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Welcome, friends and colleagues, to the 53rd Annual Daytime Emmy® Awards.

Last year, we brought our Daytime community together to celebrate creative and technical achievement in one shared evening. Tonight, we bring that spirit of reunion to the Hollywood Palladium, recognizing the people on both sides of the camera whose work becomes part of viewers' lives.

Daytime television has an unusually personal relationship with its audience. A familiar voice can become part of a morning routine. A character's story can spark a conversation across generations. Something learned on screen can find its way to a family's dinner table. That familiarity reflects the care you bring to your work every day.

As viewing habits and the business of television continue to change, that connection remains worth celebrating. Tonight's nominees remind us how much imagination and skill go into sustaining it. The Academy is privileged to recognize your excellence, and to bring this community together to applaud it.

Thank you to our volunteer judges and committee members for the time and care they give this competition. Thank you to Rachel Schwartz and the Daytime team, our production colleagues and the partners whose support makes this evening possible.

Most of all, thank you to our nominees and honorees. Whether your work is seen on screen or felt in every detail behind it, you give audiences a reason to return. Tonight, we celebrate you.

Enjoy the show!

Adam Sharp
President & CEO
The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

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NATAS membership consists of more than 18,000 broadcast and media professionals represented in 19 regional chapters across the country in addition to the NEW National Membership. Beyond awards, NATAS hosts the National Student Production Awards for outstanding journalistic and creative work by high school students.



LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT HONOREE

GENIE FRANCIS

IN HER OWN VOICE

by Dustin Smith, SMITHHOUSE Strategy

When Genie Francis returned to *General Hospital* in 2006, she made a decision viewers might not have noticed, but it changed everything about how she approached Laura.

She would speak in her own voice.

As a teenager on the show, Francis had responded to criticism of her delivery by adopting a particular way of speaking for the character. Looking back, she compares it to the cheerful, carefully controlled voice of Disney's Snow White. It belonged to Laura, but it also carried the expectations Francis had absorbed as a young performer learning to please the adults around her.

Returning at 44, she wanted to approach the work differently.

"I'm going to take the moments and move the way I want to move," she remembers deciding. "I'm going to take the pauses I want to take."

That determination led to a performance that earned her first Daytime Emmy in 2007. The recognition mattered deeply. So did the freedom that preceded it.

"I was speaking in my own voice," she says. "I did not use that affected voice."

As Francis receives the Lifetime Achievement Honor at the 53rd Annual Daytime Emmy® Awards and approaches the 50th anniversary of her February 1977 debut on *General Hospital*, that distinction feels especially meaningful. Her career has been an ongoing discovery of what she can bring to a character — and what a performance can give someone watching.

FINDING THE FIRE

Francis first encountered the pleasures of acting through her father, actor Ivor Francis. She remembers watching him on television and accompanying him to work, where he filmed on Western street sets.

But an early audition revealed something more powerful than the excitement of being around a production.

Auditioning to portray the title character's childhood self in *Sybil*, Francis realized she was playing a wounded part of someone. She began to cry, drawing on an emotional intensity that surprised the casting director and revealed a possibility to Francis herself.

She did not get the role. As she remembers it, the casting team explained that she did not resemble a young Sally Field. They also made sure she understood that they valued what she had done.

"I left that experience knowing that I had found something powerful inside me," she says. "Something that other people valued. Something I could use."

Soon, she was learning to harness that ability under the demanding conditions of daytime television.

At 14, Francis arrived at *General Hospital*, where the pace left little room for hesitation. She remembers waiting with the cast in the makeup room until they heard the tapes were clear and everyone could go home. The performances had to keep moving.

"It was terrifying," she recalls.

Other memories make her laugh: the long "granny dress" she wore in an early storyline, with her shoes peeking out beneath it. Decades later, the costume remains vivid, a small detail from the beginning of a life she could scarcely have imagined.

LEADING FROM THE HEART

Laura became one of television's most recognizable characters. Her relationship with Luke Spencer, played by the late Anthony Geary, became a cultural phenomenon, with an estimated 30 million viewers watching their 1981 wedding.

Yet when Francis considers the work that touched people, she returns to a quieter image: a young Laura placing her star atop a Christmas tree.

For Laura, the star held hopes, dreams, and the possibility that a wish might come true. For Francis, the scene captured the character's youthful belief in magic. Years later, viewers still approached her to describe what it had meant to them.

"I loved hearing that because it meant a lot to me when I did it," she says.

Through Laura's evolution from a vulnerable teenager to a mother, grandmother and mayor of Port Charles, Francis has held onto a fundamental understanding of her.

"Laura first and foremost always leads from her heart."

She sees Laura as someone who takes in the stray dog, tries to redeem the person others have dismissed and searches for ways to help. Beneath that instinct, Francis recognizes something more complicated.

"I think she needs to rescue others because, basically, she needs to rescue herself."

That attention to a character's inner life has also led Francis toward roles very different from Laura. On *The Young and the Restless*, Genevieve Atkinson gave her access to a mischievous, quick-witted side she did not readily recognize in herself.

Francis describes herself as someone who often cannot summon a comeback when her feelings are hurt. She admired Geary's speed and wit. Playing Genevieve required her to find her own version of that freedom.

The key was discovering that the character enjoyed provoking people.

"It freed me up in all kinds of ways," she says.

REACHING SOMEONE

Another role brought a different kind of fulfillment. As Ceara

Connor on *All My Children*, Francis took on an incest storyline that generated a response she has never forgotten.

At public appearances, she learned to notice women who stood quietly among the more exuberant fans. Sometimes one would catch her eye and silently mouth a thank-you. Tears would follow, and, when possible, an embrace.

"And I know, and she knows I know," Francis says.

Those exchanges remain among the most meaningful of her career. They made the connection between a performance and another person's life immediate and unmistakable.

Francis understands that meeting an actor who has been present in someone's home for years can bring unexpected emotion. She tries to meet that feeling with care.

"I really enjoy being there for them," she says.

That same attentiveness shapes how she works with young actors. Having carried the demands of school and production herself, Francis recognizes how much they are managing. She wants them to know that their ideas and comfort matter.

"How I feel about the scene matters," she says. "But how you feel about the scene also really matters."

She brings her full performance to rehearsals so a young scene partner can experience it and respond. The reward comes when she sees a new understanding emerge: the realization that they, too, can reach into themselves and find something to bring to the work.

"That is the best feeling in the world."

STILL DISCOVERING

Francis remains interested in roles that take her somewhere unfamiliar, as Genevieve did. She wants the challenge of discovering another part of herself.

Her ambition for the work she does every day is just as clear.

"I just hope to do something that breaks through the camera and reaches somebody and makes them feel something."

She hopes a scene will linger, prompting viewers to reflect on their own lives. The most exciting performances still contain an element of surprise, even for the person giving them.

"The most exciting acting is when it comes through you, but it's not from you," she says.

Receiving the Lifetime Achievement Honor brings its own sense of connection. After periods when she felt overlooked, Francis experiences the recognition as an expression of care from the daytime community.

"I think it's just a very loving and kind thing to have done for me."

Nearly five decades after she first stepped onto the *General Hospital* set, she remains grateful — and a little astonished — at the life that followed. The young performer who discovered something powerful inside herself is still looking for ways to share it.

What sustains her is the possibility that somewhere, someone is watching and that a moment she creates will stay with them.

"That is what I hope for more than anything," Francis says. "And that's what keeps me going."



GENIE FRANCIS AND ANTHONY GEARY, THE ICONIC SUPERCOUPLE LUKE AND LAURA, ON *GENERAL HOSPITAL*



GENIE FRANCIS, AS CEARA CONNOR, WITH JEAN LECLERC (JEREMY HUNTER) ON *ALL MY CHILDREN*



ANTHONY GEARY, GENIE FRANCIS AND JONATHAN JACKSON (LUCKY SPENCER) ON *GENERAL HOSPITAL*

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TONIGHT'S ANNOUNCER



MATTHEW HOFFMAN
LOVE ISLAND USA, CHEAP A$$ BEACH HOUSES

TONIGHT'S PRESENTERS



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LUCKY CHOW



CRYSTAL CHAPPELL
GUIDING LIGHT



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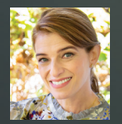
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PRESENTING THE LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD



SUNNY HOSTIN
THE VIEW



DEREK HOUGH
EXTRA



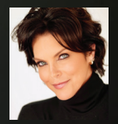
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STAR JONES
DIVORCE COURT



MICHAEL JR.
STAND UP AND DO SOMETHING



LESLI KAY
AS THE WORLD TURNS



JOE LANDO
ONE LIFE TO LIVE



EVA LARUE
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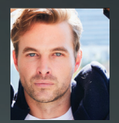
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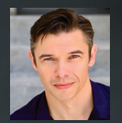
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PASSIONS



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GLAM THROUGH THE AGES



JAMES PRESTON
THE BAY



PAUL TELFER
DAYS OF OUR LIVES



TAMARA TUNIE
BEYOND THE GATES



NISCHELLE TURNER
ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT



SUSAN WALTERS
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS



ALICIA LEIGH WILLIS
ANOTHER WORLD



ANDREW ZIMMERN
ANDREW ZIMMERN'S WILD GAME KITCHEN



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SUPERSKILLED WITH EVA ZU BECK

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PEACOCK
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CAMRYN GRIMES as Mariah Copeland
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

BETH MAITLAND as Traci Abbott
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

TRISHA MANN-GRANT as Leslie Thomas
BEYOND THE GATES
CBS

AMANDA SETTON as Brook Lynn Quartermaine
GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC

OUTSTANDING SOUND MIXING AND SOUND EDITING FOR A PRERECORDED DAYTIME PROGRAM

BARE FEET WITH MICKELA MALLOZZI
Wild Atlantic Way North, Ireland
PBS
[SAUCE & LIVER PRODUCTIONS, LLC]
Production Mixer
Daniel Gaughran
Sound Editor
Jenna Escalera

DREAM OF EUROPE
London Part 1 with Abbey Road Studios
PBS
[DREAM OF ITALY PRODUCTIONS, LLC]
Production Mixer
Jeff Ingram Watson
Re-Recording Mixer
Jonathan Taft
Sound Editor
Chuck Barney Smith

EXPEDITION UNKNOWN
The Man-Eating Lions of Kenya
DISCOVERY CHANNEL
[PING PONG PRODUCTIONS]
Re-Recording Mixer
Ian Howard
Sound Supervisors
Mike Curtis and Freddie DiPasquale
Supervising Sound Editor
David Miraglia

OUTSTANDING SOUND MIXING AND SOUND EDITING FOR A PRERECORDED DAYTIME PROGRAM

CONTINUED

FOREVER YOUNG WITH DR. PABLO PRICHARD
Wheel Of Age
NBC
[HEARST MEDIA PRODUCTION GROUP | AGENCY X]
Supervising Sound Editor
David Barnett

LONG WAY HOME
Lost in Lapland
APPLE
[LONG WAY PRODUCTIONS]
Re-Recording Mixer
Tristan Powell
Sound Supervisor
Tim Boylan
Sound Editors
Will Chapman and Patrick Fripp
Dialogue Editor
Claire Ellis

OUTSTANDING SOUND MIXING AND SOUND EDITING FOR A LIVE DAYTIME PROGRAM

THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL
Episode 9658
CBS
[BELL-PHILLIP TV PRODUCTIONS, INC.]
Production Mixers
J. Aaron Lepley and Tommy Persson
Boom Operators
David Golba and Justin LaMont
Re-Recording Mixer
Brian Connell

THE JENNIFER HUDSON SHOW
Episode 4039
WARNER BROS. TELEVISION
[TELEPICTURES]
Audio Supervisor
Mike Stock
Music Mixer
Josue Pena
PA Mixers
Phil Gebhardt and Tig Moore
A2s
Liza Tan and Ron Thompson
Boom Operator / Band A2
Isaiah Reyes
Monitor Mixers
Liz Cabral and Carlos Torres



OUTSTANDING SOUND MIXING AND SOUND EDITING FOR A LIVE DAYTIME PROGRAM

CONTINUED

THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW

Episode 5007

NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS

Music Mixer
Robert Venable
Front of House Mixer
Omatali Beckett
Associate Music Producer
Rachel Orscher
Audio Supervisor/ Production Mixer
James Slanger
Monitor Mixer
Bob Lewis
Music A2
Bryon Smith
Production A2s
Rebecca Malsburry and Rosa Howell Thornhill

MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE

NBC | PEACOCK

[DONE & DUSTED]
Production Mixers
Greg Acker, Paul Adams, John Ariz, Jay Carrie, Mel Cubero, Frank Duca, Will Finan, Brian Flanzbaum, Josh Flower, Ricardo Gomez, Burton Ishmael, Ultan Molloy, Efrain "Alex" Ortega, Chris Prinzivalli, Alex Raytses, Brian Ready, Sasha Rosario, Tayler Stendel, Ryan Stotts, Yuri Suzuki, Al Theurer, Gianluca Trombetta and Dave Winslow
Audio Supervisors
David Chessman, Steven Giampaolo and John Karwecki
Pre-Production Mixer
Katie Reif
Music Mixers
Charles Campbell, Michael Cruz, Michael Fortunato, Peter Gary, Carl Glanville, Mike Hetzel and Joel Singer
Front of House Mixers
Chris Acker, Jack M. Goodwin, KC Hoffman, Robert Lapp, Jorge Silva and David Swanson
PA Mixers
Jim Van Bergen and Bob Selitto
A2
Amanda Wong

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS

Episode 13260

CBS

[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Production Mixer
Andrzej Warzocha
Post-Production Mixer
Dean Johnson
Boom Operators
Joseph Lawrence and Giovanni Meza
Audio Assists
Godofredo Galvez and Gereald Rojo II
RF Operator
Denise Palm Stones







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OUTSTANDING TRAVEL AND ADVENTURE PROGRAM

EXPEDITION UNKNOWN
DISCOVERY CHANNEL
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Producers
Candice Allgood, Greg Bardsley and Cameron Doyle
Field Producers
Kaylen Hadley and Jack Palermo
Segment Producer
Luke Stevenson
Line Producer
Waydell Walker
Supervising Story Producers
Joe James, Dana Josslin and Amanda Marks
Associate Producer
Jack Carey

LONG WAY HOME
APPLE
[LONG WAY PRODUCTIONS]
Executive Producers
David Alexanian, Charley Boorman, Russ Malkin and Ewan McGregor
Series Producer
Mark Richardson
Producer
Lucy Trujillo
Line Producer
Isobel Ricketts

THE LOVELY LEMURS OF MADAGASCAR
PETS.TV
[ALLEN MEDIA GROUP]
Executive Producers
Byron Allen, Carolyn Folks and Jennifer Lucas
Supervising Producer
Barry W. Ilovitch
Senior Producer
Terence Hill
Executive Producer/Producer/Director
Lisa-Renee Ramirez

SOLO TRAVELING WITH TRACEE ELLIS ROSS
ROKU
[JOY MILL ENTERTAINMENT | STORY SYNDICATE | ARTISTS FIRST]
Executive Producers
Jon Bardin, Kate Barry, Anna Chai, Dan Cogan, Tommy Coriale, E. Brian Dobbins and Tracee Ellis Ross
Co-Executive Producers
Adriana Ambriz and Caroline Soss
Supervising Producer
Julie Fiasconaro
Producer
Maggie Schwartz
Story Producer
George Anagnostakos
Line Producer
Renee Jackson

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Giada in My Kitchen
OUTSTANDING DAYTIME PERSONALITY – NON-DAILY
Giada De Laurentiis

OUTSTANDING DAYTIME PERSONALITY – NON-DAILY

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THE WEEKEND VIEW
ABC NEWS LIVE

DERRICK CAMPANA
THE WIZARD OF PAWS
BYUTV
[NOMADICA FILMS | THE DODO | VOX MEDIA STUDIOS]

GIADA DE LAURENTIIS
GIADA IN MY KITCHEN
PRIME VIDEO
[BUTTERNUT]

KEKE PALMER
GLAM THROUGH THE AGES
KEYTV NETWORK

JOSEPH ROSENDO
JOSEPH ROSENDO'S STEPPIN' OUT
PBS
[JOSEPH ROSENDO PRESENTS]

EVA ZU BECK
SUPERSKILLED WITH EVA ZU BECK
NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

OUTSTANDING EDITING FOR A DAYTIME NON-STUDIO PROGRAM

A DIFFERENT BREED
The Season Begins
INKBLOT NARRATIVES
[PURINA FILMS]
Lead Editor
Bryn Vytlacil
Editors
Erik Becker and Kara Ferrari

EXPEDITION UNKNOWN
Great Pyramid Secrets Revealed
DISCOVERY CHANNEL
[PING PONG PRODUCTIONS]
Editors
William Kiss, Dustin Peterson and Brian Sandidge
Supervising Editor
Rob Claridge

KING OF COLLECTIBLES: THE GOLDIN TOUCH
Ken-ichiwa!
NETFLIX
[SPOKE STUDIOS | OMAHA PRODUCTIONS | FULL DAY PRODUCTIONS]
Editors
Jonathan Brown, Mac Caudill, Alexander Garcia and Kenneth Toley

LONG WAY HOME
Deep in the Forest
APPLE
[LONG WAY PRODUCTIONS]
Editor
Eliane Lazzaris

THE WIZARD OF PAWS
Buster's New Kicks
BYUTV
[NOMADICA FILMS | VOX MEDIA STUDIOS | THE DODO]
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Taylor Servedio

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PROUDLY CELEBRATES

3 DAYTIME EMMY NOMINATIONS



OUTSTANDING LIFESTYLE PROGRAM

OUTSTANDING EDITING For a Non-Studio Program

OUTSTANDING DIRECTING For a Non-Studio Non-Fiction Series

WPP Media

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OUTSTANDING EDITING FOR A DAYTIME STUDIO PROGRAM

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THE DREW BARRYMORE SHOW
Episode 5137
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Episode 5033
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
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OUTSTANDING CULINARY CULTURAL SERIES

AMERICA THE BOUNTIFUL
PBS
[CREDO NONFICTION]
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Jesse Roesler
Executive Producer/Host
Capri Cafaro
Supervising Producer
Hannah Walker
Coordinating Producer
Sam Kaiser
Segment Producer
Miles Painter
Field Producer
Anne Hildebrand

BEST EVER FOOD REVIEW SHOW
BEST EVER FOOD REVIEW SHOW ON YOUTUBE
Executive Producer/Host
William John Sonbuchner

FORK & HAMMER
AMERICAN PUBLIC TELEVISION
[SUSIE FILMS]
Executive Producers
Scott H Galloway and Sheri S Hirshman
Associate Producer
Paula Azuaje

LUCKY CHOW
PBS
[LUCKY RICE]
Executive Producer/Host
Danielle Chang
Producers
Francisco Aliwalas and Clarissa Wei

SAVOR THE CITY
TV-ONE
[POWERHOUSE PRODUCTIONS]
Executive Producers
Sonia Armstead, Rochelle Brown, Susan Henry and Michelle Rice
Executive Producer/Host
Jernard Wells
Senior Supervising Producer
Kenneth Colbert
Associate Producers
Jaylah Holmes and Samaiyah Steward

2026 DAYTIME EMMYS®

OUTSTANDING GUEST PERFORMANCE IN A DAYTIME DRAMA SERIES

JASMINE BURKE as June Hughes
BEYOND THE GATES
CBS

JEFF KOBER as Cyrus Renault
GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC

EVA LARUE as Natalia Rogers-Ramirez
GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC

CHRISTOPHER SEAN as Paul Narita
DAYS OF OUR LIVES
PEACOCK
[CORDAY PRODUCTIONS, INC. | SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

RAY WISE as Ian Ward
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

OUTSTANDING TECHNICAL DIRECTION AND VIDEO FOR A DAYTIME STUDIO PROGRAM

BEYOND THE GATES
Episode 104
CBS
Technical Director
Santiago Garcia
Video Control
Steve Darrell
Head of Technology
Travis Smith

THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL
Episode 9511
CBS
[BELL-PHILLIP TV PRODUCTIONS, INC.]
Technical Director
Gary Chamberlin
Video Control
Keven Scotti
Recordist
George Forbes

DISNEY PARKS MAGICAL CHRISTMAS DAY PARADE
ABC
[DISNEY YELLOW SHOES STUDIOS | FILM 45 | EVERWONDER STUDIO]
Technical Manager
James Coker

THE JENNIFER HUDSON SHOW
Episode 4041
WARNER BROS. TELEVISION
[TELEPICTURES]
Technical Director
Scotty Anderson
Video Control
Chuck Reilly

MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE
NBC | PEACOCK
[DONE & DUSTED]
Senior Technical Director
Dave Saretsky
Technical Director
Rene Butler
Senior Video Control
Oliver Bosill
Video Controls
Taylor Dees and Chris Halloran

OUTSTANDING CINEMATOGRAPHY OR CAMERAWORK FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

DISNEY PARKS MAGICAL CHRISTMAS DAY PARADE
ABC
[DISNEY YELLOW SHOES STUDIOS | FILM 45 | EVERWONDER STUDIO]
Directors of Photography
James Costello, Pete Gill, Alonso Homs, Michelle McCabe, Jon Roche, Joe Sailer, Dylan Sanford, Rick Siegel and Josh Smith
Camera Operators
Scott Acosta, Kristiona Arnds, George Bianchini, Ruben Carillo, William Christensen, Michael Cruickshank, Rob Curschman, Erik Curtis, Alex DiCicco, Chris Ferguson, Jonny Harkins, Shaun Harkins, Sarah Charlee Harrison, Travis Hays, Randy Huggins, Jay Kulick, Jeff Latonero, Adam Lighterman, Andrew Moore, Matt Roe, Aren Rosales, Keyan Safyari, Brian Sheid, Chad Smith and Fed Wetherbee

FRANCE MADE WITH LOVE
PBS
[SYMBIO STUDIOS]
Director of Photography
Thomas Jacobi
Camera Operators
Patrick Greene and Dylan Nathan

GENERAL HOSPITAL
Episode 15719
ABC
Camera Operators
Bruce Cooperman, Dean Cosanella, Gary Ellis Jr., Dave Forrest and Victoria Walker

LONG WAY HOME
Lost in Lapland
APPLE
[LONG WAY PRODUCTIONS]
Cinematographer
Max Cruz
Directors of Photography
Claudio von Planta and Anthony von Seck
Camera Operator
Luke Whatley-Bigg

SUPERSKILLED WITH EVA ZU BECK
They Climb in Skirts... I Tried to Keep Up
NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC
Director of Photography
Josh Monie

TRUESOUTH
Ocean Springs, MS
ESPN | ABC | SEC NETWORK
[BLUEFOOT ENTERTAINMENT]
Directors of Photography
Jeremy Davis, Timothy Horgan and Thomas McCallum
Camera Operators
Mathew Furuta, Santiago Garcia and Matt Spear

2026 DAYTIME EMMYS®

OUTSTANDING ARTS AND POPULAR CULTURE PROGRAM

BEYOND THE GATES: WELCOME TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD
An Entertainment Tonight Special
CBS MEDIA VENTURES
Executive Producer
Erin Johnson
Co-Executive Producers
Leslie Kawaguchi and Whitney Nevill-Wallace
Senior Supervising Producers
Scott Barton and Mylin Watkins
Supervising Producers
Jessica Fletcher, Rande Iaboni, Fadi Khabbaz, Steve Noble, Jama Suchomel and Kelsey Tlush
Coordinating Producer
Bernice Amaya
Senior Producer
Ron Glines
Producers
Heidi Ortlip and Marina Sandorian Knapp
Segment Producers
Andrew Bartlett, Alexandra Blair andre Bonilla andy Buccat, Melissa Buckley, Patrick Chapman, Simone Corbett, Madison De Muri, Karlo Gharabegian, Larry Haro, Michael Novitz, Christopher Perez, Michael Probert, Sarah Rickert, Sean Skinder, Matt Smith, Catherine Sudue, Michael Trahan and Christopher Wiard

OFF SCRIPT WITH THE HOLLYWOOD REPORTER
THE HOLLYWOOD REPORTER
[IFC]
Executive Producers
Shirley Halperin, Rajan Patel, Elisabeth D. Rabishaw, Maer Roshan and Jason Rovou
Supervising Producers
Lesley Corral and Stephanie Fischette
Producers
Laura Hertzfeld, Mikey O'Connell, Jeanie Pyun, Arnulfo Romero, Lacey Rose and Curtis Thompson
Post Producer
James Raymond

VARIETY & CNN ACTORS ON ACTORS
CNN ALL ACCESS | VARIETY
Executive Producers
Amy Entelis, Donna Pennestri, Ramin Setoodeh and Roxanna Sherwood
Supervising Producers
Katie Adler, Mark Hayes, Ryan Robinson and Nick Stango
Producers
Georg Kallert and Rob Schroeder
Post Production Supervisor
Raymond Wright
Senior Director of Production
Whitney Berry
Vice President, Post Production
John Cooke

VARIETY STUDIO: ACTORS ON ACTORS
PBS
Executive Producers
Michelle Merker, Donna Pennestri andrew Russell and Ramin Setoodeh
Producers
Maris Berzins, Georg Kallert, Diana Nguyen and Rob Schroeder
Associate Producers
Katie Adler and Sydney Kramer

WORKING IN THE THEATRE
AMERICANTHEATREWING.ORG
Executive Producer
Heather A. Hitchens
Producers
Lara Atry, Yoanna Nikolova and Ian Weiss

OUTSTANDING SUPPORTING PERFORMANCE IN A DAYTIME DRAMA SERIES: ACTOR

SEAN DOMINIC as Nate Hastings
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

TIMON KYLE DURRETT as Bill Hamilton
BEYOND THE GATES
CBS

MICHAEL GRAZIADEI as Daniel Romalotti
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

ROGER HOWARTH as Matt Clark
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

MIKE MANNING as Bradley "Smitty" Smith
BEYOND THE GATES
CBS

LAWRENCE SAINT-VICTOR as Carter Walton
THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL
CBS
[BELL-PHILLIP TV PRODUCTIONS, INC.]

OUTSTANDING COSTUME DESIGN / STYLING FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

THE JENNIFER HUDSON SHOW
Episode 4041
WARNER BROS. TELEVISION
[TELEPICTURES]
Wardrobe Supervisor
Jacey Stamler
Costume Designer
Kellen Richards

THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW
Episode 5033
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
Wardrobe Supervisor
Earl Nicholson
Host Stylist
Micaela Erlanger
Host Wardrobe Supervisor
Arleisha Randle

MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE
NBC | PEACOCK
[DONE & DUSTED]
Costume Supervisors
Dion Demetries and Kimberly Montgomery
Costume Designer
Jeanie Cheek
Costumers
Robin Bemporad, Jacquelyn Demayo, Nerissa Diaz, Robin Erichsen, Madison Gonzalez, Pedro Rodrigo González, Bridget Hughes, Karen Macias López, Karen Malecki, Jaimie Odom, Michael Patierno, Juliet Pettit and Larry Young
Wardrobe Stylists
Lyle Jones, Ra Poole, Cristine Richmond and Alex Rozansky

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
Episode 13149
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Costume Designer
Mandi Line
Costumers
Mona Alm, Craig Aspden, Scott Burkhart, Samantha Burpee, Nikki Guzik, Lindsey Halfhill, Juliet Huerta, Tony Lorito, Whitney Oppenheimer and Laura Tiefer

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
Episode 13273
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Costume Designer
Mandi Line
Costumers
Mona Alm, Craig Aspden, Scott Burkhart, Samantha Burpee, Nikki Guzik, Lindsey Halfhill, Juliet Huerta, Tony Lorito, Whitney Oppenheimer and Laura Tiefer

OUTSTANDING HAIRSTYLING AND MAKEUP FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

BEYOND THE GATES
Episode 103
CBS
Makeup Artists
Shayniah Brown, Reese Lee and Myla Young
Key Makeup Artist
Shaneka Murray
Hairstylists
Christy Caudle, Jeremey Johnson and Antoinia Pratt
Key Hairstylist
Wayne Jolla Jr.
Hair and Makeup Department Heads
Wankaya Hinkson and Stevie Martin

GENERAL HOSPITAL
Episode 15719
ABC
Head Makeup Artist
Karol Young Moses
Makeup Artists
Luiza Adzhiyan, Samantha Barrows, Gayatri Bhamidipaty, Wendy Fisher Spears, Heather Pepe, Priscilla Castro Preciado, Jacklyn Quackenbush, Stephanie Riley and Alexandra Fleck Whittle
Head Hairstylist
Anzhela Adzhiyan
Hairstylists
Gabriella Di Pinto, Aura Moreno, Alyssa Mukai, Valerie Nelson, Wendy Giraldo Pineda, Priscilla Quiroz, Abraham Joseph Rivera and Feanna Smith

OUTSTANDING HAIRSTYLING AND MAKEUP FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

CONTINUED

THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW
Episode 5033
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
Makeup Artists
Judy Chung, Ja Nina Lee and Laura Pugliese
Key Makeup Artist
Jovanna Risco
Hairstylists
Handri Gunawan and Korynn Gonzalez Novolny
Key Hairstylist
Kerry Joly
Department Supervisor
Earl Nicholson
Host Hair, Department Head
Corey Morris
Host Make Up, Department Head
Gloria Elias-Foeillet
Wig Stylist
Brittany Hartman

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
Episode 13273
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Head Makeup Artist
Jerry Avila
Makeup Artists
Yadira Lopez, Orlando Marin and Cynthia Ramirez
Head Hairstylist
Lauren Mendoza
Hairstylists
Michelle Corona, Justin Jackson and Adriana Lucio

OUTSTANDING DAYTIME SHORT FORM PROGRAM

CATALYST
LINKEDIN NEWS
Executive Producers
Courtney Coupe, Enrique Montalvo, David Pond and Dan Roth
Executive Producer/Writer/Director
Stephen Francisco Valdivia Duarte
Supervising Producers
Maya Pope-Chappell and Wesley Wingo
Senior Producer
Nina Ibarra
Producers
Joy Carlos, Taisha Henry, John Jones, Julia Lull, Kayse McCartie, Sarah Scully, Brandon Stefanowitz, Rachel Wang and Joachim Wiese

GLAM THROUGH THE AGES
KEYTV NETWORK
Executive Producers
Lenoria Addison, Keke Palmer, Sharon Palmer and Max Wyeth
Producer
Patrick Garney
Director
Justin Coloma

MOST-ORDERED
EATER
Executive Producer
Stephen Pelletteri
Supervising Producer
Connor Reid
Post Supervising Producer
Lucy Morales Carlisle
Head of Production
Stefania Orrù

THE PATH WITH RYAN ROSLANSKY
LINKEDIN NEWS
Executive Producers
Courtney Coupe, Florencia Iriondo, Enrique Montalvo, David Pond, Ryan Roslansky and Dan Roth
Executive Producer/Writer/Director
Stephen Francisco Valdivia Duarte
Supervising Producer
Wesley Wingo
Senior Producer
Nina Melendez Ibarra
Coordinating Producers
Valerie Berry, Tatiana De Almeida, Caroline Gaffney and Jessica Mullen
Producers
Taisha Henry and Rachel Wang
Segment Producers
Jakiera Monea Madeam, Noelle Smith and Rowan Vogel
Writer
Oleksandra Kuznietsova

STAND UP AND DO SOMETHING WITH MICHAEL JR.
BYUTV
[MONUMENT PICTURES]
Executive Producers
James Alexander andra Johnson Duke, Luke Johnson, Nancy Moore, Marty Patch and Jeff Simpson
Senior Producer
Laurel Myler
Coordinating Producers
Rod Gustafson, Chris Moore, Grace Moore, Jake Peterson and Genevieve Purdy
Line Producer
John Williams
Producers
Marshal Davis and Trey Tagliaferri
Director
Tim Irwin
Writer
Charlotte Sheppard
Producer/Writer
Michael Jr.

OUTSTANDING DAYTIME TALK SERIES HOST

JOY BEHAR, WHOOPI GOLDBERG, ALYSSA FARAH GRIFFIN, SARA HAINES, SUNNY HOSTIN & ANA NAVARRO
THE VIEW
ABC

KELLY CLARKSON
THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS

TAMRON HALL
TAMRON HALL
DISNEY ENTERTAINMENT DISTRIBUTION

JENNIFER HUDSON
THE JENNIFER HUDSON SHOW
WARNER BROS. TELEVISION
[TELEPICTURES]

SHERRI SHEPHERD
SHERRI
DEBMAR-MERCURY

OUTSTANDING MAIN TITLE AND GRAPHIC DESIGN FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

THE DREW BARRYMORE SHOW
CBS MEDIA VENTURES
Designers
Alyssa Mesa, Megan Mucci and Chris Polovick-Waggy

THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
Lead Graphic Artist
Christian Cerrillia
Graphic Artist
Stephanie Gonzalez

TAMRON HALL
DISNEY ENTERTAINMENT DISTRIBUTION
Graphic Artists
Christine Bottross, Lena Green and Roberto Nuez

OUTSTANDING DAYTIME SPECIAL

CRITICS CHOICE 2ND ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF LGBTQ+ CINEMA & TELEVISION
HERE TV
Executive Producers
Joey Berlin, Paul Colichman, Stephen P Jarchow and John Mongiardo
Supervising Producer
Brett Ostro
Coordinating Producers
Scott Dearborn and Augie Max Vargus
Producers
Madelyn Hammond and Javier Infante
Line Producer
Austin Angelo
Associate Producers
Joshua Estrada, David Garcia and Mike Scantlan
Director
David Millbern

DISNEY PARKS MAGICAL CHRISTMAS DAY PARADE
ABC
[DISNEY YELLOW SHOES STUDIOS | FILM 45 | EVERWONDER STUDIO]
Executive Producers
Michael Antinoro, Sally Hopkins Conner, Ashley Edens, Tiffany Faigus, Bill Fortney and Alfonso Ribeiro
Co-Executive Producers
Victoria Chamlee, David Guertin and Rob Paine
Supervising Producer
Brian Cavallaro
Senior Producers
Joe Davidi, Stephanie Ridenour and Jessica Safran
Senior Producer/Writers
Meggie McFadden and Steven Murphy
Producers
Natalie Allsup, Ricky Anderson, Michael Elliott, Bella Hutchins, Homa Kohan, Melanie Shrock, Eddie Singleton, Nadira Sookram and Kristy Sowin
Talent Producer
Suzanne Bender
Line Producers
Christie Acquazzino and David Hetzron
Executive In Charge of Production
Steven Kaplan
Consulting Producer
Rhonda Parker-Nagle
Creative Producers
Pam Chu, Mandy Moore, Tracy Shibata and Tamlyn Wright
Associate Producers
Chris Chapman, Nicole Kraemer, Madison Speas and Jeanne Zamora
Associate Directors
Sophia Bonhomme, Matt Goldstein, Susan Kopensky and Debbie Palacio
Directed By
Liz Clare
Segment Directors
James Barnes and Sam Wrench
Senior Producer/Segment Director
Connor Malbeuf
Stage Managers
John Esposito, Keith Jones, Gary Natoli, Eric Pai, Ron Paul and Jackie Stathis

LIVING PROOF
HULU
[THE DIVA FOUNDATION | SHIVELIGHT LLC | ZABLES & ASSOCIATES]
Executive Producers
Norman Lee, Sheryl Lee Ralph and Michiel Thomas
Executive Producer/Director
Zeberiah Newman
Producers
Sean Black, Freda Jones, Kennedi Lowman, Candace Meadows, Sybil Miller and Leah Turner

MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE
NBC | PEACOCK
[DONE & DUSTED]
Executive Producers
Will Coss, Liz Kelly and Katy Mullan
Co-Executive Producer
Patrick Menton
Supervising Producer
Adam Wald
Coordinating Producer
Carmela Tripodi
Producers
Jordan Dabby, Barbra Dannov, Sara Flores, Kassiani Mamalakis, Shaun Smith and Kathleen Donahue Wright
Talent Producer
Liz Colabraro
Segment Producers
Casey B. Davis, Mario Garcia andrew Godsick, Aaron Sasson, Barry Sprague and Alex Veitmeier
Line Producers
Cate Gropper, Carolynn Kolinsky and Jana Lerner
Creative Producers
RJ Durell, Nick Florez and Brendan Kennedy
Writer
Meggie McFadden
Director
Joe DeMaio
Associate Directors
John Coleman, Janine DeVito, Renee Goldkorn, Amy Mancini, Adam Mishler, Susan Sullivan, Corissa Trani and Jackie Twohie
Consulting Producer / Associate Director
Bill Bracken
Stage Managers
Joey Despenzero, Phyllis Diglio, Kevin Lishawa, Julie LoRusso, Linda Spadaro-Carrizzo, Thomas Ucciferri and Eddie Valk

UNLEASHING HOPE: THE POWER OF SERVICE DOGS FOR CHILDREN WITH AUTISM
HULU
[NY27 PRODUCTIONS | SHIVELIGHT LLC | ZABLES & ASSOCIATES]
Executive Producers
Hilary Estey McLoughlin, Terence J. Noonan and Rosie O'Donnell
Executive Producer/Directors
Zeberiah Newman and Michiel Thomas
Producers
Kim Miller, Molly Nestor and Leah Turner

OUTSTANDING EMERGING TALENT IN A DAYTIME DRAMA SERIES

BRAEDYN BRUNER as Emma Scorpio-Drake
GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC

AL CALDERON as Javier Hernandez
DAYS OF OUR LIVES
PEACOCK
[CORDAY PRODUCTIONS, INC. | SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

ALICE HALSEY as Rachel Black
DAYS OF OUR LIVES
PEACOCK
[CORDAY PRODUCTIONS, INC. | SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

GIOVANNI MAZZA as Gio Palmieri
GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC

AMBYR MICHELLE as Eva Thomas
BEYOND THE GATES
CBS

ARIELLE PREPETIT as Naomi Hamilton
HAWTHORNE
BEYOND THE GATES
CBS

OUTSTANDING LIGHTING DIRECTION FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

BEYOND THE GATES
Episode 104
CBS
Lighting Directors
Victor Bland and Vincent Steib

GENERAL HOSPITAL
Episode 15624
ABC
Lighting Designers
Robert Bessoir, Melanie Mohr and George Webster

THE JENNIFER HUDSON SHOW
Episode 4010
WARNER BROS. TELEVISION
[TELEPICTURES]
Lighting Designer
Sean Post
Lighting Directors
Kevin Cauley and Brian Freidin

THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW
Episode 6169
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
Lighting Designer
Darren Langer
Lighting Director
John Daniels

MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE
NBC | PEACOCK
[DONE & DUSTED]
Lighting Designer
Geoff Amoral
Lighting Directors
Trevor Brown, Michael Gottlieb, Rick McGuiness and Tim Stasse

2026 DAYTIME EMMYS®

OUTSTANDING ART DIRECTION / SET DECORATION / SCENIC DESIGN FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW
Episode 5033
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
Production Designer
Jason Kirschner
Art Director
Kait Taylor
Principal Production Designer
James Pearse Connelly

LIVE WITH KELLY AND MARK
Episode 250414
DISNEY ENTERTAINMENT DISTRIBUTION
Production Designer
Michael Fagin
Art Directors
Michael Carnahan, Yoomi Chong and Hilary Noxon

THE VIEW
Episode 6280
ABC
Art Director
Mark Erbaugh

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
Episode 13145
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Production Designer
David Hoffmann
Art Director
Jennifer Savala
Set Decorators
Maria Dirolf, Jennifer Haybach, Monica Lowe and Justine Mercado

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
Episode 13244
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Production Designer
David Hoffmann
Art Director
Jennifer Savala
Set Decorators
Maria Dirolf, Jennifer Haybach, Monica Lowe and Justine Mercado

OUTSTANDING LEGAL / COURTROOM SERIES

CAUGHT IN PROVIDENCE
DEBMAR-MERCURY
Executive Producers
Irene Caprio, Joseph Caprio and Brad Johnson
Executive Producer/Host
Frank Caprio
Supervising Producer
Taylor Warf
Producers
David Caprio, John Caprio and Tristan Zimmerman

DIVORCE COURT
FOX
Executive Producers
Randy Pennington and Claudia Perez Richards
Executive Producer/Host
Star Jones
Co-Executive Producer
Will Richards
Supervising Producer
Kayla Beal
Coordinating Producer
Sonja Solomun
Senior Producer
Jeffrey Lindgren
Producers
Katharine Evans, Georgetta Foreman, Tarvenia Jones, Erin Viola and Katrina Ware
Story Producer
Luana Figueroa
Line Producer
Chelsea Milsap
Associate Producers
Robin Daughtry, Tori Davis, Destinee Dubose, Dominique Harrell, Brailey Johnson, Courtney Johnson and Kala Ross
Co-Host
Corey Jovan

JUSTICE FOR THE PEOPLE WITH JUDGE MILIAN
ENTERTAINMENT STUDIOS
Executive Producers
Byron Allen, Carolyn Folks, Jennifer Lucas and Patricia J. Wilson
Supervising Producers
Barry W. Ilovitch and Maurnie Isaacs
Senior Producers
Terence Hill, Jeff Kueppers, Jeff Pitts and DuSean Williams
Producers
Brandon Broady, Robert Hill, Lisa Nicole Jackson, Joe O'Brien, Lois Yaffee and Gina Yates
Senior Post Producers
Melanie Fields and Angela Smith
Post Producers
Alexis M Brown, Rachel Doe, Rob Forman, Matt Karambelas, Lynette Lewis, Robert Longmire and Rachel Nee-Hall
Senior Post Production Supervisor
Jeff Kloehn
Associate Producers
Abby Boglioli, Rahul Chatterjee, Jeremy Christian, Joshua Margin, Noah Omobolanle, Kyra Schwartz, Nicholas Telman, Neil Tinkham and Abdul Williams
Host
Judge Marilyn Milian
Co-Host
Andrew Music Williams

MATHIS COURT WITH JUDGE MATHIS
ENTERTAINMENT STUDIOS
Executive Producers
Byron Allen, Carolyn Folks, Jennifer Lucas and Patricia J. Wilson
Supervising Producers
Barry W Ilovitch and Maurnie Isaacs
Senior Producers
Terence Hill, Jeff Kueppers, Jeff Pitts and DuSean Williams
Producers
Brandon Broady, Robert Hill, Lisa Nicole Jackson, Joe O'Brien, Lois Yaffee and Gina Yates
Senior Post Producers
Melanie Fields and Angela Smith
Post Producers
Alexis M Brown, Rachel Doe, Rob Forman, Rachel Nee Hall, Matt Karambelas, Lynette Lewis and Robert Longmire
Senior Post Production Supervisor
Jeff Kloehn
Associate Producers
Abby Boglioli, Rahul Chatterjee, Jeremy Christian, Joshua Margin, Noah Omobolanle, Kyra Schwartz, Nicholas Telman, Neil Tinkham and Abdul Williams
Host
Judge Greg Mathis
Co-Host
Amir Mathis

OUTSTANDING DAYTIME PERSONALITY – DAILY

MONA KOSAR ABDI, DEREK HOUGH & TERRI SEYMOUR
EXTRA
WARNER BROS. TELEVISION
[TELEPICTURES]

CASSIE DILAURA, DENNY DIRECTO, KEVIN FRAZIER, RACHEL SMITH & NISCHELLE TURNER
ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT
CBS MEDIA VENTURES

SCOTT EVANS, ZURI HALL, KIT HOOVER & MARIO LOPEZ
ACCESS HOLLYWOOD
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS

STAR JONES & COREY JOVAN
DIVORCE COURT
FOX

OUTSTANDING MUSIC DIRECTION AND COMPOSITION FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

BEYOND THE GATES
Episode 103
CBS
Music Supervisor
Ashley Neumeister
Music Composers
Daeus Cannon, Kurt Farquhar, Zuberi Mackson and Joshua Mosley

HAVE GUITAR WILL TRAVEL WORLD
The Shetland Sound
AMERICAN PUBLIC TELEVISION
[HAVE GUITAR WILL TRAVEL WORLD, LLC]
Music Supervisors
Kevin Doherty and Andrea Engleson
Music Composers
Mark Allen and John Rodrigue

THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW
Episode 5033
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
Music Director
Jason Halbert

LET FRANKIE COOK
Getting the Band Back Together
TASTEMADE
[LINGUINE PICTURES]
Music Composer
Luke Celenza

MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE
NBC | PEACOCK
[DONE & DUSTED]
Music Director
Ray Chew

OUTSTANDING CASTING FOR A DAYTIME PROGRAM

BEYOND THE GATES
CBS
Casting Director
Kim Coleman
Associate Casting Director
Emily Fleischer

GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC
Casting Director
Mark Teschner
Associate Casting Director
Lisa Booth

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Casting Director
Gregory Salmon

OUTSTANDING ENTERTAINMENT NEWS SERIES

ACCESS HOLLYWOOD
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
Executive Producers
Julie Cooper and Michael Marson
Co-Executive Producer
Jennifer Antonelli
Senior Supervising Producers
Alyson DiFranco, Jennifer Dixon, Susan Moore, Cara Petry and Sharon Spaeth
Supervising Producers
Mike Hazlitt and Michael Soares
Coordinating Producers
Kimberly Huber, Lauren Mintzer-Clark, Emily Orozco and Adam Spiegelman
Senior Field Producer
Courtney Andrews
Segment Producers
Mackenzie Boss, Amanda Cerruti, Shaniece Cole, Patrick Farrelly, Sommer Green, Riccarda Lacey, Kate Schroeder and Marielle Williams
Executive In Charge of Production
John Butler
Field Producers
Anthony DeFranco, Mark Noble and Allyson Thompson
Associate Producers
Deyton Deller, Matthew Izzo and Maddie Padilla
Creative Producer
Anna Vossler
Senior Associate Producers
Terrell Medley and Danielle Pendleton
Senior Segment Producer
Shareen King
Senior Talent Bookers
Jennifer Aguillon and Ric Enriquez
Supervising Field Producer
Julie McGovern

ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT
CBS MEDIA VENTURES
Executive Producer
Erin Johnson
Co-Executive Producers
Leslie Kawaguchi and Whitney Nevill-Wallace
Senior Supervising Producers
Scott Barton and Mylin Watkins
Supervising Producers
Donna Barns, Jen Cady, Claudia Cagan, Jessica Fletcher, Carolyn Greenspan, Rande Iaboni, Fadi Khabbaz, Linda Kim, Emily Leftkowitz, Rachel Maresca, Steve Noble, Amy Purnell Silberman andy Reyes, Brice Sander, Marina Sandorian Knapp, Rachel Stern, Jama Suchomel, Kelsey Tlush and Ben Wallace
Coordinating Producer
Deidre Behar
Senior Producers
Felidette Blasucci, Ron Glines and Brenda Rodriguez
Producer
Heidi Ortlip
Segment Producers
Andrew Bartlett, Alexandra Blair andre Bonilla andy Buccat, Melissa Buckley, Patrick Chapman, Leon Coleman, Simone Corbett, Madison De Muri, Karlo Gharabegian, Larry Haro, Haley Mendoza, Elizabeth Mortham, Darla Murray, Michael Novitz, Christopher Perez, Michael Probert, Sarah Rickert, Dan Schanks, Sean Skinder, Carly Sloane, Matt Smith, Nikki Snook, Catherine Sudue, Michael Trahan and Christopher Wiard
Field Producer
Steve Wilks
Associate Producers
Bridget Fallon and Ashley Urena
Hosts
Kevin Frazier and Nischelle Turner
Correspondents
Cassie DiLaura, Denny Directo and Rachel Smith

EXTRA
WARNER BROS. TELEVISION
[TELEPICTURES]
Executive Producers
Theresa Coffino and Jeremy Spiegel
Senior Supervising Producers
Yvette Corporan, Matthew Ferrell and Mike Miller
Senior Coordinating Producer
Jennifer Lavin
Senior Producers
Dave Geha, Reed Grinsell, Kevin Keefer, Leslie Lindsay, Francesca Scarpaci and Adam Weissler
Producers
David Harrison, Bryant Huddleston and Rayquan Taylor
Talent Producer
Ronli Forcell
Line Producer
Ben Church
Executives In Charge of Production
Denise Callahan and Marc Votto
Associate Producer
Cesar Duran
Senior Booking Producer
Nicki Fertile
Bureau Chiefs
Marie Hickey and Steve Weiser
News Producer
Ashley Lawyer
Managing Editor
Fatana Nawabi
Correspondents
Melvin Robert and Terri Seymour
Co-Executive Producer/Host
Derek Hough
Managing Editor/Host
Billy Bush
Senior Correspondent
Mona Kosar Abdi

OUTSTANDING CULINARY HOST

KARDEA BROWN
Delicious Miss Brown
FOOD NETWORK
[FRANK.]

DANIELLE CHANG
Lucky Chow
PBS
[LUCKY RICE]

INA GARTEN
Be My Guest with Ina Garten
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OUTSTANDING WRITING FOR A DAYTIME NON-FICTION SERIES

ASK THIS OLD HOUSE
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Story Editors
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EXPEDITION UNKNOWN
Searching for World War II's Lost Hero
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Cuba
PBS
[JOSEPH ROSENDO PRESENTS]
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LUCKY CHOW
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PBS
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Writer
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THIS OLD HOUSE
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PBS | ROKU
Writers
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OUTSTANDING DAYTIME TALK SERIES

3RD HOUR OF TODAY

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Evan Klupt
Operations Producers
Katie Avebe, Tracy Elrod, Erin Feeney and Grace Yavana
Producers
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Senior Booking Producers
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CBS MEDIA VENTURES

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Senior Supervising Producers
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Supervising Producers
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Post Producer
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Senior Co-Executive Producer
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Senior Supervising Producer
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Coordinating Producers
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Senior Producers
Caragh Donley, Elizabeth Gentry, Karl Newton, Laura Palmer, Bob Read, Ashley Reynolds and Caesar Rivera
Senior Segment Producer
Jasmine Stephen
Producers
Megan Barry, Kevin Hurley, Courtney Jackson and Eric Jackson
Talent Producer
Chris McDonald
Line Producer
Arnold Ross
Post Supervisor
Brandon Harris
Supervising Post Producer
Austin Mills
Post Producer
Jeanne-Marie Bremer
Field Producer
Bryce McLeay
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Talent Producers
Kelly Burkhard and Bill Cabral
Executive In Charge of Production
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TODAY WITH JENNA & FRIENDS

NBC

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Senior Coordinating Producers
Evan Klupt and Elizabeth Laskie-Gonzalez
Supervising Producers
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Coordinating Producers
Katie Avebe, Elizabeth Bader, Brittany Bosner and Abigail Russ
Senior Producers
Meredith Reis, Lexi Rudolph, Gavin Shulman and Megan Stackhouse
Senior Booking Producers
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Producers
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Booking Producer
Brooke Glatz Burckhardt
Line Producer
Ben Bass
Supervising Post Producer
Stephen DiDio
Culinary Producer
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OUTSTANDING DAYTIME TALK SERIES
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Supervising Producers
Nathan Geddie and Summur Shaikh
Senior Producers
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Line Producer
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CREATING THOR'S SWORD FOR MARVEL! - ART OF BLACKSMITHING
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[CENTRAL GREAT LAKES CHAPTER]
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[CHICAGO/MIDWEST CHAPTER]
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REQUIEM FOR COLOUR: A JOURNEY THROUGH LAMENT AND JOY
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[MIDSOUTH CHAPTER]
Audio Recording Engineer
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[HEARTLAND CHAPTER]
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Director
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Graphic Artist
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ROUTES: TULSA SOUND
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Andrea Johnston
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OUTSTANDING LEAD PERFORMANCE IN A DAYTIME DRAMA SERIES: ACTRESS

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DAYS OF OUR LIVES
PEACOCK
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KARLA MOSLEY as Dani Dupree
BEYOND THE GATES
CBS

MICHELLE STAFFORD as Phyllis Summers
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

HEATHER TOM as Katie Logan
THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL
CBS
[BELL-PHILLIP TV PRODUCTIONS, INC.]

TAMARA TUNIE as Anita Williams Dupree
BEYOND THE GATES
CBS

OUTSTANDING DIRECTING FOR A DAYTIME NON-STUDIO NON-FICTION SERIES

A DIFFERENT BREED
The Season Begins
INKBLOT NARRATIVES
[PURINA FILMS]
Directors
Erik Becker and Aaron Bowden

LET FRANKIE COOK
Pasta From Scratch
TASTEMADE
[LINGUINE PICTURES]
Director
Anne Fox

SAMANTHA BROWN'S PLACES TO LOVE
Crystal Coast of North Carolina
PBS
[SAMANTHA BROWN MEDIA]
Director
Sylvia Caminer

SUPERSKILLED WITH EVA ZU BECK
How I Survived a Trek Through the Desert Alone
NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC
Director
Eva zu Beck

THE WIZARD OF PAWS
Buster's New Kicks
BYUTV
[NOMADICA FILMS | THE DODO | VOX MEDIA STUDIOS]
Director
Hannah Altschwager

OUTSTANDING DIRECTING TEAM FOR A DAYTIME DRAMA SERIES

DAYS OF OUR LIVES
PEACOCK
[CORDAY PRODUCTIONS, INC. | SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
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Noel Maxam and Scott McKinsey
Associate Directors
Kevin Church, Michael Fiamingo, Joseph Lumer, Sara Peterson McCormick and Holly Metts
Stage Managers
Jessie Lynn Harrison and Lucy Yalenian
Production Associates
Adriana Alvarado, Alexis Straiten and Jennifer Werwage

GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC
Directors
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Associate Directors
Teresa Cicala, Peter Fillmore, Paul S. Glass, Nate Hapke, Marika Kushel, Dave MacLeod and Christine Magarian Ucar
Stage Managers
Kyle Bell and Craig McManus
Production Associates
Kelli Kuschman and Elizabeth McCann

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Directors
Michael Eilbaum, Elizabeth Hendrickson, Kai Kim, Sally McDonald, Nancy Ortenberg and Owen Renfroe
Associate Directors
Derek Berlatsky andrew Hachem and Robbin Phillips
Stage Managers
Martin Fritz Brekeller and Kristin Doherty
Production Associates
Jennifer Bisgrove, Alexandra Jensen and Andrew Wells

OUTSTANDING DIRECTING FOR A DAYTIME STUDIO NON-FICTION SERIES

CRAFT ROUNDTABLES
Editors
INDIEWIRE.COM
Director
Mary Pelloni

THE DREW BARRYMORE SHOW
Episode 5127
CBS MEDIA VENTURES
Director
Scot Titelbaum
Associate Director
Sara Tannor
Stage Managers
Veda Carey and Liz Keane

ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT
Episode 45.7
CBS
Director
Brian Campbell
Associate Directors
Brad Magon, Marina Sandorian-Knapp and Ben Wallace
Stage Manager
John Kornarens

THE KELLY CLARKSON SHOW
Episode 5033
NBCUNIVERSAL SYNDICATION STUDIOS
Director
Joe Terry
Associate Director
Diana Horn
Stage Managers
Brendan Higgins, Cyndi Owgang and Elise Reaves

TODAY WITH JENNA & FRIENDS
Hoda-Bration
NBC
Director
Lee Miller
Associate Director
Mary Ellen Duffy
Stage Managers
Dave Auerbach, Michael Avitable, Yosef Herzog and Zachary Schiffman

OUTSTANDING INSTRUCTIONAL / HOW-TO PROGRAM

ASK THIS OLD HOUSE
PBS | ROKU
Executive Producers
Michael Burton, Sarah Chasse and Chris Wolfe
Producers
Adam Bush and Rebecca Galvin
Story Producers
Deb Luchini and Gary Stephenson
Associate Producers
Aleese Gooden, Telia Stevens and Makayla Townsend

FIXER UPPER: COLORADO MOUNTAIN HOUSE
MAGNOLIA NETWORK
[BLIND NIL]
Executive Producers
Carly Duncan, Chip Gaines, Joanna Gaines, Aric Laferriere, Jarrett Lambo and Charles Marquardt
Co-Executive Producer
Samantha Day

HOME TOWN TAKEOVER
HGTV
[RTR MEDIA INC.]
Executive Producers
Jenna Keane, Liz Kerrigan, Lara Leavoy, Toni Miceli, Kit Redmond and Nicole Sawatzke
Co-Executive Producers
Debra Felstead, Jonathan Garcia Mainou and Jim MacPherson
Supervising Producer
Brian Gonzalez
Line Producer
Brigitte Demeter
Consulting Producer
Angela Tarrant
Associate Producer
Estefania Guarderas

THE LAST WRIGHT: BUILDING THE FINAL HOME DESIGN OF AMERICA'S GREATEST ARCHITECT
MAGNOLIA NETWORK
[ONE TRAVELER | ALL3MEDIA | MIZIKER ENTERTAINMENT]
Executive Producers
G. Richard Beddingfield, Jen Casey, Dominic Ciccodicola, Chip Gaines, Joanna Gaines, Nick Gilhool, Ryan Miziker, Vanessa Roth and Alex Walton
Co-Executive Producer
Bobbi Conway
Supervising Producer
Devorah Palladino
Producers
John Bassett and Molly O'Callaghan
Line Producer
Rebecca Gibson

THIS OLD HOUSE
PBS | ROKU
Executive Producers
Michael Burton, John Tomlin and Chris Wolfe
Senior Producer
Sara Ferguson
Producers
Katie Buckley, Chris Ermides and Deb Luchini
Story Producers
Adam Bush and Gary Stephenson
Associate Producer
Meghan O'Neill

OUTSTANDING LIFESTYLE PROGRAM

A DIFFERENT BREED
INKBLOT NARRATIVES
[PURINA FILMS]
Executive Producers
Erik Becker, Aaron Bowden, Angela Minges and Michelle Senay
Supervising Producer
Lauren Bernstein
Coordinating Producers
Kaylee Kuhlmann and Kara Paar
Line Producer
June Gibson
Story Producer
Josh Dabee
Talent Producer
Valerie Luther

GEORGE TO THE RESCUE
NBC
Executive Producers
Meredith McGinn, George Oliphant, Marni Sabia and Andrew Scerbo
Senior Producers
Andrew Bank and Rommel Garcia
Producers
Kyle Livingstone and Samantha Staller
Associate Producer
Paige Stern

WITH LOVE, MEGHAN
NETFLIX
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION | INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY CORPORATION (IPC) | ARCHEWELL PRODUCTIONS]
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Senior Producers
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India Kline and Hyacinth Parker
Field Producers
Kerry Klimpel and Tiona Langley

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HALLMARK CHANNEL | HALLMARK+
[SCOUT PRODUCTIONS | DEEP BLUE PRODUCTIONS]
Executive Producers
Connie Britton, Erin Coan, David Collins, Rob Eric, Eric Korsh, Renata Lombardo, Larissa A.K. Matsson and Michael Williams
Senior Supervising Producer
Jennifer Kaiser
Senior Producer
Melissa Ocampo
Line Producer
Michael Harris
Consulting Producer
David Marker
Story Producers
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Associate Producers
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THE WIZARD OF PAWS
BYUTV
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Executive Producers
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Associate Producers
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OUTSTANDING CULINARY INSTRUCTIONAL SERIES

ANDREW ZIMMERN'S WILD GAME KITCHEN
TASTEMADE | A&E
[INTUITIVE CONTENT]
Executive Producers
Patrick McMahill, Jason Wallace and Patrick Weiland
Executive Producer/Host
Andrew Zimmern
Coordinating Producer
Kate Kratoska
Producers
Adam Honzl and Joy Mulholland
Culinary Producers
Madeleine Hill and Jamie Preuss
Field Producer
Trish Lundberg-O'Halloran
Line Producer
Dan Olson



OUTSTANDING CULINARY INSTRUCTIONAL SERIES
CONTINUED

BE MY GUEST WITH INA GARTEN
FOOD NETWORK
[PACIFIC PRODUCTIONS]
Executive Producers
Olivia Ball and Rachel Purnell
Producer
Jenna Reynolds
Culinary Producer
Abigail Derethik
Line Producers
Jake Camp and Carl Green

DELICIOUS MISS BROWN
FOOD NETWORK
[FRANK.]
Executive Producers
Dan Connell and Pasquale DeFazio
Supervising Producer
Jeanette Donnarumma
Culinary Producer
Allison Cancro
Line Producer
Natalie Burgess

MAGNOLIA TABLE: AT THE FARM
MAGNOLIA NETWORK
[BLIND NIL]
Executive Producers
Carly Duncan, Chip Gaines, Joanna Gaines, Aric Laferriere and Jarrett Lambo
Co-Executive Producer
Julian Londoño

PATI'S MEXICAN TABLE
PBS
[MEXICAN TABLE LLC | EARLY LIGHT MEDIA]
Executive Producer/Host
Pati Jinich

OUTSTANDING LEAD PERFORMANCE IN A DAYTIME DRAMA SERIES: ACTOR

ERIC BRAEDEN as Victor Newman
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

STEVE BURTON as Jason Morgan
GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC

SCOTT CLIFTON as Liam Spencer
THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL
CBS
[BELL-PHILLIP TV PRODUCTIONS, INC.]

THORSTEN KAYE as Ridge Forrester
THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL
CBS
[BELL-PHILLIP TV PRODUCTIONS, INC.]

CHRISTIAN JULES LE BLANC as Michael Baldwin
THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]

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Coordinating Producer
Alicia Hailey Daniels
Producers
Nadine Aronson and Sonia Blangiardo
Line Producer
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Co-Producer
Daniel Linge

DAYS OF OUR LIVES
PEACOCK
[CORDAY PRODUCTIONS, INC. | SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Executive Producer
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Co-Executive Producer
Janet Spellman-Drucker
Senior Producer
Noel Maxam
Coordinating Producer
Sara Peterson McCormick
Producer
Randy Dugan

GENERAL HOSPITAL
ABC
Executive Producer
Frank Valentini
Supervising Producers
Michelle Henry and Mary Kelly Weir
Senior Producer
Jennifer Whittaker-Brogdon
Coordinating Producers
Jeffrey Sierks and Cherie Wall

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
CBS
[SONY PICTURES TELEVISION]
Executive Producer
Josh Griffith
Co-Executive Producer
Sally McDonald
Supervising Producers
John Fisher and Kevin Hamburger
Senior Producer
Edward J. Scott
Producers
Jonathan Fishman, Vivian Gundaker, Elizabeth LeBrun, Matthew J. Olsen and Jill Farren Phelps

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GOLD CIRCLE



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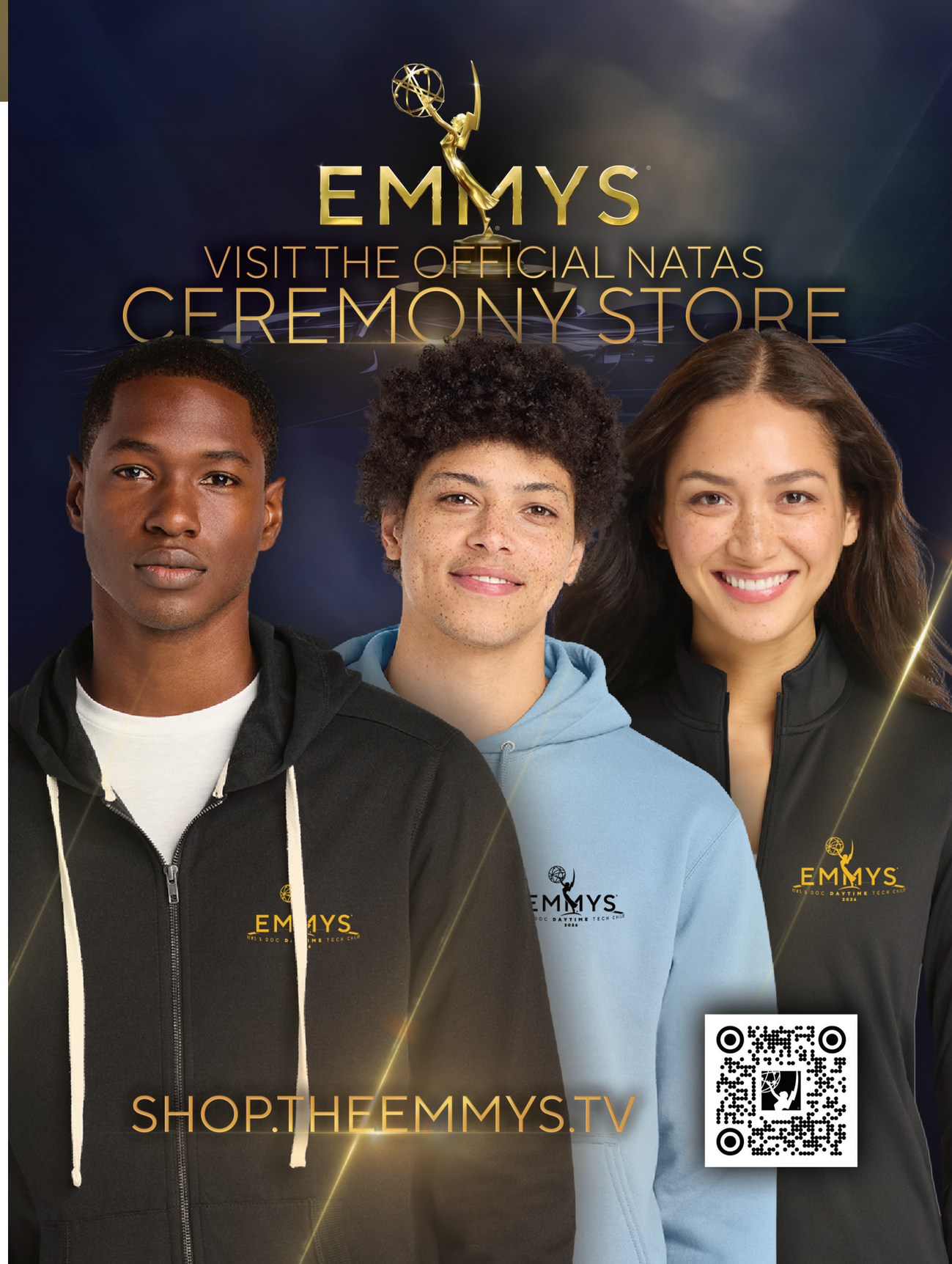
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