

Audio Production Awards 2020 – Full list of Winners and Nominees

Best Arts Producer

Winners

Benbrick – ‘Have You Heard George’s Podcast?’, Benbrick Music / George The Poet Ltd – Gold

Steven Rajam – Freelance – Silver

Anishka Sharma – Whistledown Productions – Bronze

Also Nominated

Claire Crofton – Freelance

Cathy FitzGerald – White Stiletto Productions

Victoria Ferran – Just Radio Ltd

Best Music Producer

Winners

Victoria Ferran – Just Radio Ltd – Gold

Jesse Howard – Somethin’ Else – Silver

Emma Louise Amanshia – ‘1Xtra Rap Show’, BBC – Bronze

Also Nominated

Rich Attley – TBI Media

Benbrick – ‘Have You Heard George’s Podcast?’, Benbrick Music / George The Poet Ltd

Nathan Goodman – We Are Grape

Best News and Current Affairs Producer

Winners

Tim Johns – BBC Audio – Gold

Josh Kelly – ‘Today in Focus’, The Guardian – Silver

Asya Fouks – ‘Stories of our Times’, The Times – Bronze

Also Nominated

Jessica Beck – ‘World At One’, BBC Radio 4

Robert Nicholson – Whistledown Productions

James Shield – The Times & The Sunday Times

Best Sports Producer

Winners

Ed Morrish – Freelance – Gold

Steve Hankey – Whistledown Productions – Silver

Abi Paterson – Muddy Knees Media – Bronze

Also Nominated

Megan Hill-Smith – Mags Creative

Ben Mundy – BBC Newsbeat

Best Presenter – Speech

Winners

George The Poet – ‘Have You Heard George’s Podcast?’, Benbrick Music / George The Poet Ltd’ – Gold

Laura Whitmore – TBI Media – Silver

Anushka Asthana – ‘Today in Focus’, The Guardian – Bronze

Also Nominated

Hilary Ineomo-Marcus – Prison Radio Association – Highly Commended

Elis James & John Robins – Audio Always

Elinor Hamilton – ‘Tales from the Tannoy’, Tadah Media

Audio Performer of the Year

Winners

Ciaran Hinds – ‘Imaginary Fred’, HarperCollins Publishers – Gold

Carl Prekopp – ‘The Little Match Girl’, Almost Tangible – Silver

Cherylee Houston – ‘Tinsel Girl’, Penguin Random House – Bronze

Also Nominated

Nathan Osgood – HarperCollins Publishers – Highly Commended

Kristin Atherton – ‘Howls Moving Castle’, HarperCollins Publishers

Glenda Jackson – ‘Blood, Sex & Money’, BBC Audio (Penguin Random House)

Yuriri Naka – ‘The Phonebox at the Edge of the World’, Bonnier Books UK

Best Live Event/Outside Broadcast Producer

Winners

Jenny Eells and Kat Harbourne – ‘The Naked Podcast’, BBC Radio Sheffield – Gold

Trevor Dann – ‘Virtual Strawberry Fair’, Cambridge 105 Radio – Silver

Ben Walker – ‘Dermot’s Saturday Breakfast Festival Season’, Ora Et Labora – Bronze

Also Nominated

Mark Carter – ‘Surrey Day 2020’, BBC Radio Surrey

Best Podcast Producer *Sponsored by Acast*

Winners

Benbrick – ‘Have You Heard George’s Podcast?’, Benbrick Music / George The Poet Ltd – Gold

Cherry Wilson & Duncan Middleton – ‘The Story of Joy Morgan’ – BBC Newsbeat – Silver

Rayhan Rahman – ‘Brown Girls Do It Too’, BBC Asian Network – Bronze

Also Nominated

Kat Harbourne – ‘The Naked Podcast’, BBC Radio Sheffield

Max O'Brien – 'The Bellingcat Podcast', Novel

Anishka Sharma – Whistledown Productions

Gold Award

Presented to:

No Signal

Best Drama Producer

Winners

Celia De Wolff – Pier Productions Ltd – Gold

Ben Walker – Storyglass – Silver

Roshan Singh – 'Temujin: An Audio Drama' – Bronze

Best Factual Producer *Sponsored by Audio Content Fund*

Winners

Max O'Brien – 'The Bellingcat Podcast', Novel – Gold

Peter Sale – Freelance – Silver

Cherry Wilson & Duncan Middleton – 'The Story of Joy Morgan' – BBC Newsbeat – Bronze

Also Nominated

Jessica Beck – 'World At One', BBC Radio 4

Dan Hardoon – Whistledown

Emma Weatherill – 'Nut Jobs', Audible Originals

Best New Producer

Winners

Emma Barnaby – Whistledown Productions – Gold

Bridey Addison-Child – Transmission Roundhouse – Silver

Thomas Curry – Novel – Bronze

Also Nominated

Louisa Adams – Prison Radio Association

Jessica Beck – ‘World at One’, BBC Radio 4

Courtney Yusuf – The Guardian

Best Sound Designer

Winners

Benbrick – ‘Have You Heard George’s Podcast?’, Benbrick Music / George The Poet Ltd – Gold

Eloise Whitmore – ‘Tunnel 29’, Naked Productions – Silver

Jon Holmes & Tony Churnside – The Skewer, Unusual – Bronze

Also Nominated

Steve Bond – Freelance

Rich Evans – Syncbox Post

Mark Pittam – TBI Media

Grassroots Production Award

Winners

Prison Radio Association – Gold

Vent Podcasts – Silver

The Log Books – Bronze

Also Nominated

Gusman Productions

Multitrack

New Writing North

Lifetime Achievement Award

Presented to:

Annie Nightingale

New Voice Award

Winners

Anthony Olanipekun – Prison Radio Association – Gold

Izzy Lee-Poulton – Transmission Roundhouse – Silver

Jacob Hawley – BBC Studios – Bronze

Also Nominated

Brenda Birungi – Prison Radio Association

Jordan Dunbar – BBC Radio

Elinor Hamilton – ‘Tales from the Tannoy’, Tadah Media

Life in Lockdown

Winners

Aoife Allen – ‘Brixton’s Got Talent’, HMP Brixton – Gold

Ben Green & Abi Paterson – ‘Homeschool History’, Muddy Knees Media – Silver

Reduced Listening – ‘Lockdown Theatre Festival’ – Bronze

Also Nominated

Izzy Lee-Poulton & Bridey Addison-Child – ‘When Someone Great Is Gone’, Transmission Roundhouse – Highly Commended

Cathy FitzGerald – ‘Life on Lockdown’, White Stiletto Productions

TBI Media & Absolute Radio – ‘Absolute Radio 40s’

Best Presenter – Music

Winners

Lauren Laverne – BBC Radio 6 Music – Gold

Mark Kermode – Scala Radio – Silver

Snoochie Shy – TBI Media – Bronze

Also Nominated

Guy Bellamy – Great Music Stories Radio

Brad Paisley – TBI Media

Best Station Sound Producer

Winners

Gordon Lundy – Absolute Radio 40s – Gold

Chris Nicoll – WIZZFX – Silver

Mark Jeeves – Scala Radio – Bronze

Also Nominated

Ali Rezakhani – BBC Sounds

Adam Venton – Little Monster Media

Sam Wickens – BBC

Best Audiobook/Readings Producer

Winners

Lily Ridett – RNIB/Freelance – Gold

Roy McMillan – Penguin Random House – Silver

Tanya Hougham – HarperCollins Publishers – Bronze

Also Nominated

Ali Rezakhani – BBC Sounds

Eilidh McCreadie – BBC Scotland

Best Entertainment Producer

Winners

Geoff Jein – TBI Media – Gold

Jacob Rickard – BBC Audio for BBC Radio 1 – Silver

Gareth Evans – ‘Pop Detectives’, EighteenSixty – Bronze

Also Nominated

Laurence Bassett – Somethin’ Else

Katie Boden – Somethin’ Else

Adem Waterman – Absolute Radio

Gethin Thomas Award for Best Comedy Producer

Winners

Jon Holmes – ‘The Skewer’, Unusual – Gold

Adnan Ahmed – BBC Studios Audio – Silver

Ed Morrish – Freelance – Bronze

Also Nominated

Marc McElroy – ‘What Happens In Ulster’, BBC Radio Ulster

Simon Nicholls – Freelance

Ben Walker – Fuzz Productions / Storyglass

Production Company of the Year

Winners

Prison Radio Association – Gold

Whistledown Productions – Silver

TBI Media – Bronze

Also Nominated

Fresh Air Productions

Listen Entertainment

Mags Creative