

NATAS SUNCOAST CHAPTER PRESENTS THE 46TH ANNUAL

# SUNCOAST EMMY<sup>®</sup> AWARDS



HYATT REGENCY ORLANDO 2022

## Important Information

The Suncoast Regional EMMY® Award entries are judged against a standard of excellence and not against each other. ***One award, more than one award, or no award is given only to the eligible recipient(s) listed on each entry. There may be occasions in which there are nominees and no recipients.*** For tonight's show, Categories are combined for presentation purposes. If a subcategory is not listed, it means there were no recipients in that category.

Others who may have contributed to the content and execution of the material presented in the entry may purchase plaques to commemorate their participation.

It is important to note that the Suncoast Chapter conducts separate and distinct Regional EMMY Awards programs in English and Spanish. This evening we will be recognizing the recipients for both programs.

## Categories without Nominations

There are questions related to categories which did not receive nominations in this year's Suncoast Regional Emmy® Awards. In order to foster clear communication and transparency among all members, we want to further explain that process.

This is neither a precedent-setting nor a unique circumstance. Categories with zero nominees occur annually, and over a wide variety of disciplines. For announcement purposes, categories with subcategories are merged. If a subcategory is not listed, it means there was either no entry in that category or no nominations.

Our Call for Entry states, "Entries are judged against a standard of excellence on their own merit and do not compete against each other. There may be one award, more than one award or no award given only to the eligible recipient(s) listed on each entry." All entries in all categories are judged by at least 7 peers in a NATAS region outside of the Suncoast chapter. Peers are defined as people who have three or more years' experience working in the category they are judging. Judges acknowledge their experience via affidavits submitted to NATAS. Entries in English are judged by English-speaking judges and entries in Spanish are judged by Spanish-speaking judges.

In order to receive a nomination, an entry must reach a threshold percentage of high scores. Entries with scores below that threshold do not receive a nomination.

In order to receive an Emmy award, entries must reach an even higher threshold.

Each year, we research the categories without nominations. We determined that all of the judges were peers and their credentials are in order. We also verified that different chapters judged different categories, meaning they weren't all judged by the same chapter which might imply a bias toward, or dislike of, the Suncoast region.

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Board of Governors, Committee members, and staff for your  
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## *President's Welcome*

Good evening and welcome to the 46th Annual Suncoast Regional Emmy® Awards.

It's an honor to be with all of you as we recognize some of the top professionals in our Suncoast region.

Tonight, we award excellence and, while technology allowed us to never miss a beat the last two years, I am thrilled to be back together celebrating your remarkable achievements in person.

Over the past couple of years, as our industry rapidly evolves, our chapter has focused more than ever on supporting and preparing the next generation of professionals in our industry through our scholarships, student production educational webinar sessions and more. And we could not have done it without many of you generously lending your time and expertise.

We are equally grateful to those who participated in judging entries this year as it is a vital part of the Emmy Awards process.

Thank you all for your continued contributions to our chapter's success!

On behalf of the Suncoast Chapter Board of Governors, I wish to congratulate all of this year's nominees and recipients.

We hope you enjoy this year's presentation and look forward to seeing you in 2023!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara Alfonso". The signature is fluid and cursive, written on a light-colored background.

President and Trustee

# The 46th Annual Suncoast Regional Emmy® Awards

## 2022 Nominees

### 6 MORNING NEWSCAST

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*Morning Newscast - Larger Markets*

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#### **Noticias Univision Orlando 6AM**

Gianncarlo Cifuentes, Sofia Ramirez Jaca

**WVEN-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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#### **Surfside: Un Año Después**

Ana Mercedes Perez, Nina Nahmias, Yolaxys Alvarez,  
Carlos Cobas, Felix Ramirez, Henry Blanco

**WLTV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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#### **Eyewitness News This Morning 6 a.m. March 3, 2022**

Laurel Biddy, David Ater,  
Nathan Bishop, Alexa Lorenzo

**WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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### 7 DAYTIME NEWSCAST

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*Daytime Newscast - Larger Markets*

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#### **Las Noticias Ahora: Grito de Indignacion**

Darleen Torres-Marrero, Jenny Suarez, Celimar Adames Casalduc

**WLII-TV, San Juan, PR**

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#### **Noticias Univision Orlando 12PM**

Gustavo Gomez, Ambar Rincon

**WVEN-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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*Daytime Newscast - Medium Markets*

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#### **Arabi Tornado Aftermath**

Carrie Champagne, Travers Mackel

**WDSU-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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### 8 EVENING NEWSCAST

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*Evening Newscast - Larger Markets*

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#### **WESH 2 News at 6pm**

Khadijah Forrest, Stewart Moore,  
Holly Frick Price, Luana Munoz

**WESH-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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#### **Las Noticias Prime**

Yaliset Rivera Rentas, Jenny Suarez,  
Celimar Adames Casalduc, Deborah Martorell

**WLII-TV, San Juan, PR**

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#### **11PM Texas School Shooting**

Cristian Benavides, Shayli Argota, Javier Sande, Jackie Nespral, Jawan Strader,  
Niamath Mohamed, Alvaro Perez, Merrill Sampson

**WTVJ-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

## Univision Tampa Bay

Gianncarlo Cifuentes, David Perez Hansen

WVEA-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

*Evening Newscast - Medium Markets*

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### Action News Jax at 11:00

Eric Wiener

WJAX-TV, Jacksonville, FL

### First Coast News at 11: Ahmaud Arbery Verdict

Marcel Longo, Taylor Salman

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

### The Killing of Ahmaud Arbery: Murder Trial Verdict

Shannon Feher, Tiffany Butler

WJAX-TV, Jacksonville, FL

*Evening Newscast - Smaller Markets*

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### 9NEWS at 6

Greg Meriwether, Jasmine Ray, Elizabeth Vowell,  
Jay Grymes, Steve Schneider

WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA

### Seacor Power Anniversary 1 Year Later: What has Changed?

Michael Sipes

KLFY-TV, Lafayette, LA

## 74 LIVE NEWS PRODUCER

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### Darling Hill: News Producer

Darling Hill

WJAX-TV, Jacksonville, FL

## 10 DAILY NEWS REPORT (Single Shift)

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### Ancianos de Hialeah sin Hogar

Jany Gonzalez, Alexis Sanchez

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## 11 HARD NEWS REPORT

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*Hard News Report (no production time limit)*

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### Manhunters

Jodi Mohrmann, Vic Micolucci

WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL

### Lakeland's Fast & Furious

J. Mark Wilson, James McKay

WTVT-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

### Wanda Vazquez no Niega ni Confirma que el FBI Haya Incautado su Celular

Melissa Correa-Velazquez

WLII-TV, San Juan, PR

### 911: Facing Ida's Fury

Amanda Roberts, Kia Callia

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

# 80 WRITER

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*Writer - News*

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## **Do What is Write - A Collection of Stories that Inspire**

Paul Giorgio

WKMG-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## **Testigos del Éxodo**

Yuniesky Ramirez

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **Bill Wood says, Write this Way, Please**

Bill Wood

WGNO-TV, New Orleans, LA

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*Writer - Sports*

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## **History Awaits**

Michael O'Halloran

Tampa Bay Lightning, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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*Writer - Short Form Content*

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## **Bully**

Laura Chimaras, Gustavo Mosquera

LUMA Creative Management, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **Por Ella**

Jorge Antonio Gonzalez, Mauro Boccia Gayá

Black Hole | Trinitus Productions | Boccia Productions, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **Mas Alla de mis Pasos**

Jorge Antonio Gonzalez, Franklin Mejias Castellanos

Black Hole Enterprises | 360 Media | Trinitus Production, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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*Writer - Long Form Content*

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## **Climate Change: Our New Normal**

Cait McVey

Spectrum Bay News 9, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## **No Man's Land: Becoming Louisiana**

Flo Ulmer

The Bill Rodman Production Shoppe, Baton Rouge, LA

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*Writer - Spot Announcement*

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## **Florida Forests**

Gary Yordon

The Zachary Group, Tallahassee, FL

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# 9 NEWS SPECIAL

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## **Yo soy Artemis: Regresamos a la Luna**

Erika Martinez Lee, Ada Monzón, Orlando Rodríguez, Axel Ortiz,

Eriberto Mercado, Ivanet Mariani

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR



## Haiti's First Lady: The Exclusive Interview

Calvin Hughes, Natalie Morera De Varona

WPLG-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## Resumen 2021

Erika Martinez Lee, Jorge Gelpi Pagán, Ruddy Matta, José Frank Ogando Hoffman, Axel Ortiz, Ivanet Mariani, Migyael Sepúlveda Cruz, Francisco Garcia, Orlando Rodriguez, Rafael Lenin Lopez

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

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## Vivir en Miami ¿Sueño o Pesadilla?

Liliana Colantuoni, Karen Hernandez, Michael Sarmiento, Genaro Alfonso, Alexis Sanchez, Menfis Marmolejos, Daisy Ballmajo, Fausto Malave, Alexis Boente Arias, Harold Santana, Gloria Ordaz, Arly Alfaro, Javier Uriza, Miguel Santiesteban

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## Dentro de la Resaca: Bandera Roja

Suheily Lopez Belen, José Frank Ogando Hoffman, Carlos Omar Rivera Ortiz, Enrique "Kike" Jiménez

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

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## Viviendo con los Huracanes

Pedro Martínez Vélez, Suheily Lopez Belen, José Frank Ogando Hoffman, Adnam Julian Escalera Garcia, Ada Monzon, Orlando Rodríguez, Carlos Moctezuma, Laura Diaz

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

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## WESH 2 Chronicle: Getting There

Marcie Golgoski, Greg Fox, Jim Payne, Michelle Imperato, Christina Watkins, Scott Heidler, Dominique Robinson, Jacob Wiklund

WESH-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## WPBF 25 News First Warning Weather Special: Surviving the Storm

Joel Waldmann, Desiree Malky, Felicia Rodriguez, Tiffany Kenney, Cris Martinez, Sandra Shaw, Vanessa Vinent, Mike Lyons, Glenn Glazer, Brooke Silverang

WPBF-TV, West Palm Beach, FL

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## Surviving Surfside: Year One

Jim Defede, Rafael Murciano, Joaquin Garcia, Adam Spunt

WFOR-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## Missing in Florida

John Pacenti, Wendy Ryan, Michelle Quesada, Stassy Olmos, Tory Dunnan, Jada Williams

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL

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# 16 NEWS FEATURE

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*News Feature - Light Feature (Single Report)*

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## Ocala Speed

Lewis Turner, Joe Massa

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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## A Barber's Bond

Alex Hagan

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL



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**Finding His Voice**

Matthew Apthorp, Katie LaGrone

**WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL****Teen Chess Champion**

T.J. Pipitone

**WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA***News Feature - Light Feature (Multiple Reports)***Story2Share**

Sean Martinelli, Alison Hickey

**WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL***News Feature - Serious Feature (Single Report)***Trafficked in Jacksonville**

Anthony Austin, Gene Cotton

**WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL****Take a Deep Breath . . . You're Going to Need It**

Rick Portier, Elizabeth Vowell

**WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA****Losing Ground: One Man's Fight for Control**

Jay Cashmere, Paris Vazquez

**WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL****Inmate to Inspiration**

Jennifer Stacy

**WZVN-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL****Crime Choppers**

Vic Micolucci, Chris O'Rourke, Jodi Mohrmann

**WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL****High Anxiety**

Jodi Mohrmann, Joy Purdy

**WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL****TrackHER**

Jodi Mohrmann, Lauren Verno

**WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL****Unlikely Reunion**

Steven A Wolfram, Natasha Robin

**WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA****A Farewell to Tibet**

Allison Shaw, Jamison Uhler

**WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL****A Brother's Love**

Tory Dunnan, Paris Vazquez

**WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL****Protecting Florida's Coast: Through the Eyes of Border Protection**

Marisela Burgos, Andrew Reid

**WSVN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL***News Feature - Serious Feature (Multiple Reports)***Parkland Progress**

Wally Lurz, Jay Cashmere, Michael E. Williams, Alex Hagan

**WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL**

## Victims of Florida Guardianship

Wally Lurz, Danielle DaRos, Olivia Svetich

WPEC-TV, West Palm Beach, FL

## Taejohn's Recovery

Olivia Iverson, Jeremy Partridge, Tristan Turner

WEAR-TV, Pensacola, FL-Mobile, AL

## Rostros de la Pandemia

Grenda Rivera, Tania Dumas, Janet Toro Fantauzzi, Jeremy Ortiz

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

## Surfside: Inside the Rubble

Karen Hensel, Daniel Cohen, Gabriel Guzman

WSVN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

# 17 ARTS/ENTERTAINMENT

*Arts/Entertainment - News (no production time limit)*

## Artist Showcase

Thomas Lloyd

Charlotte County Television, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

# 45 ARTS/ENTERTAINMENT

*Arts/Entertainment - Short Form Content*

## Greater Sarasota: The Heart of Community

Laura Landry, Ashley Stokes, James Borchuck

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## Greater Sarasota: In the Name of Love

Laura Landry, Ashley Stokes, James Borchuck

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## WEDU Arts Plus: Melvin Gomez

Dalia Colon, Ashley Stokes

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## WEDU Arts Plus: Siobhan Monique

Danny Bruno

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## The Perpetual Loop

Rodrigo Arauz, Ed Talavera, Dennis Scholl

WPBT-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## Are You Down?

Juan Matos, Ed Talavera, Ellie Konn,

Dennis Scholl, Konstantia Kontaxis

WPBT-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## WEDU Arts Plus: United We Skate

Ashley Stokes

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## A Letter to My Daughter by Poet Sophia Liautaud

Michael Anderson

WLRN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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SUNCOAST CHAPTER

## **Mandatory Judging Requirement**

The success of the Suncoast Emmy® Awards process depends on the willingness of qualified professionals to serve as judges. Peers in other NATAS Chapters are serving this Chapter's entrants. This Chapter will judge other Chapter's entries. By entering, you are required to serve as a judge when asked.

**Chuck Owen and the Jazz Surge: The Making of Within Us (25th Anniversary Album)**

Jared Brown, Jason Su,

John Cundy, Gary Granger

University of South Florida, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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**Breaking the Silence**

Humberto Casanova, Ariel Rubalcava, Barry Gordon, Philip Colodetti, Tony Leal,  
James Pierre, Amed Torrecilla, Alberto Bade, Angel Hernandez, Leonardo Colloca

MDC-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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**Irma Thomas - The Soul Queen of New Orleans**

Ron Yager, Jim Dotson, Steve Schulken, Ted Ochoa

WLAE-TV, New Orleans, LA

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**44 SPECIAL EVENT COVERAGE**

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*Special Event Coverage - Edited*

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**50 Years of Disney Magic**

Melissa Medalie, Rachel Linden, John Brown, Amy Kaufeldt, Joseph Dougherty,  
Stephen Cegielski, Caitlin Meade

WOFL-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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**10mo Encuentro de Tambores**

Carlos R Ruiz, Jeannice Mustafá,  
Marien Torres

Instituto De Cultura Puertorriqueña, San Juan, PR

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**22 EDUCATION/SCHOOLS**

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*Education/Schools - News (single shift)*

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**Profesiones sin Titulo**

Rayne Anciani

WLTV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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**50 EDUCATION/SCHOOLS**

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*Education/Schools - Short Form Content*

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**Substituting Education**

Emerald Morrow, Taylor Zegarra

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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*Education/Schools - Long Form Content*

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**Public Square: The Future of Education**

Danny Bruno, Dalia Colon,  
James Borchuck, Farah Vickery

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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**47 CHILDREN/YOUTH**

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*Children/Youth - Short Form Content*

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**El Mundo de Nicole**

Nelson Bustamante, Natalia Denegri

Dream It Foundation - 360 Media, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

**Ziggy's Arts Adventure**

Clay Achee, Donald D. Ray! Washington

Louisiana Public Broadcasting, Baton Rouge, LA

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**A Taste of Key West**

Andy Cope, Cesar Rivera, Paul Waide, Dan Taylor, Steve Weiss,

Lee Manor, Britney Wittik, Kevin Farro

Twice As Good Productions

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# 18 BUSINESS/CONSUMER

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*Business/Consumer - News (single shift)*

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**Hoping for a Good Mardi Gras**

Derek Waldrip

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

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*Business/Consumer - News (no production time limit)*

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**Con Techos y Descubiertos**

Marilyn Llanos, Irisbeth Rohena, Jesus Diaz

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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**The Risks of Online Virtual Gaming**

Matt Lincoln, Bransen Dillon

WPEC-TV, West Palm Beach, FL

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**Baalers ... A Hooters for Women**

Adam Walser

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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**Dude ... Where's My Title?**

Shannon Behnken, James Farquhar

WFLA-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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**Telemundo 31 Responde**

Carmen Iris Rodriguez, Valezka Gil-Wester,

Raúl Diaz

WTMO Telemundo Orlando, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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**Chase Bank Account Takeover**

Michael Holfeld, Robert Breuer

WKMG-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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**Gas Pump Thieves**

Michael Holfeld, Robert Breuer

WKMG-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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**Priced Out: Battling Rising Rent**

Erik Sandoval-Rinderle

WKMG-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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# 23 ENVIRONMENT/SCIENCE

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*Environment/Science - News (single shift)*

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**El Viaje del Coral**

Andrea Torres, Rubén Capote,

Esteban Serrano

WRMD Telemundo, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## **A Prescription for Saving Florida's Coral Reefs**

Glenn Glazer

WPBF-TV, West Palm Beach, FL

*Environment/Science - News (no production time limit)*

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## **Microplastics: A Hidden Threat**

Cait Mcvey, Amanda Salvucci

Spectrum Bay News 9, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## **Sinking Ships**

Jessica Clark, Nick Moron

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

## **Mar de Plastico**

Sandra Peebles, Amanda Mariscal, Randy Garcia

WLTW, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## **Vanished**

Leah Shields, Renata Di Gregorio

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

## **The Trouble with the Turtles**

Louis Aguirre, Anastasia Pavlinskaya

WPLG-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## **Citizen Science Project: The Oyster Connection**

Louis Aguirre, Anastasia Pavlinskaya

WPLG-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## **Oysters on the Brink**

Daniel Phillips, Justin Terro

KATC-TV, Lafayette, LA

## **Florida Invaders: The Burmese Python**

Michael Paluska, Reed Moeller

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## **Artificial Reefs: Bringing New Life to the Gulf of Mexico**

Daniel Guilliot, Brent Kearney, Jeremy Partridge

WEAR-TV, Pensacola, FL-Mobile, AL

## **Heartache and Hope: Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill Long-Term Impact**

Wendi Lane

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## **27 Años de Arena**

Deborah Martorell, Isabel Ortiz

WLII-TV, San Juan, PR

# **51 ENVIRONMENT/SCIENCE**

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*Environment/Science - Long Form Content*

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## **Changing Seas Humpback Health**

Alexa Elliott, Sean Hickey, Norman Silva

WPBT-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## **Changing Seas Kelp: Hidden Treasure of the Salish Sea**

Liz Smith, Sean Hickey, Norman Silva, Florian Graner

WPBT-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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# 33 WEATHER

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*Weather - News (single shift)*

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## **After Ida**

Richard Engelhardt, Roy Ramos,  
Betty Davis, Maurice Moran

**WPLG-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Survival on the Water**

Erika Ferrando, Michael Millon

**WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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*Weather - News (no production time limit)*

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## **Get Ready Now**

Bun Choum, Margaret Orr, Damon Singleton,  
Art Jarrett, Lee Southwick

**WDSU-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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# 63 WEATHER

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*Weather - Short Form Content*

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## **Hurricane Hacks**

Manda Mendoza, Lorraine Apperson,  
Andrew Caliendo

**WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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## **What's on Rob's Radar**

Rob Duns

**WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL**

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## **Southwest Florida January Tornado Outbreak**

Matt Devitt, Dylan Federico, Nash Rhodes

**WINK-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL**

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*Weather - Long Form Content*

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## **Huracán 2022**

Yoel Rivero, Ariel Rodriguez, Dainet Sierra, Karen Hernandez,  
Jenniffer Guerra, Luis Carrera, Marisela Martinez

**WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **2020: Year of The Storms**

Carl Pugliese, Mike McCormick

**WPEC-TV, West Palm Beach, FL**

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## **The Fifth Season**

Jared Silverman, Heather Rogers, Jay Grymes, Steve Caparotta,  
Allison Childers, Kirk Michelet, Robert Hollins

**WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA**

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## **Surviving the Storm: The Andrew Effect**

Nancy Ryan, Jim Hockett, Philip Hill, Jr.,  
Jeff Berardelli, Amanda Holly

**WFLA-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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## **Calm Before the Storm**

Thomas Terry, Matthew Richards, Cassandra Candelaria

**WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

# 34 WEATHERCAST

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## **Tornado Closeup**

Alan Sealls

WPMI-TV, Mobile, AL

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## **Forecasting Flooding for SW Florida**

Jim Dickey

WZVN-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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## **The Weather Story in 3D**

Elizabeth Robaina

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

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## **Into the Weather**

Justin Hobbs

WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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# 24 HEALTH/MEDICAL

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*Health/Medical - News (single shift)*

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## **Volviendo a lo Natural**

Silvana Altahona, Alexis Sanchez

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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*Health/Medical - News (no production time limit)*

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## **Too Good to be True COVID Tests**

Adam Walser, Matt McGlashen

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## **Finding A New Voice After COVID-19 Diagnosis**

Robert Bradfield, Nick Moron

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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## **Deadly Side Effects**

Jackie Callaway

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## **Scoping Out Cancer: My Personal Story**

Bruce Hamilton

WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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## **Fighting for Two - Cancer & Pregnancy**

Christian Bruey

WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## **Ley de Salud: En Estado Crítico**

Haimie Carrion, Walter Soto-León,  
Pedro Rodríguez Oyola, Christian Perez

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

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## **This is Not a Joke**

Michael Buczyner, Kaan Pala

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL

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## **Child Unsafe**

Mary Baer, Jodi Mohrmann

WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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## **Horse Healing: Sarah Makes Strides**

Kathryn Bursch

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL



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Adrian Mauceri, Lazareva Vega Zaldivar, Daniel Casal,  
Erick Archila, Adriana Navarro

WJAN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## The Pain of ALS

Sydney Persing

WINK-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

## Toxic Takeoff

Karen Hensel

WSVN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

# 52 HEALTH/MEDICAL

*Health/Medical - Short Form Content*

## Mayor's Story - Suicide Awareness

Ryan Himmel, Mayor Scott Brook,  
Josh Berlant, Lynne Martzall

City of Coral Springs, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## Surviving Cancer

David Sutta, Alexandra Lopez Nobrega,  
Ann Keil Dux, Jaziel Ojeda

CLUTCH, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

*Health/Medical - Long Form Content*

## Ansiedad

Natalia Denegri, Carolina Sandoval, Alessandra Correa, Carmen Victoria Pardo,  
Gabriel Bustamante, Manuel Gonzalez, Nelson Bustamante,  
Felix Morantes

Dream It Foundation - 360 Media, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## 9 Family Connection: Hope and Healing

April Starinsky, Vanessa Echols, David Ater

WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

## Amargo Destino

Milly Mendez, Ramon Montalvo Rivera

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

## ¿Quiénes nos Atienden?

Milly Mendez

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR



IT'S WHAT MAKES IT WORK

## Here's what our Suncoast members have to say ...

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... if you were nominated or were blessed to take home a Statuette, remember someone had to take the time to judge your entry. So it's only right that you do the same for the next person. Again, you are part of the process that keeps the cycle going.

Robert Hollins

Photojournalist | WAFB, Baton Rouge, LA



## **Daniel Joseph Toll**

### **2022 Bob Behrens \$10,000 Scholarship Award**

This year, the Suncoast Chapter awarded Daniel Joseph Toll with the \$10,000 Bob Behrens Scholarship, a special award given to a student who embodies enterprising journalism and innovation in the industry. The University of Miami student's grit, determination and desire to learn, even at the peak of the pandemic, have earned him the attention and mentorship of the executive producers he works with on campus.

"Part of the mission of our Suncoast Chapter is to provide resources and support for the next generation of professionals in our industry," said Barbara Alfonso, NATAS Suncoast Chapter President. "Our Chapter is so pleased to honor the legacy and carry on the mission of former Suncoast Chapter Executive Director, Bob Behrens, who was dedicated to fostering excellence in journalism through philanthropic efforts."

Notably, prior to his death, Bob Behrens was committed to assisting students. It was his vision for the Chapter to award scholarships to deserving students of communication and/or broadcasting in the Suncoast region each year. In continuing his legacy, the Suncoast Chapter offers scholarships to graduating high school seniors and to college and university students who reside within the Suncoast Region, which includes the State of Florida, the State of Louisiana, the Mobile-Pensacola Market area, and Puerto Rico. In order to be eligible, students must plan to attend or currently attend a four-year college or university in the Suncoast Region and must have a declared major in Communications/Broadcasting with a concentration in television.

# Congratulations!

2022 Suncoast Scholarships Totaling  
\$93,175 Awarded to Twenty-Seven  
Students in the Suncoast Region



The Suncoast Chapter Scholarship Committee interviewed Suncoast Regional students in Broadcasting and Television in April 2022. Twenty-seven students were awarded scholarships, including Daniel Joseph Toll—University of Miami, who was awarded the prestigious Bob Behrens Scholarship.

## 2022 Bob Behrens \$10,000 Scholarship Award

### Daniel Joseph Toll

University of Miami

**Poddy Dickson**  
**Ody Adieze**

Miami Dade College  
North Campus

**Derryl Barnes Jr.**  
University of Miami

**Laura Blanco**  
Barry University

**Morgan Champey**  
University of Miami

**Samuel Correa**  
Florida State University

**Benjamin Cure**  
Florida International  
University

**Wesley Ennis**  
Southeastern Louisiana  
University

**Aime Fernandez**  
Florida International  
University

**Alondra S.**  
**Galarza Rodríguez**  
University of Puerto Rico  
at Arecibo

**Alexis Chaille**  
**Genovese**

Southeastern Louisiana  
University

**Ximena Sofia Hidalgo**  
University of Miami

**O'Knegi Holness**  
Miami Dade College  
North Campus

**Sebastian Ibarra**  
University of Central Florida

**Gonzalo Londono**  
Florida State University

**Richard Mason**  
University of Florida

**Adriana Meléndez**  
**Maldonado**  
University of Puerto Rico  
at Arecibo

**Lola Montilla**  
Universidad del Sagrado  
Corazón

**Emanuel Naccarato**  
University of Miami

**Taylor Nettle**

Southeastern Louisiana  
University

**Ian Nicoll**

Southeastern Louisiana  
University

**Thomas Patrick Pozo**  
Louisiana State University

**Jankarlos**  
**Matias Reillo**

University of Puerto Rico  
at Arecibo

**Vincenzo A.**  
**Rutigliano Diaz**  
Miami Dade College  
North Campus

**Laura San Juan**  
University of Florida

**Shane Shakoor**  
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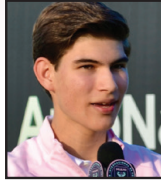
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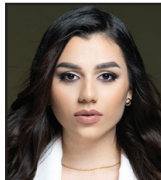
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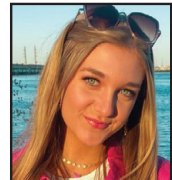
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# 55 INFORMATIONAL/INSTRUCTIONAL

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*Informational/Instructional - Short-Form Content*

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## **Mardi Gras for All Y'all 2022 - Planning Your Perfect Mardi Gras**

Andrew Nuño, Thom Pfiffner, Robert Young, Zana Georges

**Lightswitch Video**

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*Informational/Instructional - Long-Form Content*

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## **Safer, Smarter Kids: Second Grade - Safety Superheroes**

Lauren Book, Claire VanSusteren, Michele Watson, Ronald Book,  
Joshua McLawhorn, Blythe Adreon

**Lauren's Kids, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Safer, Smarter Kids: First Grade - Safety Explorers**

Lauren Book, Claire VanSusteren, Michele Watson, Ronald Book,  
Joshua McLawhorn, Blythe Adreon

**Lauren's Kids, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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# 27 LIFESTYLE

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*Lifestyle - News (single shift)*

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## **From Nothing, Something**

Derek Waldrip

**WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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*Lifestyle - News (no production time limit)*

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## **The Secret Swell**

Steven A Wolfram, Rob Krieger

**WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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# 57 LIFESTYLE

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*LifeStyle - Long Form Content*

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## **Great Day Dining**

Javante Ingram, Rob Born

**WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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## **EI News Cafe**

Aliani Sanchez, Alexandra Gil, David Barski, Monica Rabassa,  
Alberto Sardinas, Yordamis Megret, Carlos Cobas

**WLTV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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# 42 MAGAZINE PROGRAM

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## **Check, Please! South Florida # 1905**

Nathalia Lemos, Joyce Belloise, Michelle Bernstein

**WPBT-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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# 29 NOSTALGIA

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*Nostalgia - News (single shift)*

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## **Females in Flight: Special Honor for 92-Year-Old Graphic Designer**

Sarah Rosario

**WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

*Nostalgia - News (no production time limit)*

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**September 11th A View from The Classroom 20 Years Later**

Kimberly Kuizon

WTVT-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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**El Fuego del Dupont**

Valeria Collazo Cañazares, Adriana De Jesús,

Iván O. López, Aracelymar Soto

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

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**1402 Pork n' Bean Blue**

Juan Matos, Amanda Bradley,

Javier Labrador, Dennis Scholl

WPBT-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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**EWE: A Look Back**

Greg Meriwether

WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA

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**Full House - Meteorologist Shelby Latino's Triplet Pregnancy Reshapes Her Future**

Rob Krieger

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

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**59 NOSTALGIA**

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*Nostalgia - Long Form Content*

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**The Grand Lady**

Michael Anderson,

Fabian Cardenas, Mia Laurenzo

Pass Story of Diaspora Forward, Inc., Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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**Miami, Ayer y Hoy. Especial Navidad**

Adriana Mocchiola, Marilys Llanos, Zahira Collazo,

Jose Guzman, Patricio Munoz

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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**The Heart of Route 66-A Driven Special**

Tom Gregory, Carolina Loreto, Eric Carle,

Ron Yager, Jim Dotson

YurView / LAE Productions, New Orleans, LA

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**The Life of Bill Baggs**

Patrick Longstreth,

Anne Longstreth, Theodora Long

WLRN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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**43 PUBLIC AFFAIRS**

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*Public Affairs Program (Single Program)*

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**Animal Care & Control: Road Patrol Ride Along**

Tarmo Lievonon, Nicole Barrett

Palm Beach County Ch 20, West Palm Beach, FL

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**Political Connections: Florida's Special Legislative Session**

Melissa Walpole, Victoria Rajkumar, Holly Gregory,

Jeff Joiner, Andrew Lumnah

Spectrum Bay News 9, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## **Crime: Our City Our Problem**

Kevin Davidson, Joe McCoy, Ed Ball,  
Chris Nakamoto, Brandi B. Harris

**WBRZ-TV, Baton Rouge, LA**

# **64 PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT**

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*Public Service Announcement (Single Spot)*

## **Message of Hope - Toys for Tots**

Anthony Cervantes, Zack Schwartz

**WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

## **Driverless Cars Are Everywhere**

Troy Dunn

**Dunn&Co., Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

## **Meth Abuse Campaign**

Gary Yordon, Charles Lorch

**The Zachary Group, Tallahassee, FL**

*Public Service Announcement (Campaign)*

## **Florida Forests**

Gary Yordon, Josh McLawhorn, Gabriela Rodeiro

**The Zachary Group, Tallahassee, FL**

# **65 COMMERCIAL**

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*Commercial (Single Spot)*

## **The Wealth You've Created - US Private Wealth**

David Merrill

**RedMaya Films, West Palm Beach, FL**

## **Sin Ayudita - Atención Atención**

Heri Martinez De Dios, Yamil I Medina Carrasquillo,  
Nicolle Betancourt Torres, Victor M Rivera

**Gladius LLC., San Juan, PR**

## **Cirque Italia Gold Unit**

Domenico Castaldo

**Castaldo Studio, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

## **The Nightmare Is Over**

Gabrielle Brewster

**WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA**

## **The Bucket List**

Matt Boswell

**ChappellRoberts, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

## **TekRidge**

Gary Yordon, Josh McLawhorn, Michelle Falanga

**The Zachary Group, Tallahassee, FL**

# **66 PROMOTION**

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*Promotion: News Promotion - Topical (Single Spot)*

## **Over-Priced Pics!**

Craig Davenport, Heather Dauterive, Jacob Bryan

**WJAX-TV, Jacksonville, FL**

**GOTCHA!**

Craig Davenport, Heather Dauterive, Jacob Bryan

WJAX-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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*Promotion: News Promotion - Image (Single Spot)*

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**Surviving the Storm: The Dangers of Hurricanes**

Kimberly Sherman, Salil Raina

WFLA-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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**Thank God for Meteorologist Tim Deegan**

Natalie Thurlow

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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*Promotion: News Promotion (Campaign)*

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**Breaking News and Weather Image Fall 2021**

Trevor Cassidy, Steve Rifkin

WESH-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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**Impact of Hurricane Ida**

Amanda Carlin, Jay Grymes,  
Gabrielle Brewster, Leah Marchand

WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA

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**News4Jax They Are Who They've Always Been**

Sherry Carpenter, Chrissy Sellers, Dylan Smith

WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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**First Coast News on Your Side**

Paul Bulluck

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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*Promotion: Program Promotion (Single Spot/Campaign)*

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**Acceso Total Promo**

Marilyn Ponce, Hansel Valdes, Jorge Cortes,  
Adrian Rodriguez, Carlos Gandica

WWDT Telemundo, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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**3-D Hurricane**

Mike Pumo

WPEC-TV, West Palm Beach, FL

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*Promotion: Image Promotion (Single Spot/Campaign)*

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**WDSU-MeTV New Orleans Anthem**

Erin Finnegan, David Bell, Rockin' Dopsie

WDSU-TV, New Orleans, LA

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**Why I Watch First Coast News on Your Side**

Natalie Thurlow

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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*Promotion: Sports Promotion (Single Spot/Campaign)*

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**NFC Wild Card: Buccaneers vs Eagles**

Stephen Lynch, Ronde Barber

Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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**News Channel 8 Bucs Image**

Melissa Hutcheon, Brooke Bissell

WFLA-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## Chloe's Story

Amanda Richter, Clint Horvath **Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## Born Fighters

Shaneika Dabney-Henderson,  
Jon Mahody, Jon Devin Carerre **New Orleans Saints and Pelicans, New Orleans, LA**

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# 41 DOCUMENTARY

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*Documentary Cultural*

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## When Liberty Burns

Dudley Alexis **WLRN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## Ellas Mujeres en la Música

Euskady Burgos **Cinetrix, San Juan PR**

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## Irma: My Life in Music

Cilista Eberle, Rachel Lyons,  
Jim Moriarty, Michael Murphy **WYES-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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*Documentary Historical*

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## Finding Tyler

Christopher Brannan, Diana Reichenbach, Dennis Scholl **SONOLUMIN Films, Inc.**

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## A History of Black Miami

Cynthia Demos, Nick Gordillo,  
Sheila Foreman, Matthew Rubino **Cynthia Demos Communications, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## No Man's Land: Becoming Louisiana

Bill Rodman, Flo Ulmer **The Bill Rodman Production Shoppe, Baton Rouge, LA**

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## Force for Freedom: The Robert Hilliard Story

Antonio Rodriguez, Brian Price,  
Melanie Pefinis, Sheri Coleman, Tim Kenney **WGCU-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL**

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*Documentary Topical*

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## Surviving Surfside: Deven's Story

Jim Defede, Rafael Murciano, Joaquin Garcia **WFOR-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## Sounds of the Rum Capital

Arí Maniel Cruz Suárez, Julietta Rodríguez Herrera, Francisco Paco López  
**Rums of Puerto Rico, No Limit Entertainment & La Maza CRL, San Juan, PR**

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# 70 EDITOR

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*Editor - News*

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## Editor - Alison Hickey

Alison Hickey **WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL**

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## **Recopilacion Derrumbe Surfside y 3 Reportajes Especiales**

Patricio Munoz

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **Alexis Sanchez Editor Compilation**

Alexis Sanchez

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **The Embodiment of Balance**

Jonathan Melton

WINK-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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## **Resumen 2021 - Femicidios**

Axejonen Ortiz

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

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## **Their Stories Told Through Editing**

Reed Moeller

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## **Adrian Mauceri, Editing 2022**

Adrian Mauceri

WJAN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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*Editor - Short Form Content*

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## **Mas Alla de mis Pasos**

Emerson Maita

Black Hole Enterprises | 360 Media | Trinitus Production, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **The Legacy of Dr. Daddy-O: New Orleans First Black DJ**

Adam Copus

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## **Greater Sarasota: The Heart of Community**

Laura Landry

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## **Bully**

Alejandro Mendoza Llopis,

Luis Luyando

LUMA Creative Management, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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*Editor - Long Form Content*

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## **Before the Fame with Mike Sherman: Slim Jim Phantom**

Scott Edward

Universal Media Group, West Palm Beach, FL

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## **The Life of Bill Baggs**

Patrick Longstreth

WLRN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **Crosses in the Dust: End of Dreams**

Aaron Hose

Video@CDL - UCF Center For Distributed Learning, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## **Fort Myers Nuestro**

Hansel Valdes, Adrian Rodriguez

WWDT Telemundo, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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*Editor - Sports*

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## **Eric Bungay Sports Editor**

Eric Bungay

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

# Thank You!

To all who stepped up to judge in 2022. Way to go!!!  
Without you, there would be no awards.

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Martin Amado  
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Michael Anderson  
Jorge Andres  
Gregory Angel  
Aimee Anillo  
Michael Appelbaum  
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Matthew Apthorp  
Jorge Aquino Calo  
Gabby Arzola  
Lauren Ashley Powell  
Eboney Athanaze  
Pickney  
Alberto Bade  
Julia Bagg  
Heather Bailey  
Israel Balderas  
Edward Ballard  
Chucha Barber  
Scott Barnett  
Devin Bartolotta  
Corey Beckman  
Shannon Behnken  
Kelly Anne Beile  
Sam Belitty  
Joyce Belloise  
Danielle Bender  
Renee Beninate  
Jonathan Berguno  
Penny Bernath  
Rose Marie Berrios  
Laurel Biddy  
Elitsa J. Bizios  
Dennis Black  
Shanira Blanco  
Alexis Boente Arias  
Dave Bohman  
Kathryn Bonfield  
Stacey Borden  
Nicole Borrero  
David Boston  
Jenna Bourne  
Robert Bradfield  
Amanda Bradley

Spencer Briggs  
Tom Bronakoski  
John Brown  
Ybeth Bruzual  
Bryce Budoff  
Danelia Buitrago  
Pam Bunge  
Kyle Burger  
Alexander Buruchian  
Bob Buruchian  
Nelson Bustamante  
Roberto Bustos  
Jeff Butera  
Jim Byrne  
Andrew Caliendo  
Jackie Callaway  
Andrew Cannatella  
Ruben Capote Bravo  
Fabián Cárdenas  
Erika Carillo  
Sherry Carpenter  
Venesulia Carr  
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Steph Carse  
Jay Cashmere  
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Hugo Oscar Chavez  
Baldera  
Kiran Chawla  
Kenneth Cherry  
Allison Childers  
Laura Chimaras  
Chris Cifatte  
Chris Clark  
Evan Closky  
Daniel Cohen  
Liliana Colantuoni  
Zahira Collazo  
Kimberly Colombero  
Jack Conely  
Robin Cooper  
Adam Copus  
Amanda Cordero  
Michelle Coro  
Kathleen Corso  
Roberto Cortes  
Jorge Cortes Esperanza  
Heather Crawford  
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Jennifer Crockett  
Susan D'Astoli  
Shaneika Dabney-Henderson  
Loanis Daffau  
Robin Dallofior  
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Derron Daquano  
Tammy Darling  
Danielle DaRos  
Hollani Davis  
Rebecca De Armas  
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Maggie DeBarberie  
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James Desir  
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Michael Hudak  
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Steven Wolfram  
Bill Wood  
Max Wylar  
Gary Yordon  
Matt Zodrow  
Lee Zurick



## **Sports Editor - Jose Cisneros**

Jose Cisneros

Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

*Editor - Spot Announcement*

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## **Acceso Total Promo**

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WWDT Telemundo, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

# **71 GRAPHIC ARTS**

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*Graphic Arts - Motion Graphics*

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## **Sin Ayudita - Atención Atención**

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Gladius LLC., San Juan, PR

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Digital Brew, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

## **PureCycle**

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Digital Brew, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

## **James Luecke**

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*Graphic Arts - Art Direction*

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# **73 LIGHTING**

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## **See Yourself OFD Recruitment**

Phillip Cybulski

City of Orlando, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

# **68 MUSICAL/COMPOSITION/ARRANGEMENT**

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## **Breaking the Silence**

Alberto Bade, Humberto Casanova, Leonardo Colloca

MDC-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## **El Barrio**

Yadam Gonzalez,

Gerry Cea, Jean Maggi

Dream It Foundation - 360 Media, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

# **79 TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENT**

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## **Building A Custom Mini FPV Drone**

Zack Perry

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## **The Disappearance of Gabby Petito: Interactive Coverage on WFLA Now**

J.B. Biunno

WFLA-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

# 69 DIRECTOR

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## *Director - Sports*

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### **Eric Bungay Sports Director**

Eric Bungay

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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### **Tampa Bay Buccaneers 2021 Open: "Armada"**

Ryan Thielen

Triglass Productions

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### **Tampa Bay Rays - 2022 Open**

Ryan Thielen

Triglass Productions

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## *Director - Short Form*

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### **A Letter to My Daughter by Poet Sophia Liautaud**

Fabian Cardenas

WLRN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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### **Director - Mashup**

Edward Ballard

Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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### **Joining Black Is Beautiful - Green Bench**

Aaron Hose

2Hands20Fingers, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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### **The Breaths of Our Skin by Poet Christell Roach**

Fabian Cardenas

WLRN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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### **Mas Alla de mis Pasos**

Jorge Antonio Gonzalez,

Oliver Carmona

Black Hole Enterprises | 360 Media | Trinitus Production, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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### **Bully**

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LUMA Creative Management, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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### **Stop Guns**

Jose Guillen,

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VIEWELEMMENT, LLC, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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### **Challenge Accepted**

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Vela Visuals, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## *Director - Long Form Content*

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### **Irma Thomas - The Soul Queen of New Orleans**

Ron Yager

WLAE-TV, New Orleans, LA

## Sounds of the Rum Capital

Arí Maniel Cruz Suárez Rums of Puerto Rico, No Limit Entertainment & La Maza CRL, San Juan, PR

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## Huracán 2022

Yoel Rivero

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## The Life of Bill Baggs

Patrick Longstreth, Anne Longstreth

WLRN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## The Grand Lady

Fabian Cardenas

Pass Story of Diaspora Forward, Inc., Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## INSIDE TGS, The Art of Storytelling

Boris Urrutia

NBCUniversal Telemundo Global Studios, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## Crosses in the Dust: ¡Presente!

Christine Kane

Video@CDL - UCF Center For Distributed Learning, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## Crosses in the Dust: End of Dreams

Christine Kane

Video@CDL - UCF Center For Distributed Learning, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## Can We Talk? A Conversation About Antisemitism

Laura Landry

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Cambiando Vidas

Jaime Segura

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# 76 PHOTOGRAPHER

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*Photographer - News*

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Alex Hagan

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL

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## Their Stories Through a Lens

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WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Tras el lente de Telenoticias

Tania Dumas

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

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## Photojournalist Corey Beckman

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WTVT-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Alexis Sanchez News Photographer Compilation

Alexis Sanchez

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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#### **The Sound of Change**

*Laura Landry, Ashley Stokes,  
James Borchuck*

### **EDITOR:**

#### **The Heart of Community**

*Laura Landry*



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#### **Siobhan Monique**

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*Dalia Colón, James Borchuck*

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## Chuck Owen and the Jazz Surge: The Making of Within Us (25th Anniversary Album)

Jason Su, John Cundy

University of South Florida, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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# 35 SPORTS STORY

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*Sports Story - News (single shift)*

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## Inside the Ropes: An Olympian's Journey

Jay Cashmere, Paris Vazquez

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL

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## Unbreakable Olympic Dreams

Jay Cashmere, Paris Vazquez

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL

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## King Richard Williams Inspired by Belle Glade Coach Willie Smith

Max Shepman, John Evenson

WPEC-TV, West Palm Beach, FL

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*Sports Story - News (no production time limit)*

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## Crossing Over

Meg Gatto, Tim Guidry

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## Defying the Devastation

Lance Washington

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## How a Sunny, Small Town Made Florida's Winter Olympians

Merris Badcock, Anthony Murdock

WKMG-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## Foul Balls: Inequities in Sports

Danielle DaRos, Wally Lurz

WPEC-TV, West Palm Beach, FL

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## 1% Better

Ashleigh Walters, Trey Herbert

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL

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## Jacques Goes to Tuscaloosa

Jacques Doucet

WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA

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## City of Palms Park

Evan Dean, Kirk Erwin

WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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*Sports Story - Short Form Content*

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## Speak the Truth

Denis Moreira, Jose Cisneros,  
Arnold Speaks, Jr., Ross Leviton

Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## **Tampa Bay Buccaneers 2021 Open: Armada**

Mike Dewsnap, Ryan Thielen, Kyle Moe, Paul Winkels, Chris Schultz,  
Ben Krych, Noelle Anderson, Maxwell Mainwood

**Triglass Productions**

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## **NFL Chaplains - Tampa Bay Buccaneers**

Rob Kaczmark, David Naglieri

**Knights of Columbus**

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## **A Mother's Job Description - Mother's Day - Miami HEAT**

Terek Pierce,  
Karla Ruiz-Gomez, Santiago Romero-Reyes

**Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Tampa Bay Rays - 2022 Open**

Michael Weinman, Ryan Thielen, Kyle Moe,  
Noelle Anderson, Chris Schultz, Aaron Koltan

**Triglass Productions**

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## **Distant Thunder - Colombia**

Troy Dunn

**Dunn&Co., Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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*Sports Story - Long Form Content*

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## **Rene Arocha, el Jackie Robinson Cubano**

Jorge Morejon

**WJAN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Lake of Records**

William Engle

**Engle Digital, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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# **36 SPORTS PROGRAM - Live**

*Sports Program - Live (Single Program)*

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## **HEAT Opening Night Pregame**

Jason Jackson, Ruth Riley Hunter, Ross Leviton, Charlie Luken,  
Edward Ballard, Eric Reid, John Crotty, Will Manso

**Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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*Sports Program - Live (Series)*

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## **Panthers Live Composite**

Tyler Sellars, Mike Rubin, Jeff Chychrun, Ed Jovanovski,  
Jessica Blaylock

**Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Rays Live Composite**

Brad Bartle, Matt Gersten, Gary Nicholas, Rich Hollenberg, Doug Waechter,  
Tricia Whitaker

**Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **In That Number Season 2**

Shaneika Dabney-Henderson, Jon Mahody, Jonathon Lavengetto,  
Josh Sige, Brendan Hassett, Layne Murdoch, Shota Hashimoto

**New Orleans Saints and Pelicans, New Orleans, LA**

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## 37 SPORTS PROGRAM – Post-Produced or Edited

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*Sports Program - Post-Produced or Edited (Single Program)*

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### **Rays All Access Remembering Jean**

George Casteris, Tom Sipos,  
Tricia Whitaker, Michael Sims

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### **Recharge, “Become Special”**

Michael O’Halloran, Gabriel Marte

**Tampa Bay Lightning, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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*Sports Program - Post-Produced or Edited (Series)*

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### **Under the Lights Composite**

Marques Mazyck, Matthew R. Shedenhelm, Kelly Saco, Anna Logan,  
Jeremy Tache, Charlie Luken, James Luecke, Max Michalak

**Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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### **Inside the HEAT- Women of the HEAT**

Shanon Irish, Ed Filomia, Eric Reid, Maggie DeBarberie, Elizabeth Adams,  
Janelle Johnston, Micayla Delesparra, David Perez, Steven Ruiz

**Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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### **Marlins All Access Composite**

Matthew R. Shedenhelm, Gaby Sanchez, JP Arencibia,  
Charlie Luken, Christopher Clark

**Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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### **In The Current: A Season with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers**

Christi Bedan, Stephen Lynch,  
Jeff Ryan

**Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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### **Inside the HEAT- Chris Bosh**

Shanon Irish, Ed Filomia, Jason Jackson,  
Maggie DeBarberie, Janelle Johnston, Edwin Jean

**Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## 38 SPORTS - One-Time Special

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### **F1: Ready to Race**

David Lang, Will Manso, Steve Owen,  
Jenise Fernandez, Kerry Weston, Alexis Frazier

**WPLG-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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### **Going For Gold**

Bradley Skibo, Olivia Stacey, Tony Rojek

**Spectrum News 13, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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## 39 LIVE SPORTING EVENT/GAME

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### **Panthers Playoff Game 5/13/2022**

Jeff Wesol, Mike Rubin, Steve Goldstein, Randy Moller, Jessica Blaylock, Max Michalak

**Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**



## Dominican Heritage Night

John Sulser, Christian Roberts, Paul Severino, Jessica Blaylock

Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

# 40 LIVE SPORTING EVENT SEASON

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## Miami HEAT Basketball

Eric Reid, John Crotty, Edward Ballard, Arnold Speaks, Jr., Robert Hewitt,  
Ross Leviton, Jose Cisneros, Charlie Luken, LaVaughn Wright,

David Diez, Will Manso, Kristen Hewitt

Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## 2022 Marlins Season

John Sulser, Christian Roberts, Paul Severino, Kelly Saco,

JP Arencibia, Tommy Hutton, Gaby Sanchez, Jessica Blaylock, Max Michalak

Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## 2021-22 Orlando Magic Season Composite

Tye Eastham, Greg Hartung, David Steele, Jeff Turner,

Dante Marchitelli, Vanessa Lambert

Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## 2021-22 Tampa Bay Lightning Season Composite

Rob Allaer, Brad Bartle, Doug Yalacki, Dave Randorf,

Brian Engblom, Vanessa Lambert

Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

# 25 HISTORICAL/CULTURAL

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*Historical/Cultural - News (single shift)*

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## I Remember the Nazis

Michael Danielewski, Chris Cifatte

WINK-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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## Dr. Daddy-O

Charisse Gibson, Adam Copus

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

*Historical/Cultural - News (no production time limit)*

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## Century of Calm: The 1921 Hurricane

Michael Paluska, Reed Moeller

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Historias de la Central

Guillermo J. Torres, Carlos Moctezuma, Migyael Sepúlveda Cruz

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

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## Tampa Bay's Ties to 9/11 Twenty Years Later

Adam Walser, Kylie McGivern, Matt McGlashen,

Jackie Callaway, Melanie Payne

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Historias De San Juan: 500 Años

Guillermo José Torres, Christian A. Hernández Díaz,

José Frank Ogando Hoffman, Gadiel Lassalle

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

# 53 HISTORICAL/CULTURAL

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*Historical/Cultural - Long Form Content*

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## **The Lure of Lovers Key**

Thomas James

WGCU-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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## **Safe Haven: Louisiana's Green Book**

Kara St. Cyr, Emma Reid

Louisiana Public Broadcasting, Baton Rouge, LA

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## **A King's Florida Dream**

Emerald Morrow, Kelly Frank

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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# 26 HUMAN INTEREST

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*Human Interest - News (single shift)*

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## **Cut Them Off**

Jeannie Blaylock, Gene Cotton

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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## **ZAPATA 666: el Rostro de Una Tragedia Llamada Chavismo - Testigo Directo**

Jonatan Gallo

WSBS-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **Pianista Evan**

Tatiana Riquelme, Jesus Acosta

Television Marti/Office of Cuba Broadcast, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## **Desamparados por el Supremo**

Nuria G. Sebazco Lugo, Charlie Iglesias,  
Kiara Hernández-González, Jonathan Santana

WLII-TV, San Juan, PR

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*Human Interest - News (no production time limit)*

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## **A Prueba el Corazón de un Asesino**

Pablo Gaztambide, Zugey Lamela, Pedro Rodríguez Oyola

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

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## **The Uniform Man**

Nick Moron, Keitha Nelson-Williams

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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## **'A Gut Feeling': The Story of Inspector Jose Melendez-Perez**

Merris Badcock, Anthony Murdock

WKMG-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## **A Matter of Principal**

Tim Guidry, Natasha Robin

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## **Una Segunda Oportunidad**

Carlos Rausseo, Sergio Ruiz,  
Luis Millan

WTMO Telemundo Orlando, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

## Vidas Paralelas: Cambiados al Nacer

Iván O. López, Shaina Cabán Cortés, Valeria Collazo Cañizares,  
José Carlos Sánchez, William Pagan

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

## Caras Del Exodo

Miguel Santiesteban, Menfis Marmolejos

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

# 54 HUMAN INTEREST

*Human Interest - Short Form Content*

## Dogs of Destiny-Junie's Joy

Jennifer Noble, Colin Kelly, Shannon Gazdacka,  
Robin Cooper

Southeastern Guide Dogs, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## 1000 Bicis Challenge

Jean Maggi, Yadam Gonzalez, Gerry Cea, Natalia Denegri, Nelson Bustamante,  
Pablo Berberian

Dream It Foundation | 360 Media, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## Dogs of Destiny-Ground Control

Jennifer Noble, Matt Zodrow

Southeastern Guide Dogs, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## Por Ella

Mauro Boccia Gayá, Jorge Antonio Gonzalez, Nelson Bustamante, Natalia Denegri,  
Gabriel Sanz, Priscilla Torres, Arturo Manuitt, Carolina Navarro Arciniega

Black Hole | Trinitus Productions | Boccia Productions, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## Mas Alla de mis Pasos

Jorge Antonio Gonzalez, Oliver Carmona, Natalia Denegri, Gabriel Sanz,  
Jean Claverie, Franklin Mejias Castellanos, Nelson Bustamante, Emerson Maita

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## Un Tesoro Escondido Entre la Miseria

Stiven Mora

WSBS-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

## Challenge Accepted

Shawn Vela, Tyler Albers, Jeff Ottum,  
Faith-Christina Duncan

Vela Visuals, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

*Human Interest - Long Form Content*

## Madre es la que ...

Milly Mendez, William Cora

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

# 28 MILITARY

*Military - News (no production time limit)*

## Camp Lejeune Toxic Water

Heather Crawford, Nick Moron

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

## The Final Mile

Wendi Lane

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

# 58 MILITARY

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*Military - Short Form Content*

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## Dogs of Destiny-Giving Paws

Jennifer Noble, Colin Kelly

Southeastern Guide Dogs, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Dogs of Destiny-Wake-Up Call

Jennifer Noble, Matt Zodrow,  
Colin Kelly

Southeastern Guide Dogs, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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# 30 POLITICS/GOVERNMENT

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*Politics/Government - News (no production time limit)*

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## Tenants in Trouble

Jackie Callaway

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Rape Victim Ordered to Pay Her Rapist Child Support

Chris Nakamoto, Joseph McCoy, Erin Schmidt, Paul Thistlethwaite,  
Trey Schmaltz, Michael Shingleton

WBRZ-TV, Baton Rouge, LA

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## Death Row Inmates Received Thousands in Stimulus Funds

Lauren Ashley Powell, Tim Burquest

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Broadcasting Icon Retires

Scott Johnson, Sebastian Gonzalez, Kathryn Bonfield

WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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## Behind the Ballot

Tory Dunnan, John Bryja

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL

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# 60 POLITICS/GOVERNMENT

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*Politics/Government - Short Form Content*

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## ¿Y la Casa, Pa' Cuándo?

Laura Gonzalez, Maria Ramos

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

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# 31 RELIGION

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*Religion - News (no production time limit)*

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## Surfside Police Chaplains (A Two-Part Miami Proud Feature)

Andi Phillips, Lauren Pastrana

WFOR-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## Losing Faith

David Hammer, T.J. Pipitone

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

# 61 RELIGION

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*Religion - Short Form Content*

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## **Ukraine: Missionary Response**

Tim Moriarty

**Knights of Columbus**

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## **Tormenta de Fe**

Jorge Antonio Gonzalez, Nelson Bustamante, Gabriel Sanz, Natalia Denegri, Luis Olavarrieta, Priscilla Torres, Keyla Bernal

**Black Hole Enterprises | Trinitus Productions | Al Agua, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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*Religion - Long Form Content*

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## **Destinos Misticos - Montserrat Spain**

David Barski, Catherine Fernandez, Cristian Latina

**WSBS-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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# 32 SOCIETAL CONCERNS

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*Societal Concerns - News (no production time limit)*

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## **Cheryl Weimar**

Daralene Jones

**WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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## **Bully**

Gustavo Mosquera, Willy Martin, Luis Luyando, Alejandro Mendoza Llopis, Laura Chimaras, Iliana Martinez Luyando, Flor Elizabeth Lugo, Nelson Mata

**LUMA Creative Management, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **La Promesa que se Tragó el Mar: Un Naufragio Haitiano en Puerto Rico**

Shaína Cabán Cortés, Iván O. López, Aracelymar Soto, Isabel Alvarez

**WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR**

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# 62 SOCIETAL CONCERNS

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*Societal Concerns - Short Form Content*

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## **Dan Schneider: The Pharmacist**

Kevin Mumphrey, Rhett Sharpe, Melody Menard

**STPPS-TV Channel 13, New Orleans, LA**

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*Societal Concerns - Long Form Content*

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## **9 Family Connection Presents: Central Florida Students - A Cry for Help**

Karla Ray, Vanessa Echols, April Starinsky

**WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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## **Estado de Coma**

Milly Mendez

**WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR**

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## **Lasting Impact**

Elizabeth Vowell, Derron Daquano

**WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA**

# Gold Circle



## Eddie Miró

### 2022 GOLD CIRCLE RECIPIENT

Born in Humacao, PR, in 1935, Eddie Miró, TV host, writer, actor, comedian, and producer, became the most acclaimed television host for Telemundo PR with a career that extends for more than five decades from the 1950s to the 2000s. Eddie, always distinguished by his elegance, eloquence, presence, and humbleness, generated a special connection with the audience that still lasts today.

His start in the industry was in radio, where he met producer Tommy Muñiz. His TV debut came with the birth of the industry in 1954 as a scriptwriter and comedian for various shows.

Eddie and actor turned producer Paquito Cordero became a winning team. They were the pioneers of the television industry and created some of the most emblematic shows; Paquito producing and Eddie as the writer and host. He also was a screenwriter and actor in various films. For many decades, this dynamic duo placed Telemundo as the undisputable number one TV station in PR. In 2004, Telemundo PR named Studio # 1 the Eddie Miró Studio.

With over 1 million minutes, over 16,000 hours, on the air in front of the cameras, Eddie Miró's legacy entails countless contributions to the entertainment industry and popular culture in Puerto Rico, the US, and Latin America; but most of all to the television industry as a TV host, writer, comedian, and actor.



# 21 DIVERSITY/EQUITY/INCLUSION

*Diversity/Equity/Inclusion – News (single shift)*

## **Retos de la Comunidad Sorda en Huracán María**

José Frank Ogando Hoffman, Ada Monzon

**WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR**

## **WESH 2 CommUNITY Champion: rePresent**

Sheldon Dutes, Jacob Wiklund, Marcie Golgoski

**WESH-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

*Diversity/Equity/Inclusion – News (no production time limit)*

## **A Second Shot**

Marilyn Parker, Ciara Earrey

**WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL**

## **Barreras del Silencio**

Janet Toro Fantauzzi, Grenda Rivera, Jean Lorenzo, José Torres

**WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR**

## **Language Barriers and Health Disparities**

Amanda Salvucci, Cait McVey

**Spectrum Bay News 9, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

## **Hidden History: South Florida's Black Cemeteries**

Sasha Jones, Anthony James, Gabriel Alonso

**WTVJ-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

## **Silver Oaks Suffering**

Allison Shaw, Vanessa Araiza

**WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

## **Seeking Treatment While Deaf**

Willard Shepard, Anthony James

**WTVJ-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

## **Fort Myers Lynching**

Evan Dean, Kirk Erwin

**WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL**

## **Tra[N]s las Rejas**

Manuel Crespo-Feliciano, Kiara Hernández-González, Yanicelis Torres,

Jose R. Blanco Alvarez, Jonathan Santana

**WLII-TV, San Juan, PR**

## **Driven**

Amanda DeVoe, Arnell L. Hamilton

**WKRQ-TV, Mobile, AL**

## **The Art Chooses You: Diversity in Ballet**

Alexa Lorenzo

**WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

## **Voices from the Grave**

Emerald Morrow

**WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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# 49 DIVERSITY/EQUITY/INCLUSION

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*Diversity/Equity/Inclusion - Short Form Content*

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## **Dogs of Destiny-When Lillie Met Sally**

Jennifer Noble, Alex Gazio,  
Brian Campbell

**Southeastern Guide Dogs, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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## **Joining Black Is Beautiful - Green Bench**

Brigitte Hose, Aaron Hose

**2Hands20Fingers, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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## **Minorities in Shark Sciences (MISS) is Making Waves**

Jacquelyn Hurtado, Sergio Figuera

**WPBT-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **MLK Tribute**

Jason Jackson, Edward Ballard, Ross Leviton,  
Charlie Luken, Denis Moreira

**Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Game Changers**

Ross Leviton, David Diez

**Miami HEAT, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Greater Sarasota: The Soul of Sarasota**

Laura Landry, Ashley Stokes, James Borchuck

**WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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## **Greater Sarasota: The Sound of Change**

Laura Landry, Ashley Stokes, James Borchuck

**WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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## **WEDU Arts Plus: Jesse Clark**

Dalia Colon, James Borchuck

**WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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## **El Mundo en Silencio**

Estefania Soto, Maria Ramos,  
Ramon Montalvo, William Cora

**WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR**

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*Diversity/Equity/Inclusion - Long Form Content*

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## **Groveland Four - Journey to Exoneration**

Daralene Jones

**WFTV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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## **El Barrio**

Jean Maggi, Gerry Cea, Yadam Gonzalez, Natalia Denegri,  
Nelson Bustamante, Pablo Berberian, Dante Spinetta

**Dream It Foundation | 360 Media, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **On the Town in the Palm Beaches with Frank Licari Caribbean Connection**

Sally Lewis Heims, Nicole Malanga,  
Frank Licari, Yoandy Vidal

**WPBT-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Central Florida Roadtrip: Black History Month Special**

Buddy Pittman, Brian Kelly

**WUCF-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

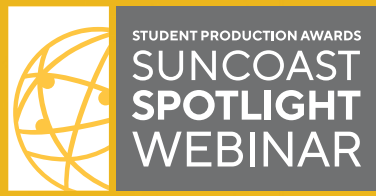




NATIONAL ACADEMY OF TELEVISION ARTS & SCIENCES  
SUNCOAST CHAPTER

The Suncoast Chapter held its 4th Annual Suncoast Student Production Awards at the University of Miami School of Communication on Saturday, May 7, 2022. Turnout was great—we had students and advisors from all over the Suncoast region attend the event. Tours of the University of Miami School of Communication started a couple hours before the show and there was still time (and food) to mingle with students and their advisors. So much amazing work was represented and a big shout out goes to the University of Miami for helping us make this event such a great success!

The Suncoast Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences is a nonprofit Florida corporation dedicated to excellence in television. We support future television industry professionals by recognizing the talent and efforts of college and high school students in our region with Student Production Awards. The presentation of these awards is intended to be an incentive for the continued pursuit of excellence by those studying media and journalism and to focus public attention on outstanding cultural, educational, technological, entertainment, news and informational achievements by undergraduate college/university and/or high school students.



From campus to career the NATAS Suncoast Chapter is here to help our students achieve their goals.

The SPA Suncoast Spotlight webinar series seeks to help prepare College/University, High School seniors and young professionals for a future in broadcast journalism. These webinars bring students and professionals together for a dynamic learning experience.

Learn more at:

[suncoastchapter.org](https://suncoastchapter.org)

## Can We Talk? A Conversation About Antisemitism

Laura Landry, Ashley Stokes

WEDU-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

# 20 CRIME

*Crime - News (single shift)*

## El FBI Caza a Los Lobos

Walter Soto-León, Ruben Torres

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

## In The Dark

Charisse Gibson, Derek Waldrip

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

*Crime - News (no production time limit)*

## The Slow Death

Erin Murray, Adam Vance

Spectrum Bay News 9, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## Mujeres Al Mando De Las Carreteras

Emilio Cruz, Ruddy Matta, Orlando Rivera Martinez, Luis Andino

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

## UNSOLVED: The Voice of a Killer

Kathryn Jeffries

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

## Duda Razonable

Arnaldo Rojas, Michael Roldán, Mardelis Jusino

WLII-TV, San Juan, PR

## ¿Asesinato o Legítima Defensa? El Estremecedor Caso De Shirley Vera Barreto

Ruddy Matta, Carlos Moctezuma, Tatiana Perez Ramos

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

## Death in Paradise

Aracelymar Soto, Adriana De Jesús, Iván O. López

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

# 48 CRIME

*Crime - Long Form Content*

## Humo Fatal 1 & 2

Hermes Ayala Guzmán, Ramon Montalvo Rivera,  
María Ramos Pérez, Yennifer Álvarez-Jaimés

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

# 12 BREAKING/SPOT NEWS

*Breaking/Spot News (Single Report)*

## Explosión en Las Piedras

Ivette Sosa, Ruben Torres, Edgar Lopez, Angel Semidey

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

## Nuevo Amanecer para Don Andrés

Maribel Meléndez Fontán, Sheysa Ojeda, Antonio Carrion

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

## Devastation in Haiti

Willard Shepard

WTVJ-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

### **Hurricane Ida**

Kristen Palestina

**WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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### **Hurricane Ida**

Romni Williams, Margaret Orr, Erin Lowrey, Travers Mackel, Lee Southwick, Sula Kim, Bun Choum, Aubry Killion, Amanda Valdin, Gina Swanson, Meghan Thomas, Chad Sabadie

**WDSU-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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### **Breaking News Arabi Tornado**

Margaret Orr, Brandon Decareaux, Andrew Cannatella, Amy Boraks, Sula Kim, Romni Williams, Lee Southwick, Edward Matthews, Devon Lucie, Aubry Killion, Richard Esneault, Fletcher Mackel, Gina Swanson

**WDSU-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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### **Mayday on Haulover Bridge**

Sanela Sabovic, Roy Ramos, Vanessa Espinel, Anastasia Pavlinskaya, Guadalupe Monarrez

**WPLG-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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### **The January Tornado**

Michael Hudak

**WINK-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL**

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## **4 JOURNALISTIC ENTERPRISE**

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### **Florida Investigates: Unaccompanied and Unwanted**

Sara Grossbarth, Katie LaGrone, Matthew Apthorp

**The Florida 24 Network, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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### **Poinciana Exposed 360 Multiplatform Project**

Emilio Ramos, Camille Cruz, Raúl Díaz, Mercedes Contreras

**WTMO Telemundo Orlando, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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### **Isle of Secrecy**

Lee Zurik

**WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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### **Better Call Behnken**

Shannon Behnken, James Farquhar

**WFLA-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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### **Telemundo 31 Responde - ¡Aquí sí te respondemos!**

Valezka Gil-Wester, Carmen Rodriguez, Raúl Díaz

**WTMO Telemundo Orlando, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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## **5 INTERACTIVE VIDEO**

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### **Tracking the Tropics: Interactive Coverage of Hurricane Ida**

J.B. Biunno, Heather Monahan, Amanda Holly, Rebecca Barry

**WFLA-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

## 77 VIDEO ESSAY

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### Happy Rails

Matthew Apthorp

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

## 78 VIDEO JOURNALIST

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### Hagan's Solo Stories

Alex Hagan

WPTV, West Palm Beach, FL

### Las Aventuras de Miguel en Tokyo

Miguel Santiesteban

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

### Horse Healing: Sarah Makes Strides

Kathryn Bursch

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

### Dawn White: One-Woman Band

Dawn White

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

### Danelia Buitrago

WVEN-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

### Andreina Rosal

WVEN-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

### Storytelling From the Lens of an MMJ

Emilio Ramos

WTMO Telemundo Orlando, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

## 75 TALENT - ANCHOR

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*Talent - Anchor - News*

### Tenikka Smith Hughes: Anchor

Tenikka Smith Hughes

WJAX-TV, Jacksonville, FL

### Jawan Strader Surfside Condo Demolished Continuing Coverage

Jawan Strader

WTVJ-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

### Alejandra Molina - Anchor on the Field/Breaking News

Alejandra Sanchez

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

### Channing Frampton ABC 27 Anchor

Channing Frampton

WTXL-TV, Tallahassee, FL

### J. Mark Wilson/News Anchor

J. Mark Wilson

WTVT-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

### John Brown: Anchor

John Brown

WOFL-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

*Talent - Anchor - Weather*

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**Not Just Rain**

Alan Sealls

WPMI-TV, Mobile, AL

**Meteorologist Jim Dickey**

Jim Dickey

WZVN-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

**Meteorologist Steve MacLaughlin: Weather & Climate Change Composite**

Steve MacLaughlin

WTVJ-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

**Rob Duns**

WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

*Talent - Sports*

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**Dave Randorf**

Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

**Kelly Saco – Talent**

Kelly Saco

Bally Sports Florida and Bally Sports Sun, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

**Josh Moser - WSVN-TV Sports Anchor Miami, FL**

Josh Moser

WSVN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

*Talent - Reporter - Daily News*

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**Mis Historias en el 51**

Alexis Boente Arias

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

*Talent - Reporter - Investigative*

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**Jenna Bourne, Investigative Reporter: Disobedient**

Jenna Bourne

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

**Crimen Bajo el Mar**

Walter Soto-León

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

**Jenna Bourne: Concerns were Raised to Mosque Years Before Youth Volunteer was Arrested, Accused of Molesting Boys**

Jenna Bourne

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

**Lee Zurik: Investigative Reporter Discarded Danger**

Lee Zurik

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

**Lee Zurik: Investigative Reporter Attention to the Details**

Lee Zurik

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

*Talent - Reporter - Specialty Assignment*

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**Barreras Del Silencio**

Grenda Rivera

WKAQ-TV, San Juan, PR

**Jackie Callaway-Taking Action for You**

Jackie Callaway

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

**El Corredor de la Ayuda: el Especial**

Alexis Boente Arias

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

**Florida's Water Pollution Crisis**

Michael Paluska

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

**Story2Share**

Sean Martinelli

WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

**The War on I-4**

Greg Fox

WESH-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

**Valezka Gil - Consumer Reporter**

Valezka Gil-Wester

WTMO Telemundo Orlando, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

*Talent - Performer/Narrator***Bully**

Laura Chimaras, Alan Sanchez

LUMA Creative Management, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

**Tormenta de Fe**Luis Olavarrieta **Black Hole Enterprises | Trinitus Productions | Al Agua, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL****No Man's Land: Becoming Louisiana**

Bill Rodman

The Bill Rodman Production Shoppe, Baton Rouge, LA

*Talent - Program Host/Moderator/Correspondent***Tom Gregory-Host Driven**

Tom Gregory

YurView / LAE Productions, New Orleans, LA

# 15 INVESTIGATIVE

*Investigative - Single Report***Toxic Trouble**

Heather Crawford, Nick Moron

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

**Under Investigation While Still Behind the Desk**

Jennifer Titus

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

**Golden Age**

Nick Moron, Anne Schindler

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

**Concerns Were Raised to Mosque Years Before Youth Volunteer Was Arrested, Accused of Molesting Boys**

Jenna Bourne, Robert Born, Stephen Adams,

Daisey Charlotte, Carter Schumacher

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

I N M E M O R I A M

Jeanne Eklund

Retired | WPLG

Angela Jacobs

Reporter | WFTV

Jason Jenkins

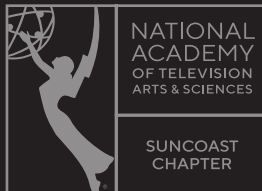
Miami Dolphins

Paul Kaniewski

Retired | WPLG

Paul Lamison

Chief Photojournalist | WFLA



## Discarded Danger

Lee Zurik, Cody Lillich

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## Fake Farms

Evan Dean

WBBH-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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## Danger at the New Airport

Katie Moore, Derek Waldrip

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

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*Investigative - Multiple Reports*

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## Excessive

Lauren Ashley Powell, Jennifer Titus

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Disobedient

Jenna Bourne, Lauren Powell,  
Taylor Zegarra, Dennis Hollingsworth

WTSP-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## La Empresa Detrás del Punto

Alec Rivera Cardec, Felipe Gomez Martinez, Axel Ortiz

WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR

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## The Center for Covid Control

Michael Hudak

WINK-TV, Cape Coral-Ft. Myers-Naples, FL

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## ¿Barril de Influencias?

Arnaldo Rojas, Jose R. Blanco Alvarez, Jonathan Santana

WLII-TV, San Juan, PR

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## Attention to the Details

Lee Zurik, Cody Lillich

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## The Man Behind the Warehouse

Katie Moore, Derek Waldrip

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## The Price We Pay

Tony Pipitone, Anthony James

WTVJ-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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# 1 OVERALL EXCELLENCE

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## WESH 2 Overall Excellence

John Soapes

WESH-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## WDSU 2022 Overall Excellence

Michael Neelly

WDSU-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## Telemundo 51

Jorge Carballo

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## WFLA 8 On Your Side: Fulfilling a Brand Promise

Mark Higgins

WFLA-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL



## Overall Excellence

Joe Sciortino

WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA

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## WWL-TV

Tod Smith

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

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# 2 NEWS EXCELLENCE

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## Telemundo 51

Helga Silva

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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## WESH 2 News

Stephanie Linton

WESH-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## WVUE News Excellence

Kristen Palestina

WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA

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## Noticias Univision Orlando

Gianncarlo Cifuentes

WVEN-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL

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## Eyewitness News

Keith Esparros

WWL-TV, New Orleans, LA

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# 3 COMMUNITY SERVICE

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## WJXT Community Service

Tracy Gaffney

WJXT-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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## After the Crash: Turning Tragedy into Triumph

Tess Rowland

WMBB-TV, Panama City, FL

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## Big Rig Relief Effort

Kiran Chawla

Unfiltered With Kiran, Baton Rouge, LA

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## Are You Checking Your Boobies? – BUDDY CHECK AND THE BUDDY BUS

Jeannie Blaylock

WTLV-TV, Jacksonville, FL

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# 13 CONTINUING COVERAGE

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## Telemundo Responde Statewide Pool Investigation

Myriam Masihi, Valezka Gil-Wester, Carmen Rodriguez, Raúl Diaz, Brenda Brito, Milton Lugo, Leslie Liste, Carlos A Giraldo, Jorge Gaston Toledo, Natalia Fernandez, William Velez

WSCV-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL | WTMO Telemundo Orlando, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL | WRMD Telemundo, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

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## Crisis in Corrections ... Troubles Continue

Adam Walsler, Kylie McGivern, Matt McGlashen,

Melanie Payne, Randy Wright

WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL

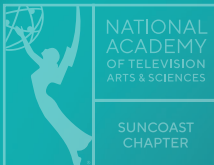


# Congratulations

to all of tonight's  
Nominees and Winners

"Excellence is never an accident; it is the result of high intention, sincere effort, intelligent direction, skillful execution and the vision to see obstacles as opportunities."

- ANONYMOUS



## **The Price of Protection**

Adam Walser, Randy Wright, Melanie Payne **WFTS-TV, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota, FL**

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## **Free Fall Death and Investigation**

Greg Fox, Kelsi Thorud, Amanda Dukes,  
Marlei Martinez, Anika Hope

**WESH-TV, Orlando-Daytona Beach, FL**

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## **Hurricane IDA: Landfall & Aftermath**

Bria Gremillion, Breanne Bizette, Kellie Sanchez, Cali Hubbard, Jasmine Ray,  
Robert Hollins, Derron Daquano, Rick Portier, Byron Thomas, Perry Robinson,  
Scottie Hunter, Austin Kemker, Heather Rogers

**WAFB-TV, Baton Rouge, LA**

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## **Nursing Home Deaths**

Lee Zurik, Cody Lillich

**WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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## **Surfside Collapse: Continuing Coverage**

Tony Pipitone, Ari Odzer, Steve Paine, Anthony James

**WTVJ-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Yo soy Artemis: en Ruta al Lanzamiento**

Ada Monzon, Erika Martinez Lee

**WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR**

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## **The Willows: Uncovering Housing Horrors**

Meg Gatto

**WVUE-TV, New Orleans, LA**

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## **Primer Satélite Boricua al Espacio**

Deborah Martorell, Orville Collazo

**WLII-TV, San Juan, PR**

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# **14 TEAM COVERAGE**

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Michael Rojas, Franklin White, Marisela Burgos, Donovan Robb, Belkys Nerey,  
Andrew Reid, Craig Stevens, Raphael Pires, Jim Bernard, Sylvain Leger,  
Orlando Lopez-Sanchez, Ralph Rayburn

**WSVN-TV, Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, FL**

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## **Bienvenida Jasmine**

Erika Martinez Lee, Julio Rivera Saniel,  
Pedro Martínez Vélez

**WAPA-TV, San Juan, PR**

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## **Surfside: One Week After the Collapse**

Lianna Saldana, Niamath Mohamed, Roxanne Vargas,  
David Henderson, Marissa Bagg, Jackie Nespral

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