



2017 WINNERS & FINALISTS

Associated Craft

Winner

Bek Wall, Sheridan Hill, Bernadette Read

NZME Trade Marketing Team

NZME All Stations

Finalists

Jessica Knox, Anna Hughes, Alex Jolly, Megan Leach, Laraun Scott, Theo Faithfull, Briony Fern
Jim Cowan

MediaWorks Trade Marketing Team

MediaWorks Radio

Sound Engineer

RadioLIVE

Best Childrens Programme

Winner

The Crazy Kiwi Christmas Kids Show

Phil Guyan, Frank Ritchie, Catherine Sylvester, Levi Guyan, Daryl Habraken, Phil Yule, Erin Carpenter, Chris Newbold, Joshua Couch, Skyler Sylvester, Lauren McLay, Andy Duff, John Key, Jack Tame, Rachel Smalley, Pippa Wetzel, Petra Bagust

Christian Broadcasting Assoc & NZME

Finalists

Suzy & Friends - Radio Show
Chad Awomesauce

Suzy Cato, Trevor Plant, Phil Yule, Jordy Searle
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Treehut Limited
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Best Community Access Programmes

Best Music Programme in Any Language

Winner

The Nobel Dylan - The Folk Music Hour

Davey Calder, Chris Foreman

Access Radio Taranaki 104.4FM

Finalists

Space Station Kiwi
Jalsa Dip Chick Moments

Marchell Linzey
Vinesh Prakash, Rajneeta Chand, Smrita Tiwari, Shahil Sharan, Rahul Tiwari, Krish Krishna, Avi Kumar, Monil Nand

Otago Access Radio 105.4FM
Plains FM 96.9

Best Spoken/ Informational English Language Programme

Winner

Canterbury Cultures - Philippines Export Labour Market

Lana Hart

PlainsFM

Finalists

Eastern Rising - 'The 5th Great Annual Ōtākaro-Avon River Walk'
Heritage Matters

Tanya Didham, Mark Gibson, Martha Baxendell, David Hill, Becca Bouffandeau, Michelle Whitaker
Bill Southworth, Dougal Stevenson, Jane Edwards, Keith Scott, Judy Southworth, Ann Barrowclough

PlainsFM
Otago Access Radio

Best Community Campaign

Winner

Make Kaikoura Crate Again

Bryce Casey, Duncan Heyde, Roger Farrelly, Jennifer Bainbridge, Tom Furniss, Tony Lyall, Aaron Ly, Stacey Wouters, Stacey McLeod

The Rock Network

Finalists

The Big Give
The Mount Everest Challenge 2016

Phillipa Pattison
Belinda Francis, Jolene James, Lauren White, Renee Pink, Justin Evans

More FM Nelson
More FM Tauranga

Best Content

Best Content Director

Winner

Christian Boston

More FM Network

Finalists

Ryan Rathbone
Philip Bell
Brad King

The Edge Network
Mai FM Network
The Rock Network

Best Creative Feature

Winner

Cool to Korero

Richard Culph, JGeek and the Geeks, Jimi Jackson, Grant Brodie

Mai FM Network

Finalists

"33AD" News Headlines

Phil Guyan, Joshua Couch, Bernadine Oliver-Kerby, Hannah Bartlett, Phil Yule, Pat Brittenden, Barry Soper, Daryl Habraken
Asher Bastion

Newstalk ZB Network simulcast on Radio Sport Network
Love It Media

Best Show Producer

Winner

Chris Bond

Si and Gary Show

More FM Network

Finalists

Sarah Bristow
Duncan Heyde & Dan Webby

The Paul Henry Show
Jono & Ben

RadioLIVE Network
The Rock Network

Best Video

Winner

Jim's Extreme Parkour: Expectations vs. Reality

Stacey McLeod, Jim Cawthorn

The Rock Network

Finalists

Jase & PJ - April Fools
Jono & Ben Cook Crusade

Jase Hawkins, PJ Harding, Alex Perigo, Kellie Addison
Jono Pryor, Ben Boyce, Bronwynn Bakker, Jamie Linehan, Ben Winter, Matt Cooke

ZM Network
The Rock Network

Best Maori Language Broadcast

Winner

OB Tangihanga Nolan Raihania

Kingston Cooper, Moerangi Tihore

Radio Ngati Porou

Finalist

151yrs Commemoration of Te Kupenga

Tracey Eparaima, Jarrod Dodd, Wiremu Huta-Martin, Kahi Stevens, Mere McLean

Tumeke FM

Best New Broadcaster

Best New Broadcaster - Off-Air

Winner

Chanelle Allen

Copywriter

NZME Brands

Finalist

Abi Banks
Laura Kneer

Copywriter
Early Edition Executive Producer and Mike Hosking Breakfast Assistant
Producer

NZME Brands
Newstalk ZB Network

Liam Kilmister

Creative Writer and Production Support

Mediaworks Wellington

Best New Broadcaster - On-Air		
Winner		
Jim Cawthorn		The Rock Network
Finalists		
Raven Addei		Mai FM Network
Mitch McCann		RadioLIVE / Newshub Network
Best News & Sport		
Best News or Sports Journalist		
Winner		
Lloyd Burr		RadioLIVE / Newshub Network
Finalists		
Brenton Vannisselroy		Newstalk ZB & Radio Sport Network
Barry Soper		Newstalk ZB Network
Best News Story - Team Coverage		
Winner		
The Kaikoura Earthquake	Chris Lynch, Tyler Adams, Anastasia Hedge, Kurt Bayer, Chelsea Daniels, Sam Olley	Newstalk ZB Canterbury
Finalists		
The Mike Hosking Breakfast - Brexit Fallout	Mike Hosking, Jason Winstanley, Nadia Tolich, Glenn Hart, Michael Allan, Laura Kneer, Helen McCarthy, Steph Rowe, Newstalk ZB News Team	Newstalk ZB Network
The Mike Hosking Breakfast: US Election Week - Live from New York	Mike Hosking, Jason Winstanley, Nadia Tolich, Emily Winstanley, Glenn Hart, Laura Kneer, Michael Allan, Steph Rowe, Barry Soper, Newstalk ZB News Team	Newstalk ZB Network
Kaikoura Earthquake	Aroha Hathaway, Grace Cocker, Tony Amos, Kaye Albyt, RadioLIVE News Team	RadioLIVE / Newshub Network
Best Newsreader		
Winner		
Niva Retimanu		Newstalk ZB Network
Finalists		
Trudi Nelson		RadioLIVE / Newshub Network
Bernadine Oliver-Kerby		Newstalk ZB Network
Best Sports Reader, Presenter or Commentator		
Winner		
Martin Devlin		Radio Sport Network
Finalists		
D'Arcy Waldegrave & Goran Paladin		Radio Sport Network
Nigel Yalden		Newstalk ZB & Radio Sport Network
Best Sports Story - Team Coverage		
Winner		
Remembering Martin Crowe	Kent Johns, Kerrie Shaw, D'Arcy Waldegrave, Goran Paladin, Eli Mwaijumba, Rikki Swannell, Adam Cooper, Elliott Smith, Andrew Mulligan, Simon Doull, Marc Peard, Gareth Lischner	Radio Sport Network
Finalists		
Radio Sport Rio Olympics	Nigel Yalden, Brian Ashby, Malcolm Jordan, Daniel McHardy, Peter Montgomery, Brenton Vannisselroy, Rikki Swannell, Gareth Lischner, Eli Mwaijumba, Chris Newbold, Marc Peard, Hayden O'Neill, Anthony Milicich, Kerrie Shaw, Beaven Dewar, Trevor McKewen, Jason Winstanley, NZME Engineering Team	Radio Sport Network
Triumph & Heartbreak - New Zealand at the Rio Olympics	Chris Forster, John McNeil, Lewis Hampton, Jeff McTainsh, Michelle Pickles, Sam Ackerman, Alex Bell, Kirsty Stanway, Geoff Bryan, Aroha Hathaway, Newshub Sport & RadioLIVE	RadioLIVE / Newshub Network
Best On Air		
Best Music Breakfast Show - Network		
Winner		
Jay-Jay, Dom and Randell	Jay-Jay Harvey, Dominic Harvey, Clinton Randell, Kerry Gregory, Carl Thompson, Stephanie Munro, Stephanie Monks	The Edge Network
Finalists		
Si & Gary	Simon Barnett, Gary McCormick, Chris Bond, Samantha Baxter, Chris Goodyear, Christian Boston	More FM Network
Fletch, Vaughan & Megan	Carl Fletcher, Vaughan Smith, Megan Sellers, Caitlin Marett, James Johnston, James Marbeck	ZM Network
Best Music Breakfast Show - Single Market		
Winner		
The Hits Dunedin Breakfast with Callum and P	Callum Procter, Patrina Roche	The Hits Dunedin
Finalists		
More FM Breakfast with John, Flash & Toast	John Markby, Angela 'Flash' Gordon, Tauha 'Toast' TeKani, Bryn Ingham	More FM Northland
Robert & Jeanette	Robert Rakete, Jeanette Thomas, Braydon Priest, Ian Avery, Nicky Leith	The Breeze Auckland
Best Music Non-Breakfast Solo Host - Network		
Winner		
Robert Scott - The Easy Drive Home	Robert Scott	The Breeze Network
Finalists		
More FM Days	Andy Wright	More FM Network
The Hits Night Show With Estelle	Estelle Clifford	The Hits Network
Best Music Non-Breakfast Solo Host - Single Market		
Winner		
The Easy Workday with Katrina Smith	Katrina Smith	The Breeze Wellington
Finalists		
The Hits Bay Of Plenty Days with Will	Will Johnston	The Hits Bay of Plenty
More FM Workplace Social Club with George	George Smith	More FM Rodney
Best Music Non-Breakfast Team - Network		
Winner		
Jono & Ben	Jono Pryor, Ben Boyce, Dan Webby, Duncan Heyde, Bronwynn Bakker	The Rock Network
Finalists		
Jase & PJ	Jase Hawkins, PJ Harding, Alex Perigo, Miles Blumsom	ZM Network
The Edge Afternoons with Guy, Sharyn & Clint	Guy Williams, Sharyn Casey, Clint Roberts, Samuel Fullick, Chang Hung, Oscar Jackson	The Edge Network

Best Talk Presenter - Breakfast or Drive		
Winner		
Duncan Garner	RadioLIVE Drive with Duncan Garner	RadiOLIVE Network
Finalists		
Mike Hosking	The Mike Hosking Breakfast	Newstalk ZB Network
Paul Henry	The Paul Henry Show	RadiOLIVE Network
Best Talk Presenter - Other		
Winner		
Marcus Lush	Marcus Lush Nights	Newstalk ZB Network
Finalists		
Leighton Smith	The Leighton Smith Show	Newstalk ZB Network
Martin Devlin	The Devlin Radio Show	Radio Sport Network
Best Promotion		
Best Client Digital/Social Promotion		
Winner		
ZM and Friskies Cat News	Carl Fletcher, Cameron Maurice, Sarah Catran, Vaughan Smith, Megan Sellers	ZM Network
Finalists		
Jennian Homes - Proud of our Home	Arron Smith, Jovan Milovic, Monique Pierce, Jackie Campbell, Andrew Martin	MediaWorks National
Rock 1000+500 with Carters	Stacey Wouters, Stacey McLeod, Brad King, Dermott Sweeney, Robert Dickey, Jason Mac	The Rock Network
Best Client Promotion/Activation - Network		
Winner		
Jono and Ben's Cool Town Bro	Jono Pryor, Ben Boyce, Duncan Heyde, Dan Webby, Bronwynn Bakker, Jason Mac, Michael Batty, Tony Lyall, Chris Lloyd, Adam Stevenson, Cam Bakker, Monique Pierce, Mel Rundle	The Rock Network
Finalists		
All Work No Play Very Important Business Trip to Las Vegas with Tradestaff	Nathan Hart, Jeremy Wells, Matt Heath, Chris Goodwin	Radio Hauraki Network
BCITO Not Your Average Shed	Linda Smeele, Phoebe Turner, Amy Nola, Cameron Maurice, Sarah Catran, Jase Hawkins, PJ Harding, Alex Perigo, Ast Nathan, Daz Suasua	ZM & Flava Network
Best Client Promotion/Activation - Single Market		
Winner		
Cranzacs	Steve Joll, Kath Bier, Pearl Leonard, Casey Sullivan	The Breeze Wellington
Finalists		
New World Te Kuiti - Key to the World	Matt Davy, Blair Dowling, Brian Hall	The Hits Waikato
Fix My Smile - The Dental Suite	Shaun Piercy, Brent Harbour, Lance Dunne, Lia Shelford	More FM Rodney
Best Digital Engagement		
Winner		
http://www.therock.net.nz	Stacey McLeod, Michael Baker, Alice Murray, Josh Post, Sharina Delluta, Kathleen Waller, Cathrin Jaeger	The Rock Network
Finalists		
http://www.maifm.co.nz	Talia Purser, Amber Howard, Alice Murray, Michael Baker, Philip Bell, Charene Siakimotu, Cathrin Jaeger, Michal Hempel, Rosa Volz, Greg Montgomery	Mai FM Network
http://www.theedge.co.nz	Samuel Fullick, Stephanie Munro, Michael Baker, Alice Murray, Nathaniel Smith, Bronte Adshead, Cathrin Jaeger, Rosa Volz, Nicky Leith	The Edge Network
Best Marketing Campaign		
Joint Winners		
Coast Ambassadors	Lauren Drifill, Abbie Mackay, Sheryl Dunlop, Justine Black, Tracey Fox	Coast Nationwide
50 Years Since They Told Us We Couldn't	Kate Britten, Mikhal Norriss, Mike McClung, Dan Bradley, Tracey Fox, Justine Black, Michael Fuiava, John Galliers, Claudia Williams	Radio Hauraki Network
Finalist		
Know Your Sound	Claire Chellew	The Sound Network
Best Network Station Promotion		
Winner		
National Crate Day	Stacey Wouters, Michael Baker, Stacey McLeod	The Rock Network
Finalists		
Camp Edge	Carl Thompson, Bex Dewhurst, Dena Roberts, Angela Wedekind, Hayley Gillespie, Louise Hawkins, Anna Kemp, Cameron Maurice, Ross Flahive, Carl Fletcher, Vaughan Smith, Megan Sellers, James Johnston, Caitlin Marett	The Edge Network
ZM's Wedding Unplanners		ZM Network
Best Single Market Station Promotion		
Winner		
Guns'N'Roses on The Breeze	Steve Joll, Kath Bier, Pearl Leonard, Casey Sullivan	The Breeze Wellington
Finalists		
Radio Hauraki's Legendary No Sleep til Breakfast - Christchurch Edition	Nathan Hart, Jodie Gill, Felixe O'Keefe, Cynthia Monardez	Radio Hauraki Christchurch
Blind Date to Brisbane	Logan Toomer, Patrina Roche, Callum Proctor	The Hits Dunedin
Best Station Digital/Social Promotion		
Winner		
National Crate Day	Stacey Wouters, Michael Baker, Stacey McLeod	The Rock Network
Finalists		
Jase and PJ's 52 Hour On-air Marathon	Jase Hawkins, PJ Harding, Alex Perigo, Miles Blumsom, Ross Flahive, Louise Hawkins, Cameron Maurice, Rod Maldon, Lucy Carthew	ZM Network
Guns'N'Roses on The Breeze	Steve Joll, Kath Bier, Pearl Leonard, Casey Sullivan	The Breeze Wellington
Best Radio Creative		
Best Creative Commercial - Single or Campaign		
Winner		
Corn Evil - The End is Near	Alastair Barran	The Edge Auckland
Finalists		
NZTA Far North - No Butts Follow	Alastair Barran Shara Benitez	Mai FM Northland Radio Sport, Hauraki - Multi Market
Best Voice Talent		
Winner		
Gerard Cronin		MediaWorks All Stations
Finalists		
Leilani Fokelau		MediaWorks All Stations
Paul Corbett		George FM Auckland

Most Effective Commercial - Single or Campaign		
Winner		
'Phone a Friend'	Scott Armstrong, Tim Woodley	ZB, Sport, Hits, Hauraki Nationwide
Finalists		
Jennian Homes - Proud of our Home	Kelvin Crickett, Gareth Curtis, Arron Smith, Monique Pierce, Jackie Campbell	MediaWorks Network
Brexit, Aussies, Key	Chris Howden, Bryan Thompson, James Irwin, Malcolm Burr, Raymond Laursen	NewstalkZB & Hits Auckland
Best Spoken Programmes		
Best Daily or Weekly Feature		
Winner		
Larry Williams Drive	Larry Williams, Laura Smith, Louis Herman-Watt, Thomas Thexton, Laura Heathcote	Newstalk ZB Network
Finalists		
Saturday Morning with Jack Tame	Jack Tame, Helen McCarthy	Newstalk ZB Network
The Country	Jamie Mackay, Dom George, Jane Ferguson	Newstalk ZB, Radio Sport, Hokonui, Central FM, Burn 729AM and iHeart Radio Network
Best Technical Production		
Best Station Imaging		
Winner		
Grant Brodie		The Edge Network
Finalists		
Joe Baxendale		The Rock Network
Alistair Cockburn		ZM Network
Best Station Trailer		
Joint Winners		
Justin Bieber Campaign	Alistair Cockburn, Gary Pointon, Ross Flahive, Abi Banks, Dan Bernstone, Caitlin Marett	ZM Network
Donald Trump Make NZ Crate Again	Joe Baxendale, Jason Mac	The Rock Network
Finalists		
Meet The Music Director	Grant Brodie, Richie Culph, Reagan White, K'lee McNabb	The Edge Network
Commercial Production		
Winner		
Driveways	Ben French	Mai FM Northland
Finalists		
Small Change	Ben French	Mai FM Northland
Spookers 'Final Massacre'	Chris Hurring	The Rock Auckland
Sales Team of the Year		
Best Network Sales Team		
Winner		
MediaWorks National Agency	Donna Gurney, Gerhard Simanke, Paul Glaister, Matt Bowness, Amanda Nicholls, Matt Tattle, Amelia MacDiarmid, Mike Berry, Nicole Jones, Jude Taylor, Johnathan Schaffer, Tim Norman	MediaWorks National
Finalists		
MediaWorks Auckland	Lee-Ann Collett, Matt Tremain, Kevin Crane, Anna McGovern	MediaWorks Auckland
NZME Auckland	Neil Jackson, Peter Revell, Nic Hurman, Jenna Smith	NZME Auckland
Best Regional/Provincial Sales Team		
Winner		
MediaWorks Taupo/Rotorua	Penny Lyons, Irene Nottage, Brent Marshall, Julia Manktelow, Leah Withington, James Nottage	MediaWorks Taupo/Rotorua
Finalist		
MediaWorks Tauranga	Belinda Francis, Bernie Morgan, John Bedford, Kirt Richards, Kimberley Hayward, Jaimie Thompson, Brooke Manson	MediaWorks Tauranga
Station of the Year		
Station of the Year - Network		
Winner		
ZM	Ross Flahive	ZM Network
Finalists		
The Edge	Ryan Rathbone	The Edge Network
The Rock	Brad King	The Rock Network
Station of the Year - Non-Surveyed Market		
Winner		
One Double X	Glenn Smith	One Double X Eastern Bay of Plenty
Finalists		
More FM Taupo	Penny Lyons, Dougal Morison, Sara Pilkington	More FM Taupo
More FM Rodney	Brent Harbour, Anna McGovern, Dean McGovern, Shaun Piercy, Lance Dunne, Lia Shelford, George Smith	More FM Rodney
Station of the Year - Surveyed Market		
Winner		
More FM Canterbury	Christian Boston, Rob McDonald	More FM Canterbury
Finalists		
More FM Manawatu	Willie Furnell	More FM Manawatu
More FM Northland	Erena Miller, Bryn Ingham, Chook Henare	More FM Northland
'The Blackie' (Award)		
Winner		
Scotty J Word insertion	Matt Heath, Jeremy Wells, Joseph Durie, Chris Goodwin	Hauraki Network
Finalists		
Jay-Jay Dom and Randell's World Youngest Bungy	Jay-Jay Harvey, Dominic Harvey, Clinton Randell, Kerry Gregory, Carl Thompson, Noel Faulkner, Stephanie Munro	The Edge Network
Guns'N'Roses on The Breeze	Steve Joll, Kath Bier, Pearl Leonard, Casey Sullivan	The Breeze Wellington
Outstanding Contribution to Radio		
Jac Kluts		
Wendy Palmer		
Services to Broadcasting		
Simon Marsh		
Wayne Sleeman		
Ronnie Phillips		
Allen McLaughlin		