

2016 Certificates of Merit

RADIO

SMALL

Category	Category Name	Winner	Title of Entry
R-4	Best Public Affairs Program	KOTO-FM	Don't be Haydn, classical music is making a come-Bach, Caitlin Ketel
R-5	Best Regularly Scheduled Newscast	KNAB-FM	KNAB News, Jim Wagoner
R-17	Best Sports Coverage by an Individual or Team	KSTH-FM	2016 2A Regionals Holyoke vs Limon, Marc Maelzer
R-19	Best Radio Commercial for an Advertiser	KIDN-FM	The LIFT-FM Mountain Valley Bank Star Student, Kristin Cronin, Amy Colburn, Christina Grant
R-25	Best Station Website	KRDZ-AM	KRDZ Website

MEDIUM

Category	Category Name	Winner	Title of Entry
R-1	Best Public Service Announcement	KKXK-FM	Montrose Roundabouts
R-2	Best Community Service Campaign	KPVW-FM	Immigration Forum, Crystal Mariscal, Samuel Bernal
R-3	Best Station Sponsored Community Event	KSMT-FM	The KSMT & Breckenridge Distillery Giving Tree
R-4	Best Public Affairs Program	KFTM-AM	Big Morning Talk Show - Jerry Sonnenberg, John Waters
R-5	Best Regularly Scheduled Newscast	KDNK-FM	Morning Newscast, Gavin Dahl, Amy Hadden Marsh, Steve Cole
R-6	Best News Feature, Report or Series	KOTO-FM	The mysterious case of a missing rabbit, Cara Pallone
R-7	Best News Coverage of a Single Event	KVAY-FM	John Martin Reservoir Drowning, Aaron Leiker, Kyle LaBoria
R-8	Best On-Air Contest for a Station	KYSL-FM	DAD & Company, Ross McIntyre, Tom Fricke
R-9	Best Station Imaging Campaign	KYSL-FM	Krystal 93 #1 Five Years In A Row!, Ross McIntyre
R-10	Best Station Promotion/Marketing Campaign	KVAY-FM	105 Pounds of Cash
R-11	Best Morning Show	KBVC-FM	Dan R Morning Show, Dan Ridenour
R-12	Best Midday Show	KVAY-FM	Middays with Aaron Leiker
R-13	Best Afternoon Show	KSMT-FM	Friday's with Fox
R-15	Best Station Personality	KYSL-FM	Krystal 93 Maximum Music Hour, Katrina BOTELHO
R-16	Best News/Talk Show Host or Team	KPMX-FM	Getting To Know The Candidates - Robert Blaha, Andy Rice
R-17	Best Sports Coverage by an Individual or Team	KPMX-FM	KPMX Sports - Bull Brom
R-18	Best Regularly Scheduled Entertainment Program	KSMT-FM	What's on Tap, Meredith Fox
R-19	Best Radio Commercial for an Advertiser	KFTM-AM	Morgan Lanes -Turkey Season, Thomas Keinath
R-20	Best Sales Campaign for an Advertiser	KPRB-FM	Hometown Auto & Hardware - Sawyer, Theresa Leake, Andy Rice
R-21	Best Sales Event or Live Remote Broadcast	KPMX-FM	Christmas At Pizza Hut, Andy Rice, Caitlin Baseggio
R-24	Best Use of New Media	KVAY-FM	Give the Gift of Local, Aaron Leiker, Bob DeLancey
R-25	Best Station Website	KYSL-FM	Krystal93.com

MAJOR

Category	Category Name	Winner	Title of Entry
R-1	Best Public Service Announcement	KUAD-FM	REALITIES FOR CHILDREN REALITIES RIDE PSA, Justin Tyler
R-2	Best Community Service Campaign	KSME-FM	Kissmas Wishes, Big Rob, Mac, Jane Kenward
R-3	Best Station Sponsored Community Event	KRXP-FM	RXP Soundstage "The Mowglis At Widefield Elementary School", Jim Edwards
R-4	Best Public Affairs Program	KSME-FM	Rocky Mountain View Points, Scott James
R-5	Best Regularly Scheduled Newscast	KRDO-FM	KRDO's Morning News, Paul Richards, Mike Lewis
R-6	Best News Feature, Report or Series	KUNC-FM	Colorado Veterans Hold Their Breath For The Right To Use Medical Marijuana, Ann Marie Awad

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R-7	Best News Coverage of a Single Event	KUNC-FM	Officially Endorsed Or Not, Pot Tourism Has Staked Its Claim In Colorado, Stacy Nick
R-8	Best On-Air Contest for a Station	KUAD-FM	No Prize Left Behind, Justin Tyler
R-9	Best Station Imaging Campaign	KPAW-FM	107.9 The Bear - The Uncle Nasty Show, Nate Wilde
R-10	Best Station Promotion/Marketing Campaign	KSME-FM	KISS FM's 96 Days Of Summer, Big Rob
R-11	Best Morning Show	KATC-FM	Nash FM - Cutter & Alisha, Bob "Cutter" Ely, Alisha Scott
R-12	Best Midday Show	KTRR-FM	Kama
R-13	Best Afternoon Show	KPAW-FM	107.9 The Bear - The Uncle Nasty Show
R-14	Best Evening Show	KILO-FM	Nights with Ox
R-15	Best Station Personality	KUAD-FM	MATT SPARK - KUAD FM AFTERNOONS
R-17	Best Sports Coverage by an Individual or Team	KFKA-AM	UNC Men's Basketball at Arizona, Troy Coverdale
R-18	Best Regularly Scheduled Entertainment Program	KMAX-FM	Turntable Tuesday, Shelby Taylor-Thorn
R-19	Best Radio Commercial for an Advertiser	KUAD-FM	GRIZZLY ROSE CHASE BRYANT 2016, Justin Tyler
R-20	Best Sales Campaign for an Advertiser	KSME-FM	Old Chicago Lip Sync Battle, Big Rob, Carli Drake
R-21	Best Sales Event or Live Remote Broadcast	KSME-FM	Handbags For Hope with Ehrlich Toyota, Big Rob, Jenny McGlue
R-24	Best Use of New Media	KTRR-FM	Bet Your Desk!, Alana Lynn, Madison Scruggs, Dave Jensen
R-25	Best Station Website	KTRR-FM	TRI 1025.com, Madison s

METRO

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R-1	Best Public Service Announcement	KOSI-FM	9-11 Tribute
R-2	Best Community Service Campaign	KBCO-FM	Bike To Work, Scott Arbough
R-3	Best Station Sponsored Community Event	KTCL-FM	303 Day, Jeb "Nerf" Freedman, Roger Keeler
R-4	Best Public Affairs Program	KRKS-FM	Along The Way - 7 Issues Facing Americans, Tom Moller
R-5	Best Regularly Scheduled Newscast	KNUS-AM	KNUS-AM News, Wayne Yaffee, Jeff Hildebrandt
R-6	Best News Feature, Report or Series	KOA-AM	Big Thompson Closed- KOA News Radio, Jerry Bell
R-7	Best News Coverage of a Single Event	KFCO-FM	DJ BEDZ LIVE IN RIO
R-8	Best On-Air Contest for a Station	KTCL-FM	Cash Cougar, Jeb "Nerf" Freedman, Roger Keeler, Nick Cage
R-9	Best Station Imaging Campaign	KBPI-FM	Parody Commercials Imaging Campaign, Roger King, Garner Goin
R-10	Best Station Promotion/Marketing Campaign	KBCO-FM	Spring Festival Tour, Scott Arbough
R-11	Best Morning Show	KQKS-FM	KS1075 Morning Show, Larry Ulibarri, Kathie J, Kendall B
R-11	Best Morning Show (SPANISH)	KBJD-AM	Ruta 1650, Kevin Villa, Jorge Cruz
R-12	Best Midday Show	KPTT-FM	Angela Cortez
R-12	Best Midday Show (SPANISH)	KNRV-AM	Hablemos de Inmigracion, Lillian Shea
R-13	Best Afternoon Show	KFCO-FM	SLiM & THE PLAYHOUSE, SLiM, DJ A-RICH
R-14	Best Evening Show	KRFX-FM	Roger King
R-15	Best Station Personality	KYGO-FM	Weeknights with Fizz
R-16	Best News/Talk Show Host or Team	KFKA-AM	The Scooter McGee Show
R-17	Best Sports Coverage by an Individual or Team	KOA-AM	The Colorado Rockies on KOA News Radio, Greg Foster, Jack Corrigan, Jerry Schemmel
R-18	Best Regularly Scheduled Entertainment Program	KQMT-FM	Breakfast with The Beatles and A Very Beatle-ee Christmas w/ Chuck St. John, Sam Hill, Jarred Harris
R-19	Best Radio Commercial for an Advertiser	KRFX-FM	New Male Medical, Roger King
R-20	Best Sales Campaign for an Advertiser	KRFX-FM	Denver's Sexiest Stoner, Roger King, Garner Goin

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R-21	Best Sales Event or Live Remote Broadcast	KBPI-FM	Rock And Roll Car Show, Garner Goin
R-24	Best Use of New Media	KKFN-FM	Sports Radio 104.3 The Fan Digital
R-25	Best Station Website	KYGO-FM	www.kygo.com

RADIO PUBLIC

R-22	Best Mini-Documentary or Series	KAJX-FM	Looking at the lifespan of the landfill, Elizabeth Stewart-Severy, Alycin Bektesh
R-23	Best News Special or Public Affairs Special	KUNC-FM	Veteran's Voices

TELEVISION

NON-METRO

	Category Name	Winner	Title of Entry
T-1	Best Public Service Announcement	KOAA-TV	5Pet Check, David Reeve, Andrew Magpoc
T-2	Best Community Service Campaign	KOAA-TV	Mt Carmel Center for Excellence, Dennison Howard
T-4	Best Station Promotion/Marketing Campaign	KOAA-TV	The KOAA News5 App - New & Improved, Justin Walton
T-5	Best Station Promo	KKTV-TV	Hiding Holmes, Keith Earl, Drew Bush
T-6	Best Single or Series Program or News Magazine	KREX-TV	Legends of the Grand Valley, Jorma Duran, Sandra Zoldowski
T-7	Best Sports Coverage or Program	KOAA-TV	Olympic Zone #3, Matt Prichard, Grant Meech, Jackie Alcon
T-8	Best Documentary	KKTV-TV	On Duty in the Desert, Katie Pelton
T-9	Best Television Commercial for an Advertiser	KOAA-TV	Dream 4x4, Joshua Robison
T-10	Best Sales Campaign for an Advertiser	KOAA-TV	Ledom's Diesel Repair, Joshua Robison
T-11	Best Feature News Report	KKCO-TV	Puppy Discovers Snow (and it's real cute!), Kalie Greenberg
T-12	Best General Assignment Report, within 24 hours	KKTV-TV	Red Rocks Lawsuit, Katie Pelton
T-13	Best Hard News, Spot News Report, within 24 hours	KKCO-TV	Brother of man killed says police force was excessive, Carly Moore
T-14	Best Breaking News Coverage Under Deadline Pressure	KKTV-TV	Thunderbird Down
T-15	Best Video Essay with No Narrative	KKTV-TV	Turkey Bowl, Sam Farnsworth
T-16	Best Regularly Scheduled Newscast	KOAA-TV	News 5 at 10
T-17	Best Investigative Reporting	KKTV-TV	Pothole Problems, Katie Pelton
T-18	Best News Anchor or Team	KXRM-TV	Craig Coffey
T-19	Best Weathercaster	KOAA-TV	Mike Daniels Weather
T-20	Best Sportscaster	KOAA-TV	Matt Prichard Sports Composite
T-21	Best Specialty Reporter	KKTV-TV	Political Reporter Katie Pelton
T-25	Best Use of New Media	KOAA-TV	Hanover Fire, AJ Kievenaar
T-26	Best Station Website	KOAA-TV	KOAA.com, Ben Lloyd

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T-1	Best Public Service Announcement	KUSA-TV	Race for the Cure, Drew Sidener, Enrico C. Meyer
T-2	Best Community Service Campaign	KDEN-TV	Dolls for Daughters, Donny Tran, Coeli Lara
T-3	Best Public Affairs Program	KDVR-TV	75 Years of Red Rocks, Bryant Vander Weerd
T-4	Best Station Promotion/Marketing Campaign	KDVR-TV	Super Bleep, Kristin Twele, Brett Forrest, Bill Reddick
T-5	Best Station Promo	KDVR-TV	Changing Tastes, Bill Reddick, Kristin Twele, Maia Brusseau
T-6	Best Single or Series Program or News Magazine	KDVR-TV	Let's Remember Pearl Harbor, Jeremy Hubbard, Isaias Medina, Sean Towle

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T-7	Best Sports Coverage or Program	KMGH-TV	Bolder Boulder: #BoldNation
T-8	Best Documentary	KMGH-TV	Dying for Change: Denver7 Investigates Domestic Violence
T-9	Best Television Commercial for an Advertiser	KUSA-TV	Cherry Creek Arts Festival, Brenna Mastro, Enrico C. Meyer
T-10	Best Sales Campaign for an Advertiser	KUSA-TV	Lifetime Windows, Brenna Mastro, Robert Springer
T-11	Best Feature News Report	KDEN-TV	MÁS SABE EL DIABLO
T-12	Best General Assignment Report, within 24 hours	KDVR-TV	A Whole Different Ballgame, Ashley Michels, Rico Romero
T-13	Best Hard News, Spot News Report, within 24 hours	KDEN-TV	MEDICO SIN LICENCIA, ROSY ZUGASTI
T-14	Best Breaking News Coverage Under Deadline Pressure	KUSA-TV	Trooper Killed
T-15	Best Video Essay with No Narrative	KDVR-TV	Farewell to Hughes, Dave Althouse, Sean Towle, Michael Driver
T-16	Best Regularly Scheduled Newscast	KDEN-TV	Telemundo Denver, Primero En Noticias
T-17	Best Investigative Reporting	KMGH-TV	Dying for Change, Tony Kovaleski, Brittany Freeman, Andy Miller
T-18	Best News Anchor or Team	KDVR-TV	Jeremy Hubbard
T-19	Best Weathercaster	KDEN-TV	Ariel Rivera Vásquez, La Autoridad En El Tiempo
T-20	Best Sportscaster	KUSA-TV	Rod Mackey
T-21	Best Specialty Reporter	KDVR-TV	Dan Daru
T-25	Best Use of New Media	KUSA-TV	Blame, Kevin Vaughan, Nicole Vap, Anna Hewson
T-26	Best Station Website	KUSA-TV	9NEWS.COM
TV PUBLIC			
T22	Best Mini-Documentary or Series	KRMA-TV	Colorado Experience: The Tabors
T23	Best News Special or Public Affairs Special	KRMA-TV	Insight with John Ferrugia: Surviving Suicide, Marybel Gonzalez, Jason Foster