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Inaugural Canadian Screen Awards presented in film and television at CBC Broadcast

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Toronto, ON – March 3, 2013 – The Academy of Canadian Cinema & Television is pleased to announce tonight's 37 Canadian Screen Awards Winners at this evening's Broadcast Gala on CBC Television, which included winners in film and television programming. Comedian Martin Short hosted the inaugural star-studded event, which took place at the Sony Centre for the Performing Arts in Toronto.

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"Tonight we celebrate the glamour and talent of our Canadian screen industries," says Martin Katz, Academy Chair. "It is a great moment in the Academy's history to initiate the new Canadian Screen Awards and to celebrate with all the nominees and winners."

"On behalf of the Academy, I applaud all of tonight's inaugural Canadian Screen Awards winners and Academy Special Award winners," says Helga Stephenson, Academy CEO. "Tonight marks the beginning of a new era for the Academy, but we continue to proudly recognize talent in Canadian film and television."

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On Sunday, March 3, 2013 The Academy presented awards to 37 Canadian Screen Award winners in film and television programming categories, including the winners of 4 Academy Special Awards. Information regarding these award winners is also available through the electronic press kit.

Tonight's Canadian Screen Awards Gala is the final of three galas held by the Academy.

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About the Academy: Established in 1979, the Academy of Canadian Cinema & Television is a national, non-profit, professional association dedicated to the promotion, recognition and celebration of exceptional achievements in Canadian film, television and digital media. Unifying industry professionals across Canada, the Academy is a vital force representing all screen-based industries.

About the Canadian Screen Awards: The Academy's Canadian Screen Awards is the new annual awards show to celebrate the best in film, television and digital media. Canada's king of comedy, Martin Short, will host the inaugural 2-Hour Live Broadcast Gala Sunday March 3, 2013 @ 8pm (8:30 N.T) on CBC.

The following categories were presented at tonight's March 3rd Canadian Screen Awards Gala:

2013 Canadian Screen Awards
WINNERS BY CATEGORY OF ACHIEVEMENT

TELEVISION & DIGITAL MEDIA CATEGORIES

Program Categories

THE BELL MEDIA AWARD FOR BEST COMEDY PROGRAM OR SERIES

Less Than Kind

(Breakthrough Entertainment, Buffalo Gal Pictures)

Ira Levy, Garry Campbell, Marvin Kaye, Phyllis Laing, Mark McKinney, Chris Sheasgreen, Paula Smith, Peter Williamson

BEST DRAMATIC SERIES

Sponsored by the Independent Production Fund

Flashpoint

(Flashpoint Season IV Productions Inc.)

Anne Marie La Traverse, Bill Mustos

BEST INTERNATIONAL DRAMA

The Borgias

(Take 5 Productions, Mid-Atlantic Films, Octagon Films)

Neil Jordan, James Flynn, Sheila Hockin, John Weber

BEST REALITY/COMPETITION PROGRAM OR SERIES

Sponsored by A&E Network

Dragons' Den

(CBC)

Tracie Tighe, Mike Armitage, Lisa Gabriele

Performance Categories

THE SHAW MEDIA AWARD FOR BEST HOST IN A VARIETY, LIFESTYLE, REALITY/COMPETITION, PERFORMING ARTS OR TALK PROGRAM OR SERIES

George Stroumboulopoulos - George Stroumboulopoulos Tonight - *John Irving / Regis Philbin/ Haiti Special*

BEST NEWS ANCHOR

Peter Mansbridge - CBC News The National

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTOR IN A CONTINUING LEADING COMEDIC ROLE

Gerry Dee - Mr. D - *The Basketball Diaries*

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTRESS IN A CONTINUING LEADING COMEDIC ROLE

Wendel Meldrum - Less Than Kind - *The Fwomp*

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTOR IN A CONTINUING LEADING DRAMATIC ROLE

Enrico Colantoni - Flashpoint - *Day Game*

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTRESS IN A CONTINUING LEADING DRAMATIC ROLE

Meg Tilly - Bomb Girls - *Armistice*

BEST SPORTS HOST OR ANALYST IN A SPORTS PROGRAM OR SPORTSCAST

Brian Williams - London 2012 Olympic Games

FILM CATEGORIES

BEST MOTION PICTURE / MEILLEUR FILM

Sponsor / Commanditaire : Comweb Group / William F. White International Inc.

REBELLE / WAR WITCH - Pierre Even, Marie-Claude Poulin

ACHIEVEMENT IN ART DIRECTION/PRODUCTION DESIGN / MEILLEURE DIRECTION ARTISTIQUE

EMMANUEL FRECHETTE, JOSÉE ARSENAULT - Rebelle / War Witch

ACHIEVEMENT IN CINEMATOGRAPHY / MEILLEURES IMAGES

Sponsor / Commanditaire : Christie Digital

NICOLAS BOLDUC - Rebelle / War Witch

ACHIEVEMENT IN COSTUME DESIGN / MEILLEURS COSTUMES

XAVIER DOLAN, FRANÇOIS BARBEAU - Laurence Anyways

ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTION / MEILLEURE RÉALISATION

Sponsor / Commanditaire : Pinewood Toronto Studios

KIM NGUYEN - Rebelle / War Witch

ACHIEVEMENT IN EDITING / MEILLEUR MONTAGE

RICHARD COMEAU - [Rebelle / War Witch](#)

ACHIEVEMENT IN MAKE-UP / MEILLEURS MAQUILLAGES

Sponsor / Commanditaire : Lancôme

COLLEEN QUINTON, MICHELLE CÔTÉ, KATHY KELSO, MARTIN LAPOINTE - [Laurence Anyways](#)

ACHIEVEMENT IN MUSIC - ORIGINAL SCORE / MEILLEURE MUSIQUE ORIGINALE

HOWARD SHORE - [Cosmopolis](#)

ACHIEVEMENT IN MUSIC - ORIGINAL SONG / MEILLEURE CHANSON ORIGINALE

Sponsor / Commanditaire : Slight Music

EMILY HAINES, JAMES SHAW, HOWARD SHORE - [Cosmopolis](#) - *Long to Live*

PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTOR IN A LEADING ROLE / INTERPRÉTATION MASCULINE DANS UN PREMIER RÔLE

JAMES CROMWELL - [Still Mine](#)

PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTOR IN A SUPPORTING ROLE / INTERPRÉTATION MASCULINE DANS UN RÔLE DE SOUTIEN

Sponsor / Commanditaire: Tribute Entertainment

SERGE KANYINDA - [Rebelle / War Witch](#)

PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTRESS IN A LEADING ROLE / INTERPRÉTATION FÉMININE DANS UN PREMIER RÔLE

RACHEL MWANZA - [Rebelle / War Witch](#)

PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTRESS IN A SUPPORTING ROLE / INTERPRÉTATION FÉMININE DANS UN RÔLE DE SOUTIEN

SEEMA BISWAS - [Midnight's Children](#)

ACHIEVEMENT IN OVERALL SOUND / MEILLEUR SON D'ENSEMBLE

Sponsor / Commanditaire : Deluxe Toronto Ltd.

CLAUDE LA HAYE, DANIEL BISSON, BERNARD GARIÉPY STROBL - [Rebelle / War Witch](#)

ACHIEVEMENT IN SOUND EDITING / MEILLEUR MONTAGE SONORE

MARTIN PINSONNAULT, JEAN-FRANCOIS B. SAUVÉ, SIMON MEILLEUR, CLAIRE POCHON - [Rebelle / War Witch](#)

ORIGINAL SCREENPLAY / MEILLEUR SCÉNARIO

Sponsor / Commanditaire : Astral's Harold Greenberg Fund

KIM NGUYEN - [Rebelle / War Witch](#)

ADAPTED SCREENPLAY / MEILLEURE ADAPTATION

Sponsor / Commanditaire: Starlight TV

SALMAN RUSHDIE - [Midnight's Children](#)

ACHIEVEMENT IN VISUAL EFFECTS / MEILLEURS EFFETS VISUELS

DENNIS BERARDI, JASON EDWARDH, MATT GLOVER, TREY HARRELL, LEANN HARVEY, JO HUGHES, ETHAN LEE, SCOTT RIOPELLE, ERIC ROBINSON, KYLE YONEDA - [Resident Evil: Retribution](#)

TED ROGERS BEST FEATURE LENGTH DOCUMENTARY / PRIX TED ROGERS POUR LE MEILLEUR LONG MÉTRAGE DOCUMENTAIRE

[STORIES WE TELL](#) - Anita Lee, Sarah Polley

BEST SHORT DOCUMENTARY / MEILLEUR COURT MÉTRAGE DOCUMENTAIRE

Sponsor / Commanditaire : Hot Docs

THE BOXING GIRLS OF KABUL - Annette Clarke, Ariel Nasr

BEST LIVE ACTION SHORT DRAMA / MEILLEUR COURT MÉTRAGE DRAMATIQUE

THROAT SONG - Miranda de Pencier, Stacey Aglok MacDonald

BEST ANIMATED SHORT / MEILLEUR COURT MÉTRAGE D'ANIMATION

PAULA - Julie Roy, Dominic Étienne Simard