



2019 WINNERS & FINALISTS

Associated Craft Award		
<i>Winner</i>		
Alison Watt		The Radio Bureau
<i>Finalists</i>		
MediaWorks Trade Marketing Team		MediaWorks
MediaWorks Radio Integration Team		MediaWorks
Best Community Campaign		
<i>Winner</i>		
5 Marathons in 5 Days	Dena Roberts, Dominic Harvey, Tom McKenzie, Bex Dewhurst, Ryan Rathbone, Lucy Carthew, Lucy Hills, Clinton Randell, Megan Annear, Ricky Bannister	The Edge Network
<i>Finalists</i>		
Jingle Bail	Leanne Hutchinson, Jason Gunn, Jay-Jay Feeney, Todd Fisher, Matt Anderson, Shae Osborne, Abby Quinn, Mel Low, Talia Purser	More FM Network
Petition for Pride	Mel Toomey, Casey Sullivan, Daniel Mac	The Edge Wellington
Best Content		
Best Content Director		
<i>Winner</i>		
Ryan Rathbone		The Edge Network
<i>Finalists</i>		
Ross Flahive		ZM Network
Christian Boston		More FM Network
Best Creative Feature		
<i>Winner</i>		
Whostalk ZB	Phil Guyan, Josh Couch, Grace Bucknell, Phil Yule, Mike Hosking, Daryl Habraken	Newstalk ZB Network / CBA
<i>Finalists</i>		
Tarore	John Cowan, Josh Couch, Rangī Kipa, Phil Yule	Newstalk ZB Network / CBA
Poo Towns of New Zealand	Jeremy Pickford, Duncan Heyde, Thane Kirby, Jack Honeybone, Roisin Kelly	The Rock Network
Best Podcast		
<i>Winner</i>		
Gone Fishing	Adam Dudding, Amy Maas, Tim Watkin, Justin Gregory, Rangī Powick, Jason Dorday	RNZ National / Stuff
<i>Finalists</i>		
Black Sheep	William Ray, Tim Watkin	RNZ National
BANG!	Melody Thomas, Tim Watkin	RNZ National
Best Show Producer - Music Show		
<i>Winner</i>		
Jeremy Pickford	The Rock Drive with Thane & Dunc	The Rock Network
<i>Finalists</i>		
Alexandra Mullin	The Edge Breakfast with Dom, Meg & Randell	The Edge Network
Ryan Maguire	The Morning Rumble	The Rock Network
Best Show Producer - Talk Show		
<i>Winner</i>		
Helen McCarthy	Marcus Lush Nights	Newstalk ZB Network
<i>Finalists</i>		
Martin Gibson	Morning Report	RNZ National
Carolyn Leaney	The Leighton Smith Show	Newstalk ZB Network
Best Video		
<i>Winner</i>		
Deadpool Marathon	Jono Pryor, Ben Boyce, Dan Webby, Sharyn Casey, Browynn Baker, Andy Robinson, Jamie Linehan	The Edge Network
<i>Finalists</i>		
This Is New Zealand	Aaron Ly, Tegan Yorwarth, Tammy Davis, Michael Baker, Willy McAlister, Kara Joy-Rickard, Shawn Cleaver, Leigh Dolbear	George FM Network
Make It Clink	Aaron Ly, Jim Cawthorn, Reagan White, Stacey Wouters, Duncan Heyde, Storm MacDonald, David Smith, Joe Baxendale	The Rock Network
Best New Broadcaster		
Best New Broadcaster - Journalist		
<i>Winner</i>		
Logan Church		RNZ National
<i>Finalists</i>		
Rachel Das		Newstalk ZB Canterbury
Henry Rounce		Newshub Radio
Best New Broadcaster - Off-Air		
<i>Winner</i>		
Tom Harper	Social Content Coordinator	Hauraki Network
<i>Finalists</i>		
Sarah Mount	Digital Content Producer	ZM Network
Finlay Robertson	Radio Group Specialist - Edge, Edge TV & Mai	The Edge & Mai Networks

Best New Broadcaster - On-Air		
Winner		
Anna Henvest	ZM News / Announcer	ZM Network
Finalists		
Brook Ruscoe	Mai Nights	Mai FM Network
Sinead Howard	George FM Night Host	George FM Network
Best News & Sport		
Best News or Sports Journalist		
Winner		
Barry Soper		Newstalk ZB Network
Finalists		
Indira Stewart		RNZ National
Phil Pennington		RNZ National
Best News Story - Team Coverage		
Winners		
Checkpoint - Dodgy EQC Repairs	Pip Keane, Bridget Burke	RNZ National
Jami-Lee Ross Saga	Newstalk ZB News Team	Newstalk ZB Network
Finalist		
Cyclone Gita	Newstalk ZB News Team	Newstalk ZB Network
Best Newsreader		
Winner		
Raylene Ramsay		Newstalk ZB Network
Finalists		
Niva Retimanu		Newstalk ZB Network
Nicola Wright		RNZ National
Best Sports Reader, Presenter or Commentator		
Winner		
D'Arcy Waldegrave & Goran Paladin		Radio Sport Network
Finalists		
The ACC Commentary Team	Mike Lane, Jeremy Wells, Matt Heath, Leigh Hart, Jason Hoyte, Paul Ford, James McOnie, Lee Baker, Joseph Durie, Alex Hanger, Tom Harper	The ACC Network
Nigel Yalden		Radio Sport Network
Best Sports Story - Team Coverage		
Winner		
2018 Gold Coast Commonwealth Games	Radio Sport Team	Radio Sport Network
Finalists		
The Warriors and Shaun Johnson	Radio Sport Team	Radio Sport Network
The ACC Coverage of the Pink Ball Test	The ACC Team	The ACC Network
Best On Air		
Best Music Breakfast Show - Network		
Winner		
ZM's Fletch, Vaughan & Megan	Carl Fletcher, Vaughan Smith, Megan Papas, Caitlin Marett, James Johnston, Anna Henvest	ZM Network
Finalists		
The Breakfast Club	Simon Barnett, Gary McCormick, Jason Mac, Lana Searle, Christopher Bond, Samantha Baxter, Chris Goodyear, Christian Boston	More FM Network
The Edge Breakfast with Dom, Meg & Randell	Dom Harvey, Meg Annear, Clinton Randell, Tom McKenzie, Alexandra Mullin, Chang Hung, Ryan Rathbone, Lucy Carthew	The Edge Network
Best Music Breakfast Show - Non Network		
Winner		
Callum & P	Callum Procter, Patrina Roche	The Hits Dunedin/Southland
Finalists		
More FM Manawatu Breakfast	Mike West, Gareth Pringle, Kearsley Cranston	More FM Manawatu
More FM Breakfast with John, Flash & Toast	John Markby, Angela 'Flash' Gordon, Tauha 'Toast' TeKani, Bryn Ingham	More FM Northland
Best Music Host or Team - Non Surveyed Market		
Winner		
More FM Rodney Breakfast with Brent & Jacque	Brent Burrridge, Jacque Tucker	More FM Rodney
Finalists		
More FM Breakfast with Andrew Leiataua	Andrew Leiataua	93.6 More FM Taupo
Bevan for Breakfast	Bevan Chapman	More FM Gisborne & Wairoa
Best Music Non-Breakfast Host - Network		
Winner		
Robert Scott	The Breeze Network Drive Show	The Breeze Network
Finalists		
Estelle Clifford	Nights with Estelle Clifford	The Hits Network
Jen Bainbridge	The Rock Workday	The Rock Network
Best Music Non-Breakfast Host - Non Network		
Winners		
Dave Nicolas	Days with Dave Nicolas	The Hits Auckland
Will Johnston	Days with Will Johnston	The Hits Tauranga
Finalist		
Emma Helleur	Days with Emma Helleur	The Hits Taranaki
Best Music Non-Breakfast Team - Network		
Winner		
Jono, Ben & Sharyn	Jono Pryor, Ben Boyce, Sharyn Casey, Dan Webby, Ryan Rathbone, Carl Thompson, Hamish Phipps	The Edge Network
Finalists		
Jase & Jay-Jay	Jay-Jay Feeney, Jason Gunn, Todd Fisher, Lana Searle, Christian Boston	More FM Network
ZM's Bree & Clint	Bree Tomasel, Clint Roberts, Ben McDowell, Ellie Harwood	ZM Network

Best Talk Presenter - Breakfast or Drive		
Winner		
Mike Hosking	The Mike Hosking Breakfast	Newstalk ZB Network
Finalists		
Larry Williams	Larry Williams Drive	Newstalk ZB Network
Guyon Espiner & Susie Ferguson	Morning Report	RNZ National
Best Talk Presenter - Other		
Winner		
Marcus Lush	Marcus Lush Nights	Newstalk ZB Network
Finalists		
Leighton Smith	The Leighton Smith Show	Newstalk ZB Network
Kim Hill	Saturday Morning	RNZ National
Best Programmes		
Best Access Radio Spoken/Informational Programme		
Winner		
Pandemic	Margaret Crawford, Michael Wilson	Arrow FM
Finalists		
Simon Frost - Hardman & Kickboxer Discloses Emotional Crisis	Sheldon Brown	Planet FM 104.6
Air Abilities Hour	Jo Casey, Rawdon Wallace, Emily Hickman, Alex Lang, Nathan Lang, Amber Ranson, Celine Jenkins, Emma Ashworth, Tasha Eyles, Olivia Ralph, Hayden Wright, Ryan Thomas	Plains FM
Best Access Radio Music Programme		
<i>Due to insufficient entries, this category is not awarded this year</i>		
Best Children's Programme		
Winner		
The Crazy Kiwi Christmas Kids Show		CBA & NZME
Finalists		
That's The Story		Radio Rhema / Loudmouth Productions
Suzy & Friends		Treehut Limited
Best Daily or Weekly Feature - Factual		
Winner		
Insight	Philippa Tolley	RNZ National
Finalists		
Mediawatch	Colin Peacock, Jeremy Rose, Zoe George, William Ray	RNZ National
Our Changing World	Alison Balance	RNZ National
Best Documentary or Factual Talk Feature		
Winner		
Insight - Imprisoned by Meth	Teresa Cowie, Philippa Tolley, Phil Bengé	RNZ National
Finalists		
Insight - Malaysian Plastics Dumping Ground	Nita Blake-Persen, Philippa Tolley, Phil Bengé	RNZ National
Beyond Kate	Sonia Sly, Tim Watkin, Justin Gregory, Marc Chesterman, William Saunders, Jason McClelland, Phil Bengé	RNZ National
Best Music Feature or Recorded Live Music Event		
Winner		
The Rock 1500	Brad King, Reagan White	The Rock Network
Finalists		
Music Alive: Neil Finn & the Auckland Philharmonia	Adrian Hollay, Paddy Hill	RNZ Concert
Jon Toogood's Planet of Sound	Jon Toogood, Greg Prebble	Hauraki Network
Best Promotion		
Best Client Promotion/Activation - Network		
Winner		
ACC - Mammoth Steady The Ship	ACC Team	Hauraki Network
Finalists		
Matt & Jerry's Excellent IPL Adventure	Hauraki Network Team	Hauraki Network
Singapore Boarding Call	Hauraki Network Team	Hauraki Network
Best Client Promotion/Activation - Single Market		
Winner		
Fletch, Vaughan & Megan's Car Raffle	Ruby Bain, Mary Outram, Jimmy Farrant, Caitlin Marett, Anna Henvest, James Johnston, Carl Fletcher, Vaughan Smith, Megan Papas, Jordyn Mihell	ZM Christchurch
Finalists		
Wild Engagement Wellington Zoo	James Pugsley, Anna Strachan, Nikita McGoram, Hayley Bath	The Hits Wellington
Sky City Go For Gold	Carlyn Reed	Mai FM Auckland
Best Digital and Social Content		
Winner		
The Edge Digital	Ricky Bannister, Lucy Carthew, Michael Baker, Chanel Potaka, Samuel Fullick, Amber Khoo, Mita Henare	The Edge Network
Finalists		
#Rock1500	Samuel Fullick, Michael Baker, Roisin Kelly, Jack Honeybone, Chanel Potaka, Aaron Ly, Megan Vasey, Amber Khoo, Mita Henare	The Rock Network
The Rock	Roisin Kelly, Jack Honeybone, Chanel Potaka, Michael Baker, Amber Khoo, Mita Henare, Aaron Ly, Megan Vasey, Jerome Sears, Samuel Fullick	The Rock Network

Best Marketing Campaign		
Winners		
Friday Jams LIVE	Jacqui Robins, Emily Hancox, Ross Flahive, Dannii Gardiner, Ashleigh Van Graan	ZM Network
The Edge Safe House	The Edge Network Staff	The Edge Network
Finalist		
Flochella	Jacqui Robins, Ross Flahive, Dannii Gardiner, Ashleigh Van Graan	ZM Network
Best Network Station Promotion		
Winner		
ZM's Secret Sound	ZM Network Team	ZM Network
Finalists		
The Bisexualor	Bree Tomasel, Clint Roberts, Ben McDowell, Ellie Harwood, Jordyn Mihell	ZM Network
Jingle Bail	Leanne Hutchinson, Jason Gunn, Jay-Jay Feeney, Todd Fisher, Matt Anderson, Shae Osborne, Abby Quinn, Mel Low, Talia Purser	More FM Network
Best Single Market Station Promotion		
Winner		
The Breeze Royal Corgi Classic	Will Maisey, Emily Reid, Grace Rhynd	The Breeze Auckland
Finalists		
Project Six60	Callum Procter, Patrina Roche, Ben Humphrey, Willis Fowler, Emily McKay, Emma Walsh	The Hits Dunedin
Renew Your Vows	Emily Reid, Robert Rakete, Jeanette Thomas, Robert Scott, Tania Burgess	The Breeze Auckland
Best Radio Creative		
Best Creative Commercial - Single or Campaign		
Winner		
NDC - Concentrate	Alastair Barran, Chris Hurring, Hannah Venneman	MediaWorks Auckland
Finalists		
NDC - Bad News Travels Fast	Alastair Barran, Chris Hurring, Casey Rarere, Nicole Angel	MediaWorks Auckland
Four Seasons Commercial Cleaning - Vacuum	Shara Benitez, Sam Dunlop-Doyle, Simon Finch, Tash Chittock, Nikki Mareko, Chris Williams, Jamie Linehan, Andrew Jack	NZME
iHeart Audiences Defined	Glenn Dwight, Mike Lane, Will Wood, James Irwin	NZME
NDC - Winter Campaign	Alastair Barran, Chris Hurring, Dezley Davidson	MediaWorks Auckland
Best Voice Talent		
Winner		
Paul Corbett		MediaWorks
Finalists		
Ronnie Mackie		NZME, Rhema Media & Loudmouth Productions
Hannah Venneman		MediaWorks
Most Effective Commercial - Single or Campaign		
Winner		
Red Cross Ready	Liam Kilmister, Reilly Borg	MediaWorks
Finalists		
Spookers - Halloween	Alastair Barran, Chris Hurring, Mia Davidson, Nicole Angel	MediaWorks Auckland
Sleep Drops - Invest In The Dream	Paul Corbett, Kirsten Taylor, Ben French, Chris Hurring, Ian Madgwick	MediaWorks
Best Technical Production		
Best Commercial Production		
Winner		
NDC - Ice	Chris Hurring, Alastair Barran	MediaWorks Auckland
Finalists		
NDC - Distraction	Chris Hurring, Alastair Barran	MediaWorks Auckland
NDC - The Fog	Chris Hurring, Alastair Barran, Dezley Davidson	MediaWorks Auckland
Best Station Imaging		
Winner		
Alistair Cockburn		ZM Network
Finalists		
Grant Brodie		The Edge Network
Dean Young		The Sound Network
Best Station Trailer		
Winner		
ZM's Friday Jams Live	Alistair Cockburn	ZM Network
Finalists		
ZM's Secret Sound	Alistair Cockburn	ZM Network
Fletch, Vaughan & Megan's Long Weekend Group Toot	Alistair Cockburn	ZM Network
Sales Team of the Year		
Winner		
The Radio Bureau	Peter Richardson, Jane Hitchfield, Karen McPherson, Fraser McGregor, Jennifer Came, Missy Dare, Michael Matthews, Kenneth D'Souza, Thomas Raybould, Dusan Matic, Ally Watt, Hannah Bourke, Liam Edkins, Ellen-Marie Atkinson	The Radio Bureau
Finalists		
MediaWorks Otago	Janine Tindall-Morice, Ben Patston, Sonya Fraser, Dan Muprhy, Anna Esquilant, Priscilla Dixon, Sally Richards, James Morris, Alice Wisker	MediaWorks Otago
MediaWorks Whanganui	Christina Emery, Sue Fothergill, Rahul Gujral	MediaWorks Whanganui
MediaWorks Network Agency	Donna Gurney, Gerhard Simanke, Matt Tattle, Philippa Stiebel, Paul Glaister, Rob Dickey, Mike Berry, Maggie Campbell, Georgia Ramage, Nicole Jones, Scott Bibby, Jude Taylor, Johnathan Schaffer, Tim Norman, Alice Brougham, Rex Carpenter	MediaWorks Network Agency

Station of the Year		
Station of the Year - Network		
<i>Winner</i>		
ZM Network		ZM Network
<i>Finalists</i>		
RNZ National		RNZ National
The Edge Network		The Edge Network
Station of the Year - Non-Surveyed Market		
<i>Winner</i>		
Sun FM		Sun FM
<i>Finalists</i>		
Radio 1XX		Radio 1XX
93.6 More FM		93.6 More FM
Station of the Year - Surveyed Market		
<i>Winner</i>		
More FM Manawatu		More FM Manawatu
<i>Finalists</i>		
More FM Canterbury		More FM Canterbury
Breeze Wellington		Breeze Wellington
'The Blackie Award'		
<i>Winners</i>		
Fletch, Vaughan & Megan's Final Conversion	Carl Fletcher, Vaughan Smith, Megan Papas, Caitlin Marett, James Johnston, Anna Henvest	ZM Network
Deadpool Marathon	Jono Pryor, Ben Boyce, Sharyn Casey, Dan Webby	The Edge Network
<i>Finalists</i>		
Operation Rog Rage	Roger Farrelly, Andrew Mulligan, Bryce Casey, Ryan Maguire, John Day	The Rock Network
The Johnny Douglas Award		
<i>Winner</i>		
Tupou Sopoaga		The Pulse
<i>Finalists</i>		
Samuel Robinson		The Pulse
Mathew Widdows		Static FM
Outstanding Contribution to Radio		
Simon Barnett		
Services to Broadcasting		
Brian Pauling		
Darryl Paton		
Larry Williams		
Special Recognition Award		
Dominic Harvey		
50 Years' Service to NZ Radio Industry		
Geoff Anderson, Peak FM		
Gavin McGinley, Radio New Zealand		