

Audio Production Awards Winners 2023

Best New Producer sponsored by [BBC Sounds](#)

GOLD - Becky Green - Audio Always

SILVER - Silvia Malnati - Reduced Listening

BRONZE - Tess Davidson - Freelance

HIGHLY COMMENDED - Sam Tyler - *There Are No Greater Heroes*

Nominees

Jill Achineku - Whistledown

Talia Augustidis - Broccoli Productions/Freelance

Best Factual Producer

GOLD - Joe Kent - BBC News Long Form Audio

SILVER - Arlie Adlington - Overcoat Media

BRONZE - Phoebe McIndoe - Falling Tree Productions

Nominees

Anishka Sharma

Dan Tierney - BBC Audio North

Scarlett O'Malley - Little Cactus

Best Entertainment Producer

GOLD - David Manero - Listen

SILVER - Amy Johnson - BBC Radio 1

BRONZE - Kay Hutchison - Belle Media

Nominees

James Payne - Folding Pocket

Lucy Hunt - Listen

Matt Thomas - Audio Always

Best Arts & Culture Producer

GOLD - Jack Suddaby - Beautiful Strangers

SILVER - Peter Curran - The Foghorn Company

BRONZE - Geoff Bird - Freelance

Nominees

Becca Bryers - BBC Audio

Michael Umney - Freelance

Natalie Steed - Rhubarb Rhubarb

Best Lifestyle & Society Producer sponsored by [BetterHelp](#)

GOLD - Sylvie Carlos - Freelance

SILVER - Jack Suddaby - Beautiful Strangers

BRONZE - Bea Duncan - Broccoli Productions

Nominees

Beth Madden - Prison Radio Association

Ruth Abrahams - The Guardian

Ryan Winders - This Is Distorted

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Best Audiobook Producer sponsored by [Sue Terry Voices](#)

GOLD - Laura-Leigh Smith - String & Tins

SILVER - Jessica Beck - The Guardian

BRONZE - Caroline Raphael - Dora Productions

Nominees

Christopher Thompson - Penguin Random House

Lily Ridett - Freelance/Penguin Random House

Nathan Freeman - Granny Eats Wolf

Best Drama & Fiction Producer

GOLD - Nicolas Jackson - Afónica

SILVER - Anishka Sharma

BRONZE - Rooks Nest - *Algorithms*

Nominees

David Beck - Wireless Theatre Company

Jack Bowman - Freelance

Nicholas Newton - Promenade Productions

Best Narrator sponsored by [United Voices](#)

GOLD - Eva Feiler - Almost Tangible

SILVER - Kristin Atherton - HarperCollins Publishers

BRONZE - Natasha Miller - Miller Libertine

HIGHLY COMMENDED - Oliver Jeffers - HarperCollins Publishers

Nominees

Kerry Godliman - Wondery

Paapa Essiedu - Audible Studios

Best Ensemble Cast

GOLD - Betty Glover, Christian Hewgill & Greg James - *The Fast and the Curious*

SILVER - William Hanson and Jordan North - *Help I Sexted My Boss*

BRONZE - The Ensemble Cast of *Bess Loves Porgy*

Nominees

Coco Khan and Nish Kumar - *Pod Save the UK*

Dawn French and Jennifer Saunders - *Titting About*

The Krupt FM Podcast - series 3' (Audible)

Best Presenter sponsored by [Morley Radio](#)

GOLD - Catherine Carr - Loftus Media

SILVER - Jack Saunders - Listen

BRONZE - James Grasby - National Trust

Nominees

Justin Dealey - BBC Three Counties Radio

Niall Paterson - Sky News

Scarlett O'Malley - Freelance/Little Cactus

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Best New Voice sponsored by [BBC Sounds](#)

GOLD - Kwesia aka City Girl in Nature - Peanut & Crumb

SILVER - Ali Ali - Prison Radio Association

BRONZE - Aggie Chambré - Politico/Whistledown

Nominees

Coco Khan - Reduced Listening

Natasha Miller - Miller Libertine

Phoebe McIndoe - Falling Tree Productions

Best Branded Content Producer

GOLD - Daniel Prior - Absolute Radio Network

SILVER - Adam Venton - Little Monster Media

BRONZE - Natalie Steed - Rhubarb Rhubarb

Nominees

Arthur Hagues - Prison Radio Association

Geoff Bird - Freelance

James Stodd - Greatest Hits Radio

Best Music Producer

GOLD - Katie Callin - Reduced Listening

SILVER - Tom Whalley - Freelance

BRONZE - Silas Gray - Freelance

Nominees

Bradley Duggan - Listen

Gabriel Francis - Reduced Listening

Shreni Yajnik - Listen

Best Comedy Producer (Gethin Thomas Award)

GOLD - Joe Fraser - Baby Cow

SILVER - Simon Nicholls - Freelance

BRONZE - Jon Holmes - unusual

HIGHLY COMMENDED - Lyndsay Fenner - Mighty Bunny

Nominees

Lance Dann - Rezilience

Matt Thomas - Audio Always

Best News & Current Affairs Producer

GOLD - James Tindale - Whistledown

SILVER - James Shield - The Times and The Sunday Times

BRONZE - Alex Bishop - Reduced Listening

Nominees

Rebecca Kesby - CTVC

Ruth Abrahams - The Guardian

Will Roe - The Times and The Sunday Times

Best Sports Producer sponsored by [In:Quality](#)

GOLD - Abi Paterson - The Athletic

SILVER - Matt Tasker - Audio Always

BRONZE - Justin Dealey - BBC Three Counties Radio

Nominees

Adonis Pratsides - The Athletic

Katie Sayer - unusual/Pozzitive

Sarah Stolarz - Chalk + Blade

Best Sound Design Producer

GOLD - John Wakefield - Hat Trick

SILVER - Emma Barnaby - Freelance

BRONZE - Jack Suddaby - Beautiful Strangers

HIGHLY COMMENDED - Nicholas Alexander - Novel

Nominees

Jon Holmes & Tony Churnside - unusual

Jon Nicholls - Almost Tangible

The Amazon Music & Wondery Grassroots Production Awards

GOLD – Made by Mortals - *Armchair Adventures*

SILVER - Transmission Roundhouse Podcast Academy

BRONZE - Jack Suddaby - *Time & Again*

Nominees

Behear

Multitrack

Prison Radio Association

The Sustainability Award

GOLD - Talia Randall - *Blossom Trees & Burnt Out Cars*

SILVER - Sarah Craig - *Toughie*

BRONZE - BCG & Lower Street - *Climate Vision 2050*

Nominees

Dirty Films & Story Hunter - *Climate of Change Season 2*

Eloise Stevens - *Sustainability Acupuncture*

Whistledown - *Our Broken Planet*

Publisher or Network of the Year sponsored by [The Podcast Show](#)

GOLD - Resonance

SILVER - Wondery

BRONZE - BBC Asian Network

HIGHLY COMMENDED - Podimo

Nominees

Audible

The Economist Podcasts

Producer of the Year sponsored by Audible

GOLD - Anishka Sharma

SILVER - Ruth Abrahams - The Guardian & Whistledown

BRONZE - Jack Suddaby - Beautiful Strangers

Nominees

Bea Duncan - Broccoli Productions

Katie Callin - Reduced Listening

Steven Rajam - Overcoat Media

Production Company of the Year sponsored by [whynow Media](#)

GOLD - Overcoat Media

SILVER - Prison Radio Association

BRONZE - Fresh Air

Nominees

Audible Studios UK

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