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## ROMA, A STAR IS BORN, Set for Top Honors at 23<sup>rd</sup> Satellite Awards

**Los Angeles, CA, Jan. 3, 2019:** The International Press Academy (IPA) today announced the winners for the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Satellite Awards to be held on Feb. 22, 2019.

Alfonso Cuarón's "Roma" from Netflix leads with four major wins. Set in 1971, the black-and-white look back at Cuarón's childhood has won Best Director, Best International Film (Mexico), Best Original Screenplay, and Best Film Editing. Bradley Cooper's directorial debut "A Star Is Born," headlined by Lady Gaga, picked up three major wins in the category of Best Picture, Musical or Comedy, as well as Cinematography, and Best Song for "The Shallow."

"In 2018 we had a surge of talented filmmakers, which makes it difficult to narrow the field," said IPA President Mirjana Van Blaricom. "Some of these films will become part of moviemaking history."

Major acting wins include Glenn Close for "The Wife" from Warner Bros as Best Actress in Motion Picture, Drama; and Olivia Colman for "The Favourite" from FOX Searchlight as Best Actress for Motion Picture, Comedy or Musical. Willem Dafoe's near picture-perfect casting in Julian Schnabel's "At Eternity's Gate" about the life of Vincent Van Gogh has been recognized with Best Actor in a Motion Picture, Drama; and Rami Malek, who soared as Freddie Mercury in Queen epic "Bohemian Rhapsody," won Best Actor in a Motion Picture, Comedy or Musical. Regina King ("If Beale Street Could Talk") and Richard Grant ("Can You Ever Forgive Me?") both won for supporting roles. Additionally, "Can You Ever Forgive Me?" topped the Best Adapted Screenplay category.

Annapurna Pictures' "If Beale Street Could Talk" won Best Motion Picture, Drama, and Spike Lee's "BlacKkKlansman" from Focus Features is Best Motion Picture, Independent.

Notable television award winners are Amy Adams for "Sharp Objects," Darren Criss for "The Assassination of Gianni Versace," Julia Roberts for "Homecoming," and Brendan Gleeson for "Mr. Mercedes" from showrunner David E. Kelley based on the novel by Stephen King. Winners in supporting roles are Sharon Stone in "Mosaic," and Hugo Weaving in "Patrick Melrose." Issa Rae in "Insecure" (HBO) and Bill Hader in "Barry" (HBO) both won in the category Series, Comedy or Musical.

A full list of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Satellite Award winners follows, with Special Achievement Award recipients for 2018. Film awards span 23 categories, and Television is recognized in 13 categories. The Satellite presentation is scheduled for Friday, Feb. 22, 2019 in Los Angeles. See <a href="https://www.pressacademy.com">www.pressacademy.com</a> for details.

#### **MOTION PICTURES**

Actress in a Motion Picture, *Drama* (Major, Independent or International)

Glenn Close

The Wife

23rd Annual Satellite Award Winners 2019

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Actor in a Motion Picture, Drama (Major, Independent or International)
Willem Dafoe

At Eternity's Gate

Actress in Motion Picture, Comedy or Musical (Major, Independent or International)
Olivia Colman

The Favourite

Actor in Motion Picture, Comedy or Musical (Major, Independent or International)

Rami Malek

Bohemian Rhapsody

Actress in a Supporting Role (Major, Independent, Comedy & Musical or International)
Regina King

If Beale Street Could Talk

Actor in a Supporting Role (Major, Independent, Comedy & Musical or International Richard Grant

Can You Ever Forgive Me?

Motion Picture, *Drama* (Major)
If Beale Street Could Talk

Annapurna Pictures

Motion Picture, *Independent*BlacKkKlansman

Focus Features

Motion Picture, Comedy or Musical (Major, Independent or International)

A Star is Born

Warner Bros.

Motion Picture, International Film

Roma

Mexico

# Motion Picture, *Animated or Mixed Media* Isle of Dogs

Fox Searchlight Pictures

Motion Picture, *Documentary* Minding the Gap

Hulu

**Director** 

Alfonso Cuarón

Roma

Screenplay, Original

Alfonso Cuarón

Roma

Screenplay, Adapted

Nicole Holofcener, Jeff Whitty

Can You Ever Forgive Me?

**Original Score** 

**Justin Hurwitz** 

First Man

**Original Song** 

"The Shallow"

A Star is Born

Cinematography

**Matthew Libatique** 

A Star is Born

**Visual Effects** 

**Black Panther** 

Walt Disney

#### Film Editing

Alfonso Cuarón

Roma

#### Sound (Editing and Mixing)

**A Quiet Place** 

Paramount

Art Direction and Production Design Mary Poppins Returns

Walt Disney

**Costume Design** 

**Sandy Powell** 

The Favourite

## **TELEVISION**

**Miniseries & Limited Series** 

The Assassination of Gianni Versace

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**Motion Picture Made for Television** 

The Tale

**HBO** 

Actress in a Miniseries & Limited Series or a Motion Picture Made for Television

**Amy Adams** 

Sharp Objects, HBO

Actor in a Miniseries & Limited Series or a Motion Picture Made for Television

**Darren Criss** 

The Assassination of Gianni Versace, FX

Actress in a Supporting Role in a Series, Miniseries & Limited Series or Motion Picture made for Television
Sharon Stone

Mosaic, HBO

Actor in a Supporting Role in a Series, Miniseries & Limited Series or Motion Picture made for Television Hugo Weaving

Patrick Melrose, Showtime Succession

Television Series, *Drama* Homecoming

Prime Video

Television Series, Genre

**The Terror** 

**AMC** 

Actress in a Series, *Drama or Genre*Julia Roberts

Homecoming, Prime Video

Actor in a Series, *Drama or Genre* Brendan Gleeson

Mr. Mercedes, AT&T

Television Series, Comedy or Musical

Lodge 49

AMC

Actress in a Series, Comedy or Musical

Issa Rae

Insecure, HBO

Actor in a Series, Comedy or Musical

**Bill Hader** 

Barry, HBO

#### **SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENTS**

Auteur Award Ryan Coogler

Best First Feature Rupert Everett, Happy Prince

**Ensemble: Motion Picture**The Favourite

Ensemble: Television The Assassination of Gianni Versace:

**American Crime Story** 

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\*The Mary Pickford Award and the Tesla Award will be announced in February.

#### **About the International Press Academy**

The International Press Academy (IPA) is a global association of professional entertainment journalists and film critics representing print, broadcast and digital media outlets, that also includes Fedora, the Federation of European and Mediterranean Film Critics. Our winners and nominees are chosen from domestic and international film festivals, press screenings, and guild screenings.

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