

**ART DIRECTORS GUILD ANNOUNCES NOMINATIONS
FOR 2009 FILM, TV, COMMERCIAL AND MUSIC VIDEO AWARDS:
CEREMONY TO TAKE PLACE FEBRUARY 13**

LOS ANGELES, January 8 -- The Art Directors Guild (ADG) today announced nominations in nine categories of Production Design for theatrical motion pictures, television, commercials and music videos competing in the ADG's 14th Annual Excellence in Production Design Awards for 2009. The nominations announcement was made by ADG Council President Tom Walsh and Awards co-producers John Janavs and Dawn Snyder. Deadline for final voting, which is done online, is February 11. Black-tie ceremonies announcing winners will take place Saturday, February 13, 2010 from the International Ballroom of the Beverly Hilton Hotel in Beverly Hills.

The ADG's Outstanding Contribution to Cinematic Imagery Award recipient is Warren Beatty. The Lifetime Achievement honor goes to Academy Award® winning Production Designer Terence Marsh, and will be presented to Marsh by Gene Wilder. Production Designer Michael Baugh is being presented with a Creative Leadership Award. In addition, the ADG will induct the following legendary Production Designers from the past into its Hall of Fame: Malcolm F. Brown, Bob Keene and Ferdinando Scarfiotti. At the start of the awards ceremony, the ADG will debut a short film clip entitled "Production Design: The Good, the Bad, and the Beautiful."

NOMINEES FOR EXCELLENCE IN PRODUCTION DESIGN FOR A FEATURE FILM IN 2009:

Period Film

A SERIOUS MAN	PRODUCTION DESIGNER:	JESS GONCHOR
INGLOURIOUS BASTERDS	PRODUCTION DESIGNER:	DAVID WASCO
JULIE & JULIA	PRODUCTION DESIGNER:	MARK RICKER
PUBLIC ENEMIES	PRODUCTION DESIGNER:	NATHAN CROWLEY
SHERLOCK HOLMES	PRODUCTION DESIGNER:	SARAH GREENWOOD

Fantasy Film

AVATAR	PRODUCTION DESIGNER:	RICK CARTER ROBERT STROMBERG
DISTRICT 9	PRODUCTION DESIGNER:	PHILIP IVEY
HARRY POTTER & THE HALF-BLOOD PRINCE	PRODUCTION DESIGNER:	STUART CRAIG

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STAR TREK

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: SCOTT CHAMBLISS

WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: K.K. BARRETT

Contemporary Film

ANGELS & DEMONS

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: ALLAN CAMERON

THE HANGOVER

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: BILL BRZESKI

THE HURT LOCKER

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: KARL JULIUSSON

THE LOVELY BONES

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: NAOMI SHOHAN

UP IN THE AIR

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: STEVE SAKLAD

NOMINEES FOR EXCELLENCE IN PRODUCTION DESIGN IN TELEVISION FOR 2009:

Single Camera Television Series

GLEE

EPISODE: PILOT

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: MARK HUTMAN

MAD MEN

EPISODE: SOUVENIR

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: DAN BISHOP

PUSHING DAISIES

EPISODE: KERPLUNK

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: MICHAEL WYLIE

TRUE BLOOD

EPISODE: NEVER LET ME GO

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: SUZUKI INGERSLEV

UGLY BETTY

EPISODE: THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE MODE

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: MARK WORTHINGTON

Television Movie or Mini-Series

BEN 10 ALIEN SWARM

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: YUDA ACCO

GREY GARDENS

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: KALINA IVANOV

THE PRISONER

PRODUCTION DESIGNER: MICHAEL PICKWOOD

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Episode of a Half Hour Single-Camera Television Series

30 ROCK

EPISODE: APOLLO, APOLLO

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

KEITH IAN RAYWOOD
TERESA MASTROPIERRO

FLIGHT OF THE CONCHORDS

EPISODE: EVICTED

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

DAN BUTTS

MODERN FAMILY

EPISODE: COAL DIGGER

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

RICHARD BERG

THE OFFICE

EPISODE: NIAGARA

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

MICHAEL GALLENGER

WEEDS

EPISODE: DUCKS AND TIGERS

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

JOSEPH P. LUCKY

Episode of a Multi-Camera, Variety, or Unscripted Series

THE BIG BANG THEORY

EPISODE: THE ADHESIVE DUCK DEFICIENCY

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

JOHN SHAFFNER

THE JAY LENO SHOW

EPISODE: 51

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

R. BRANDT DANIELS

HELL'S KITCHEN

EPISODE: 604

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

JOHN JANAVS

HOW I MET YOUR MOTHER

EPISODE: OLD KING CLANCY

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

STEPHAN OLSON

SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE

EPISODE: HOST - JUSTIN TIMBERLAKE

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

EUGENE LEE
AKIRA YOSHIMURA
KEITH IAN RAYWOOD

Awards, Music, or Game Shows

2009 CMT MUSIC AWARDS

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

ANNE BRAHIC

51st ANNUAL GRAMMY AWARDS

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

BRIAN STONESTREET
STEVE BASS

61st ANNUAL EMMY AWARDS

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

STEVE BASS

66th GOLDEN GLOBE AWARDS

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

BRIAN STONESTREET

WHEEL OF FORTUNE

EPISODE: ON LOCATION IN HAWAII

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

RENEE HOSS-JOHNSON

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**NOMINEES FOR EXCELLENCE IN PRODUCTION DESIGN FOR
COMMERCIALS AND MUSIC VIDEOS FOR 2009:**

ABSOLUT ANTHEM

COMMERCIAL: IN AN ABSOLUT WORLD

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

JAMES CHINLUND

HEWLETT PACKARD

COMMERCIAL: IN THE AIR

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

CHRISTOPHER GLASS

HOUSE OF IMAGINATION

COMMERCIAL

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

MARTIN TINO SCHAEGLER

NINTENDO

COMMERCIAL: Wii

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

FLOYD ALBEE

PUMA

COMMERCIAL: LIFT

PRODUCTION DESIGNER:

JAMES CHINLUND

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