



Winners in the 2020 Chesapeake AP Broadcasters Association Contest:

ALL DIVISIONS:

Best in Show—Television: Jose Cuevas, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md., for "Inside the Lines" in the Documentary/In-Depth category.

Best in Show—Radio: Sarah Kim, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "New Study Shows Exclusions of Blacks in Genomic Research" in the Specialty Reporting category.

Best Podcast-Audio: First, Phil Briggs, Connectingvets.com, Washington, "Eye on Veterans: The Greatest Beer Run Ever;" **Second,** J.J. Green and Chris Core, WTOP-FM, Washington, "Colors."

TVI/LARGE MARKET:

Outstanding Spot News Reporting: First, Stacey Woodward, WBAL-TV, Baltimore, "Labyrinth Road Explosion: Day One;" **Second,** Maxine Streicher and Kyle Gould, WBFF-TV, Baltimore, "I'm not a Hero, I'm a Human."

Outstanding Coverage of a Continuing Story: First, WBFF-TV, Baltimore, "Hunting Ground;" **Second,** WJLA-TV, Washington, "The Racial Reckoning."

Outstanding News Series: First, Joy Lepola and Ruth Morton, WBFF-TV, Baltimore, "Who Watches the Watchers?" **Second,** Lorenzo Hall and Rebecca Knier, WUSA 9, Washington, "Kings 101: Statesmen."

Outstanding Photography: First, Alanna Delfino, WUSA 9, Washington; **Second,** Ruth Morton, WBFF-TV, Baltimore.

Best Producer: First, Megan O'Callaghan, WJZ-TV, Baltimore, "Deadly Baltimore Explosion;" **Second,** Ben Brodsky, WUSA 9, Washington.

Outstanding Public Affairs: First, WBFF-TV, Baltimore, "Learned Helplessness;" **Second,** WJLA-TV, Washington, "Hunger in the COVID-19 Age."

Outstanding Specialty Reporting: First, Victoria Sanchez, WJLA-TV, Washington, "Medical Beat During COVID-19 Crisis;" **Second,** WBFF-TV, Baltimore, "Shredding."

Outstanding Documentary/In-Depth Reporting: First, Deborah Weiner, Chuck Cochran and Bridget McGeady, WBAL-TV, Baltimore, "No Minor Crime;" **Second,** WUSA 9, Washington, "VERIFY: Your Vote."





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Outstanding Enterprise Reporting: First, Jodie Fleischer, Katie Leslie and Steve Jones, WRC-TV, Washington, "Violating Searches;" **Second**, Nathan Baca, Rebecca Knier and Samara Martin Ewing, WUSA 9, Washington, "Tear Gas at Lafayette Square Park Investigation."

Outstanding Sports Feature: First, Shawn Stepner and Chris Verri, WMAR-TV, Baltimore, "Determination After Diagnosis;" **Second**, Jay Korff and Ryan Eskalis, WJLA-TV, Washington, "Mr. Spot Shot."

Outstanding Serious Feature: First, WBFF-TV, Baltimore, "It's Hard Losing a Mother;" **Second**, Laura Geller, Rebecca Knier and Samara Martin Ewing, WUSA 9, Washington, "Capt. Katie Blanchard's Story: Fighting the Feres Doctrine."

Best Meteorologist or Weathercaster: First, Doug Kammerer, WRC-TV, Washington; **Second**, Bill Kelly, WJLA-TV, Washington.

Video Journalist/One Man Band Reporter: First, Aimee Cho, WRC-TV, Washington; **Second**, Evan Koslof, WUSA 9, Washington.

Outstanding Light Feature: First, Diane Roberts and David Michael Berman, Montgomery Community Media, "Black Artists of Montgomery County;" **Second**, Jay Korff and Ryan Eskalis, WJLA-TV, Washington, "Keep Calm and Smile On."

Best Reporter: First, Jay Korff, WJLA-TV, Washington; **Second**, Chris Papst, WBFF-TV, Baltimore.

Outstanding Year-Round Local Sports: First, WUSA 9, Washington, "WUSA9 Sports With Darren M. Haynes."

Outstanding Website: First, WMAR-TV, Baltimore; **Second**, WBAL-TV, Baltimore.

Outstanding Newscast: First, Kelly Lamp and Nikki Gourley, WJLA-TV, Washington; **Second**, Miranda Villei-Stepp, Meagan Todaro and Anthony Scafide, WJZ-TV, Baltimore, "Baltimore Gas Explosion: The Investigation, the Victims and a Community Coming Together."

Best TV News Anchor: First, Michelle Marsh, WJLA-TV, Washington; **Second**, Adam Longo, WUSA 9, Washington.

Outstanding News Operation: First, WRC-TV, Washington; **Second**, WJLA-TV, Washington.





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TV II/Small Market:

Outstanding Spot News Reporting: First, Hannah Cechini and Kolby Redden, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md., "Mardela Tornado;" **Second**, Katie Misuraca and Erik Woytowicz, WDVM-TV, Hagerstown, Md., "Manfredonia Captured."

Outstanding Coverage of a Continuing Story: First, Cassie Semyon and Lenny Schnee, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md., "COVID-19 Vaccine Rollout."

Outstanding News Series: First, Julian Sadur and Trevor Taylor, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md., "Back to School."

Best Producer: First, Erin Byers, WRDE-TV, Milton, Del.

Outstanding Public Affairs: First, Ross Simpson, Kyla Piper and Mark Kraham, WDVM-TV, Hagerstown, Md., "Veterans Voices - Heroes Remembered."

Outstanding Specialty Reporting: First, Daniela Cado, WRDE-TV, Milton, Del., "Covering Hispanic/Latino Community on Delmarva."

Outstanding Documentary/In-Depth Reporting: First, Jose Cuevas, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md., "Inside the Lines;" **Second**, Julian Sadur and Trevor Taylor, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md., "Breaking the Stigma: Fighting for Acceptance."

Outstanding Enterprise Reporting: First, Alex Seymore, WRDE-TV, Milton, Del., "Looking Back at Snowmageddon."

Outstanding Sports Feature: First, Brandon Bossert, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md., "After the Whistle;" **Second**, Matt Pencek and Matthew Short, WRDE-TV, Milton, Del., "Diversity in Bowling."

Outstanding Serious Feature: First, Julian Sadur and Mike Lawrence, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md., "Waiting for Justice;" **Second**, Cassie Semyon, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md., "Tornado Touches Down During Hurricane Isaias."

Best Meteorologist or Weathercaster: First, Dan Satterfield, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md.; **Second**, Daniel Johnson, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md.

Video Journalist/One Man Band Reporter: First, Mallory Metzner, WRDE-TV, Milton, Del., "Traffic Signal Coming to Clay Road and Kings Highway."

Outstanding Light Feature: First, Julian Sadur and Trevor Taylor, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md., "Making Marines;" **Second**, Amy Lu, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md., "Dorchester Sinking Cemetery."





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Best Reporter: First, Julian Sadur, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md.; **Second**, Jaryd Leady, WRDE-TV, Milton, Del.

Outstanding Year-Round Local Sports: First, Travon Miles, Brandon Bossert and Kenny Christopher, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md.

Outstanding Website: First, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md.

Outstanding Newscast: First, John Dearing, Ron Krisulevicz and Steve Hammond, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md.; **Second**, Bill Shull and Erin Byers, WRDE-TV, Milton, Del.

Best TV News Anchor: First, Julian Sadur, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md.; **Second**, Steve Hammond, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md.

Outstanding News Operation: First, Sarah Truitt and Teri Monahan, WMDT-TV, Salisbury, Md.; **Second**, John Dearing and Ron Krisulevicz, WBOC-TV, Salisbury, Md.

RADIO I/METRO:

Outstanding Spot News Reporting: First, WBAL-AM, Baltimore, "Northwest Baltimore Row Home Explosion;" **Second**, Bloomberg 99.1, Washington, "President Trump Tests Positive for COVID-19."

Outstanding Coverage of a Continuing Story: First, John Lee, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "COVID-19 and the Baltimore County Schools;" **Second**, WTOP-FM, Washington, "2020: The Year of COVID-19."

Outstanding News Series: First, Lisa Abramowicz, Seth Maglaner and Colin Tipton, Bloomberg 99.1, Washington, "Generation Interrupted;" **Second**, Kate Ryan, WTOP-FM, Washington, "COVID-19 Survivor."

Outstanding Use of Sound: First, Emily Sullivan, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Pulled Pork and Christmas Trees Go Hand in Hand."

Outstanding Talk Show: First, Clarence Mitchell IV, Bryan Nehman and Jacob Young, WBAL-AM, Baltimore, "The C4 and Bryan Nehman Show;" **Second**, Tom Hall, Cianna Greaves and Rob Sivak, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Midday With the Mayor."

Outstanding Editorial or Commentary: First, Dr. Kaye Wise Whitehead, Justina Pollard and Andre Melton, WEAA-FM, Baltimore, "Poetry to My Ears."





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Outstanding Public Affairs: First, Sheilah Kast, Melissa Gerr and Maureen Harvie, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Racism: A Public Health Crisis?;" **Second**, Tom Hall, Cianna Greaves and Rob Sivak, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Midday Healthwatch With Dr. Leana Wen."

Outstanding Specialty Reporting: First, Sarah Kim, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "New Study Shows Exclusions of Blacks in Genomic Research;" **Second**, Sarah Kim, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Mass Evictions May Be Maryland's Next Public Health Crisis."

Outstanding Documentary/In-Depth Reporting: First, Robert Lang, WBAL-AM, Baltimore, "WBAL News Now Extra;" **Second**, Lisa Abramowicz, Seth Maglaner and Colin Tipton, Bloomberg 99.1, Washington, "Generation Interrupted."

Outstanding Enterprise Reporting: First, Rachel Baye, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Despite 'Universal Testing' at Juvenile Detention Centers, Few Have Had COVID-19 Tests."

Outstanding Serious Feature: First, Rachel Baye, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Maryland Foster Children Stay in Hospitals Because They Have Nowhere Else to Go."

Outstanding Light Feature: First, Emily Sullivan, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Pulled Pork and Christmas Trees Go Hand in Hand;" **Second**, John Lee, WYPR-FM, Baltimore, "Music in COVID-19: Cris Jacobs Live Streams."

Best Reporter: First, John Domen, WTOP-FM, Washington; **Second**, Scott Wykoff, WBAL-AM, Baltimore.

Outstanding Website: First, WTOP-FM, Washington.

Outstanding Newscast: First, Bloomberg 99.1, Washington; **Second**, WBAL-AM, Baltimore.

Best Radio News Anchor: First, Robert Lang, WBAL-AM, Baltimore.

Outstanding News Operation: First, WTOP-FM, Washington; **Second**, WYPR-FM, Baltimore.

RADIO II/NON-METRO:

Outstanding Spot News Reporting: First, Sean Greene and Mike Phillips, WDEL-FM/AM, Wilmington, Del., "Black Lives Matter Protest Turns Violent in Wilmington."





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Outstanding Coverage of a Continuing Story: First, WFMD-AM, Frederick, Md., "COVID-19;" **Second**, Rita Rich, Julie Reiter and Conor Doherty, WNAV-AM, Annapolis, Md., "2020 COVID-19."

Outstanding News Series: First, Don Rush and Harold Wilson, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "Betty and the Virus."

Outstanding Use of Sound: First, Don Rush, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "BLM Protest;" **Second**, Donald Rush, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "Food Bank."

Outstanding Talk Show: First, WFMD-AM, Frederick, Md., "Mid-Maryland Live."

Outstanding Editorial or Commentary: First, George Merrill, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "Loss;" **Second**, George Merrill, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "The President's Photo Op."

Outstanding Public Affairs: First, WDDE-FM, Dover, Del., "Races to Watch - 2020 General Election;" **Second**, Donna Cole, WNAV-AM, Annapolis, Md., "Recovering the Bodies of Maeve Kennedy McKean and Her Son, Gideon - Who Does This Work and How They Do It."

Outstanding Documentary/In-Depth Reporting: First, Don Rush, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "Nurses Against the Virus;" **Second**, Donna Cole, WNAV-AM, Annapolis, Md., "Disparity, Civil Rights and Racism."

Outstanding Enterprise Reporting: First, Amy Cherry, WDEL-FM/AM, Wilmington, Del., "Wilmington Parking Problems;" **Second**, Don Rush, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "The Viral and the Undocumented."

Outstanding Sports Feature: First, Sean Greene, WDEL-FM/AM, Wilmington, Del., "Wesley's Howerin Completing Comeback From Breast Cancer;" **Second**, Bernie Bennett, WNAV-AM, Annapolis, Md., "Navy Boxing Championships."

Outstanding Serious Feature: First, Don Rush, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "Talbot Boys;" **Second**, Don Rush, WSCL/WSDL, Salisbury, Md., "BLM Sign."

Outstanding Light Feature: First, Donna Cole, WNAV-AM, Annapolis, Md., "A Socially Distant Car Parade for the South River High School Class of 2020;" **Second**, Sophia Schmidt, WDDE-FM, Dover, Del., "Keeping the Faith During the Coronavirus Pandemic."

Best Reporter: First, Amy Cherry, WDEL-FM/AM, Wilmington, Del.; **Second**, Sophia Schmidt, WDDE-FM, Dover, Del.





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Outstanding Year-Round Local Sports: First, WFMD-AM, Frederick, Md.

Outstanding Website: First, WFMD-AM, Frederick, Md.

Outstanding Newscast: First, Julie Reiter, WNAV-AM, Annapolis, Md.; **Second,** WDEL-FM/AM, Wilmington, Del.

Best Radio News Anchor: First, Julie Reiter, WNAV-AM, Annapolis, Md.

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