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## The ATLANTIC JOURNALISM AWARDS announces 2015 finalists

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- Best Page Presentation: Newspaper

Stephanie McHugh - Telegraph-Journal - Saint John, NB - Fashion in Action.

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Todd Manning - The Compass - Carbonear, NL - Hula Strumming.

- Photojournalism Spot News: Newspaper

Jim Dumville - The Daily Gleaner - Fredericton, NB - Comfort and Loss.

Keith Gosse - The Telegram - St. John's, NL - Fiery Crash.

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- Photojournalism Feature: Newspaper

Andrew Vaughan - The Canadian Press - Halifax, NS - Remembering a Fallen Father.

Andrew Vaughan - The Canadian Press - Halifax, NS - Summertime in the City of Lakes.

Greg Agnew - Telegraph-Journal - Saint John, NB - Hand Eye Coordination.

- Atlantic Magazine Article

Mary-Frances Lynch - Saltscapes Magazine - Bedford, NS - Healing Roots.

Mike Allen - Atlantic Salmon Journal - Chamcook, NB - River One.

Stephanie Porter - Atlantic Business Magazine - St. John's, NL - Ancient Land, Modern Life.

- Atlantic Magazine: Best Cover

Atlantic Salmon Journal - Chamcook, NB - Winter 2015: Art of Conservation.

East Coast Living - Halifax, NS - Fall 2015: Old Town, New House.

East Coast Living - Halifax, NS - Winter 2015: Bright New View.

Halifax Magazine - Halifax, NS - June 2015: Pet Projects.

- Atlantic Magazine: Best Profile Article

Sarah Sawler - Halifax Magazine - Halifax, NS - Level Up.

Stephen Kimber - Atlantic Business Magazine - St. John's, NL - Innovator of the Year.

Stephen Kimber - Atlantic Business Magazine - St. John's, NL - The Trials and Tribulations of Vrege Armoyan.

- Breaking/Spot News Reporting: Print and Online

Andrew Vaughan/Michael MacDonald/Michael Tutton - The Canadian Press - Halifax, NS - Air Canada's 'Hard Landing' in Halifax.

Kevin Bissett - The Canadian Press - Halifax, NS - Guilty: Dennis Oland's Trial Verdict.

Laverne Stewart - The Daily Gleaner - Fredericton, NB - ABCs of Fear.

- Breaking News: Radio

Jessica Doria-Brown - CBC PEI - Charlottetown, PEI - Barber Shop Fire.

Paul Raynes - VOXM News - St. John's, NL - Fatal crash - A Lonely Search.

Robert Jones - CBC NB - Fredericton, NB - Oland Verdict.

- Breaking News/Spot News: Television

Brett Ruskin - Global Halifax - Halifax, NS - Reporter Helps Expectant Mother in Snowstorm.  
Global Halifax News Team - Halifax, NS - Air Canada Flight 624 Crash Landing.  
Heather Gillis - NTV News - St. John's, NL - Fishing Tragedy.

- Enterprise Reporting: Print

Adam Huras/Karissa Donkin - Telegraph-Journal - Saint John, NB - Daycare Inspections.  
Ashley Fitzpatrick - The Telegram - St. John's, NL - Poison in the Water.  
David Boehm - Rural Delivery - Liverpool, NS - Lobster on a Roll.

- Enterprise Reporting: Radio

Angela MacIvor - CBC NS - Halifax, NS - A Crisis in Rape Funding.  
Erin Moore - CBC NS - Halifax, NS - Debra Spencer Deportation.  
Robert Jones - CBC NB - Fredericton, NB - Overbilled.

- Enterprise Reporting: Television

Ariana Kelland - CBC NL - St. John's, NL - Trouble Behind Bars.  
Rob Antle - CBC NL - St. John's, NL - Blind Trust.  
Shane Rockland Fowler - CBC NB - Fredericton, NB - Glyphosate Sprayings.

- Feature: Print

Barb Sweet - The Telegram - St. John's, NL - Down the Maggot Hole.  
James Foster - Times&Transcript - Moncton, NB - The Descendants of Daniel.  
Victoria Dekker - Telegraph-Journal - Saint John, NB - The High-Flying Hunt.

- Feature: Radio

Gavin Simms - CBC NL - St. John's, NL - Shadows of My Mind.  
Pauline Dakin - CBC NS - Halifax, NS - Rural Reckoning: The Come-From-Away Investor.  
Vanessa Blanch - CBC NB - Moncton, NB - Answer Back, Brother.

- Feature: Television

Serge Bouchard - Radio-Canada Acadie - Moncton, NB - Le Bonheur Retrouvé de Gino Sélesse.  
Shelley Steeves/Steve Fiander - Global NB - Bud the Guardian Angel Dog.  
Shelley Steeves/Steve Fiander - Global NB - Harmonica Helps Dementia Patient.

- Business Reporting: Any Medium

Adam Walsh - CBC NL - St. John's, NL - China: The Seal Hunt's Last Hope?  
Rebecca Martel - Radio-Canada Acadie - Halifax, NS - L'énergie marémotrice en Nouvelle-Écosse.  
Stephen Kimber - Atlantic Business Magazine - St. John's, NL - Boiling Point.

- Sports Reporting: Any Medium

Bruce Hallihan - The Daily Gleaner - Fredericton, NB - The Struggle Within.  
Monty Mosher - The Chronicle Herald - Halifax, NS - No Regrets.  
Randy O'Donnell - Telegraph-Journal - Saint John, NB - Bouncing Back.

- Arts & Entertainment Reporting: Any Medium

Cara Smith - Telegraph-Journal - Saint John, NB - The Power of a Portrait.  
Philip Lee - Saltscapes Magazine - Bedford, NS - Lennie's Dream.  
Victoria Dekker - Telegraph-Journal - Saint John, NB - Paying Tribute to a Historic Program.

- Commentary: Any Medium

Brent Mazerolle - Times&Transcript - Moncton, NB - Who was the Real Victim of June 4?  
Pascal Raiche-Nogue - Acadie Nouvelle - Caraquet, NB - Un Doigt d'Honneur.  
Trevor Adams - Halifax Magazine - Halifax, NS - How We Remember.

- Video Journalist: Television

Brett Ruskin - CBC NS - Halifax, NS - Show of work.

Laura Meader - CBC PEI - Charlottetown, PEI - Show of work.

Philippe Grenier - Radio-Canada Acadie - St. John's, NL - Show of work.

- Best Community Newspaper News Story

Tammy Scott-Wallace - Kings County Record - Sussex, NB - Doors Close on People's Court.

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Tim Jaques - The Tribune - Campbellton, NB - Kerboom! It's Still There!

- Editorial Cartooning

Bruce MacKinnon - The Chronicle Herald - Halifax, NS - Show of work.

Greg Perry - Telegraph-Journal - Saint John, NB - Show of work.

Michael de Adder - Brunswick News & The Chronicle Herald - Show of work.

- Best Multimedia Feature

Alison Auld/Michael Tutton - The Canadian Press - Halifax, NS - Moncton Shootings, One Year Later.

Michael Tutton - The Canadian Press - Halifax, NS - Treading Water: State of Nova Scotia Bridges.

Nicolas Steinbach/Philippe Duclos - Radio-Canada Acadie - Moncton, NB - Pour Toujours Haiti.

- Best Information News Radio Program (Selected Program)

Information Morning - CBC NB - Fredericton, NB.

St. John's Morning Show - CBC NL - St. John's, NL.

Island Morning - CBC PEI - Charlottetown, PEI.

- Best Radio Newscast (Selected Newscast)

CBC 6:30 AM News - CBC NS - Halifax, NS.

The Morning News - News95.7 - Halifax, NS.

VOCM 6:30 AM News - VOCM - St. John's, NL.

- Best Television News Broadcast (Same Date Newscast)

Compass - CBC PEI - Charlottetown, PEI.

Halifax Evening News - Global Halifax - Halifax, NS.

New Brunswick at 6 - CBC NB - Fredericton, NB.

- The Jim MacNeill New Journalist Award

Elizabeth Fraser - The Daily Gleaner - Fredericton, NB - Show of work.

Laura Howells - CBC NL - St. John's, NL - Show of work.

Steve Silva - Global Halifax - Halifax, NS - Show of work.

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