

WINNERS FOR 2016 AUSTRALIAN COMMERCIAL RADIO AWARDS (ACRAs)

Please note: Category Finalists are denoted with the following letters:

Country>Provincial>Non-Metropolitan>Metropolitan



BEST ON-AIR TEAM – METRO FM

Kate, Tim & Marty; Kate Ritchie, Tim Blackwell & Marty Sheargold, Nova Network, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST ON-AIR TEAM – METRO AM

Nights with Steve Price; Steve Price & Andrew Bolt, 2GB, Sydney NSW, Macquarie Media Limited **M**

BEST ON-AIR TEAM COUNTRY & PROVINCIAL

Chris & Juelz; Chris Sewell & Juelz Jarry, Star FM, Dubbo NSW, Southern Cross Austereo **C**

Mike E & Emma; Michael Etheridge & Emma Chow, The Edge, Western Sydney, NSW Australian Radio Network **P**

BEST ENTERTAINMENT/MUSIC PRESENTER

Andy Young; Eagle FM, Goulburn NSW, Capital Radio Network **C**

Dave Rabbetts; Star 104.5, Gosford NSW, NOVA Entertainment **P**

Kent 'Smallzy' Small; Nova Network, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST TALK PRESENTER

Kate Vincent-O'Bree; 2BS Gold, Bathurst NSW, Bathurst Broadcasters **C**

Brian Carlton; LAFM, Launceston TAS, Grant Broadcasters **P**

Ben Fordham; 2GB, Sydney NSW, Macquarie Media Limited **M**

BEST CURRENT AFFAIRS PRESENTER

Stephen Cenatiempo; 2NM, Muswellbrook NSW, Grant Broadcasters **NM**

Neil Mitchell; 3AW, Melbourne VIC, Macquarie Media Limited **M**

BEST SPORTS PRESENTER

Nathan Dell; Zinc 96, Gympie QLD, Grant Broadcasters **C**

Tom King; K Rock, Geelong VIC, Grant Broadcasters **P**

Tim Lane; 3AW, Melbourne VIC, Macquarie Media Limited **M**

BEST NETWORKED PROGRAM

The Morning Rush; Jon Vertigan, Maria Foundas & Richard Kew, ACE Radio Broadcasters **C**

Tasmania Talks; Brian Carlton, Grant Broadcasters **P**

The Hamish & Andy Show; Hamish Blake & Andy Lee, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

BEST SYNDICATED AUSTRALIAN PROGRAM

My Generation; Authentic Entertainment

BEST MARKETING CAMPAIGN

hit104.7 Launch; Zak Davies, hit104.7, Canberra ACT, ARN/SCA **NM**

Hamish & Andy Return; Nikki Clarkson & Adam Bower, Hit Network, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

ENGINEERING EXCELLENCE

Embedded Devices in a Broadcasting Environment; Daniel Jackson & Ryland Sandison, Southern Cross Austereo

BRIAN WHITE MEMORIAL

Lisa Barnes; 6PR, Perth WA, Macquarie Media Limited

BEST NEWCOMER ON-AIR

Peter Samios; Star FM, Dubbo NSW, Southern Cross Austereo **C**

Amanda Angiolino; Star FM, Warragul VIC, Southern Cross Austereo **P**

Sam Pang; Nova 100, Melbourne VIC, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST SPORTS EVENT COVERAGE

Geelong v Hawthorn - Welcome to the Danger Zone; The K Rock Football Commentary Team, K Rock, Geelong VIC, Grant Broadcasters **NM**

2015 AFL Grand Final; Triple M Footy, Triple M, Melbourne VIC, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

BEST NEWS PRESENTER COUNTRY & PROVINCIAL

Lois Chislet; 3YB, Warrnambool VIC, ACE Radio Broadcasters **C**

Rod McLeod; Gold FM, Gold Coast QLD, Southern Cross Austereo **P**

BEST NEWS PRESENTER - METRO FM

Ange Anderson; Nova 106.9, Brisbane QLD, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST NEWS PRESENTER - METRO AM

Anne Stone; FIVEaa, Adelaide SA, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST DIGITAL RADIO FORMAT

Kinderling Kids Radio; Evan Kaldor, Patrick Joyce, Lorna Clarkson, Tim Ritchie, Kylie Little, Shevonne Hunt, Sally Knight, Jason Treuen, Max Gosford, Melanie Valkenburg, Southern Cross Austereo

BEST STATION PRODUCED COMEDY SEGMENT

Tantrum Song; Jon Vertigan, Maria Foundas & Richard Kew, 3YB, Warrnambool VIC, ACE Radio Broadcasters **C**

Adele Phone Call; Adam Barratt, Sea FM, Maroochydore QLD, EON Broadcasting **P**

Avocado; Chrissie Swan, Sam Pang & Jonathan Brown, Nova 100, Melbourne VIC, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST SHOW PRODUCER – ENTERTAINMENT/MUSIC

Nicole Levey; Tanya & Steve for Breakfast, KOFM, Newcastle NSW, Southern Cross Austereo **NM**

Nic McClure; The Kyle & Jackie O Show, KIIS 1065, Sydney NSW, Australian Radio Network **M**

BEST SHOW PRODUCER – TALK/CURRENT AFFAIRS

Melissa Mobbs; Tasmania Talks, LAFM, Launceston TAS, Grant Broadcasters **NM**

Harriet Glenn; The Ben Fordham Show, 2GB, Sydney NSW, Macquarie Media Limited **M**

BEST MUSIC DIRECTOR

Gemma Maddox; Max FM, Taree NSW, Super Radio Network **C**

Dan Hill; Sea FM, Gold Coast QLD, Southern Cross Austereo **P**

Georgina Ingham-Myers; Nova 106.9, Brisbane QLD, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST PROMOTIONS DIRECTOR

Justin Williams; 102.9 Hot Tomato, Gold Coast QLD, Hot Tomato **NM**

Natali Brabant; KIIS 101.1, Sydney NSW, Australian Radio Network **M**

BEST PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Michael Moffett; 2CS FM & Star FM, Coffs Harbour NSW, Southern Cross Austereo **C**

Leigh Kuhlmann; K Rock, Geelong VIC, Grant Broadcasters **P**

Peter Clay; smoothfm, Sydney NSW, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST DOCUMENTARY

What Is It Like?; Kristen Henry, Mix 106.3, Canberra ACT, ARN/SCA **NM**

Modern Warrior; Merrick Watts, Triple M Network, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN PRODUCTION

Troy McInnes & Brendan Egan; Zinc 96, Gympie QLD, Grant Broadcasters **C**

Matt Innes; Sea FM, Gold Coast QLD, Southern Cross Austereo **P**

Darcy Milne; Nova 96.9, Sydney NSW, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST MUSIC SPECIAL

David Bowie Tribute Special; George Mihalos, 2XL, Jindabyne NSW, Capital Radio Network **C**

Back To The Future Day; Drew Chapman & Mark Hales, River 94.9, Ipswich QLD, Grant Broadcasters **P**

Top 500 Smooth Favourites Countdown; David Campbell, Peter Clay, Anna Crotti, Glenn Daniel, Simon Diaz, Melissa Doyle, Travis Evans, Ty Frost, Jennifer Hansen, Kate Mason, Georgie Page, Mike Perso, Lauren Saylor, Bogart Torelli, Byron Webb & Richard Wilkins, smoothfm, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST STATION SALES ACHIEVEMENT

KOFM Sales Team; KOFM, Newcastle NSW, Southern Cross Austereo **NM**

ARN Adelaide Agency Sales; ARN Adelaide, Adelaide SA, Australian Radio Network **M**

BEST AGENCY SALESPERSON

Natalia Papas; Nova 96.9, Sydney NSW, NOVA Entertainment

BEST DIRECT SALESPERSON

Kristy Cooper; 2DU, Dubbo NSW, Super Radio Network **C**

Casey Gould; KOFM & NXFM, Newcastle NSW, Southern Cross Austereo **P**

Brendan Blatt; Fox FM & Triple M, Melbourne VIC, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

BEST STATION PRODUCED COMMERCIAL – SINGLE

Everything Goes With Eggs; Chris Mueller & Dalwinder Nijjar, 5RM, Riverland SA, Grant Broadcasters **C**

Dad's Taxi; Ryan Musgrave & Chris Crickmay, Gold FM, Gold Coast QLD, Southern Cross Austereo **P**

Great Scott; Jonathan Williams & Chris Gates, Triple M, Melbourne VIC, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

BEST STATION PRODUCED COMMERCIAL – CAMPAIGN

Spot-Go; Cameron Horn & Anna Cook, Sea FM, Gosford NSW, Southern Cross Austereo **NM**
We Don't Do Husbands; Matt Dickson, Mix 94.5, Perth WA, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

BEST SALES PROMOTION

The Running Of The Brides; Power FM, Muswellbrook NSW, Grant Broadcasters **C**
Carl's Junior Store Opening; Alana Hall, Cameron Horn & Renee Franckiewicz, Sea FM, Gosford NSW, Southern Cross Austereo **P**
MLA - Operation Boomerang; Andy Milne, Jessica Roach, Eve Crawshaw, Ashley Minchin, Carlie Millican, Shaun Heron, NOVA Entertainment **M**

BEST MULTIMEDIA EXECUTION – SALES

Kyle & Jackie O's Haunted House; KIIS 1065 Campaigns & Content Team, KIIS 1065, Sydney NSW, Australian Radio Network

BEST MULTIMEDIA EXECUTION – STATION

Rescue With Heart; Heart 107.3, Hobart TAS, Southern Cross Austereo **NM**
The Ed Sheeran \$2 Peep Show Experiment; Hamish Blake & Andy Lee, Hit Network, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

BEST STATION PROMOTION

The Zinc Alice Cooper Golf Day; Cassy Small, Zinc 96, Maroochydore QLD, Grant Broadcasters **C**
Bay 93.9 Sitar Hero; Bay 93.9, Geelong VIC, Grant Broadcasters **P**
The Race That Slows Down The Nation; The Hamish & Andy Show, Hit Network, Southern Cross Austereo **M**

BEST COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

Wimmera Health Care Group Telethon; Emma Elsom & Mark Sulic, 3WM, Horsham VIC, ACE Radio Broadcasters **C**
i98FM's Camp Quality Convoy; i98 Convoy Team, i98FM, Wollongong NSW, WIN **P**
Radiothon 2015; 2UE, Sydney NSW, Macquarie Media Limited **M**

BEST NEWCOMER OFF-AIR

Alexis LeMasson; 2BS Gold & B-Rock FM, Bathurst NSW, Bathurst Broadcasters **C**
Nikolina Koevska; The Edge, Katoomba NSW, Australian Radio Network **P**
Jack Charles; Nova 100, Melbourne VIC, NOVA Entertainment **M**