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**28th ANNUAL NEWS & DOCUMENTARY EMMY AWARDS
ANNOUNCES WINNERS AT NEW YORK CITY GALA**

**Lifetime Achievement Award Presented to Discovery's Ted Koppel;
FRONTLINE, P.O.V./American Documentary Honored For Excellence**

New York, N. Y. – September 24, 2007 (revised 11.21.07) – The 28th Annual News & Documentary Emmy® Awards were presented by the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences tonight at a black-tie ceremony at the Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers in New York City. One thousand media industry executives, journalists, and producers attended the event which honors outstanding achievement in television journalism by individuals and programs, distributed via broadcast, cable and broadband.

During the ceremony, the Lifetime Achievement Award was given to **Ted Koppel**, longtime ABC anchor and now Managing Editor of the Discovery Channel and Senior News Analyst at NPR. Presenting his honor were **Elie Weisel**, novelist, political activist, Nobel Laureate and Holocaust survivor; **Jon Stewart**, host and Executive Producer, Comedy Central's "The Daily Show with Jon Stewart"; **Rick Kaplan**, Executive Producer of the "CBS Evening News with Katie Couric" and former Sr. Vice President of ABC News, where he oversaw "Nightline" among other news programming; **Grace Anne Koppel**, Ted Koppel's wife and national spokeswoman and patient advocate for the National Institutes of Health, tasked with raising public awareness about Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD); **Tom Bettag**, executive producer of "Koppel on Discovery" and longtime producer of ABC's "Nightline"; and **Leroy Sievers**, former executive producer of ABC's "Nightline" and NPR reporter who has chronicled his battle with cancer.

Two of PBS's flagship documentary series, FRONTLINE and P.O.V./American Documentary, were also honored with a Special Award for Excellence in Television Documentary Filmmaking, presented by **Paula Kerger**, President & CEO, Public Broadcasting Service (PBS). FRONTLINE, which will mark its 25th anniversary in January 2008, was honored for more than 24 years of outstanding long-form public affairs documentaries. Accepting the award for FRONTLINE was Executive Producer David Fanning. P.O.V./American Documentary, which is in its 20th season on PBS this year, was commended for its two decades as a showcase for outstanding independent documentary films. Accepting the award for P.O.V./American Documentary were Executive Director Simon Kilmurry and Vice President Cynthia Lopez.

The evening featured an impressive line-up of prominent newsmakers and industry executives, including **Tim Russert**, Senior Vice President and Washington Bureau Chief, NBC News and Moderator of NBC's "Meet the Press"; **Katie Couric**, anchor of the "CBS Evening News with Katie Couric"; **Dan Rather**, host of HDNet's news program, "Dan Rather Reports"; **Bob Woodruff**, ABC News Anchor; **Sheila Nevins**, President, HBO Documentary Films; **Soledad O'Brien**, CNN Anchor and Special Correspondent for CNN: Special Investigations Unit; and **Pedro Sevcec**, anchor and managing editor of "Noticiero Telemundo," who presented the awards to a distinguished group of broadcast journalists.

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OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF A BREAKING NEWS STORY IN A REGULARLY SCHEDULED NEWSCAST

NBC Nightly News with Brian Williams
Crisis in the Middle East - July 18, 2006

NBC

Executive Producer

John Reiss

Senior Broadcast Producer

Bob Epstein

Senior Producers

Edward Deitch, Rich Latour

Producers

Adam Ciralsky, Subrata De, Clare Duffy, Patrice Fletcher, Mario Garcia, Madeleine Haeringer, Jean Harper, Mark Hudspeth, Kiko Itasaka, Lawahez Jabari, Carla Marcus, Kevin Monahan, Adrienne Mong, Donna Bass, Stephen Weeke

Correspondents

Richard Engel, Martin Fletcher, Dawn Fratangelo, David Gregory, Kevin Tibbles

Anchor and Managing Editor

Brian Williams

OUTSTANDING CONTINUING COVERAGE OF A NEWS STORY IN A REGULARLY SCHEDULED NEWSCAST

CBS Evening News
Ramadi: On the Front Line

CBS

Executive Producer

Rome Hartman

Senior Producer

Bill Owens

Producers

Max McClellan, Jeff Newton, Tom McEneny

Correspondent

Lara Logan

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OUTSTANDING FEATURE STORY IN A REGULARLY SCHEDULED NEWSCAST

TODAY

Portrait of Compassion

NBC

Reporter

Boyd Huppert

Producer

Tom Lindner

Photojournalist

John Drilling

OUTSTANDING INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM IN A REGULARLY SCHEDULED
NEWSCAST

ABC World News and Nightline

Brian Ross Investigates - Conduct Unbecoming

ABC

Executive Producers

Jon Banner, James Goldston

Senior Investigative Producer

Rhonda Schwartz

Producers

Rich Esposito, Roy Garlisi, Madeleine Sauer, David Scott, Simon Surowicz, Len Tepper, Vic Walter

Field Producers

Avni Patel, Asa Eslocker, Roxanna Sherwood

Chief Investigative Correspondent

Brian Ross

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OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF A BREAKING NEWS STORY IN A NEWS
MAGAZINE

CBS News 60 Minutes

Pattie Dunn

CBS

Executive Producer

Jeff Fager

Executive Editor

Patti Hassler

Senior Broadcast Producer

Michael RWhitney

Producer

Richard Bonin

Correspondent

Lesley Stahl

OUTSTANDING CONTINUING COVERAGE OF A NEWS STORY IN A NEWS
MAGAZINE

CBS News 60 Minutes

Searching for Jacob

CBS

Executive Producer

Jeff Fager

Executive Editor

Patti Hassler

Senior Broadcast Producer

Michael R Whitney

Producer

Shawn Efran

Correspondent

Scott Pelley

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OUTSTANDING FEATURE STORY IN A NEWS MAGAZINE

AIR: America's Investigative Reports

Blame Somebody Else

PBS

Executive Producer

Tom Casciato

Senior Producer

Scott Davis

Producer

Jon Shenk

Co-Producer

Peter Nicks

Executive in Charge

Stephen Segaller

OUTSTANDING INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM IN A NEWS MAGAZINE

FRONTLINE/World

Iraq: Saddam's Road to Hell

PBS

Executive Producers

David Fanning, Sadie Wykeham

Producer/Co-Director

Gwynne Roberts

Co-Director

John Williams

Series Executive Director

Sharon Tiller

Senior Producer

Stephen Talbot

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OUTSTANDING LIVE COVERAGE OF A BREAKING NEWS STORY – LONG FORM

CNN

Election Night

CNN

Anchors

Wolf Blitzer, Anderson Cooper, Lou Dobbs, Paula Zahn

Reporters

Jeff Greenfield, John King, Candy Crowley, Bill Schneider

Senior Executive Producer

David Bohrman

Executive Producers

Sam Feist, Jane Maxwell

Senior Producers

Paul Steinhauser, Eric Sherling, Melissa Block, Alec Miran, Kate Lunger, Leslie Perrot,
Anne Brown

Producers

Christian Hudson, Janelle Rodriguez, Jennifer Buesinger, Vaughn Sterling, Jeff Kepnes, Shirley
Zilberstein, Robert Yoon, Bob Kovach, Alex Wellen, David Fitzpatrick, Keating Holland, Mark Preston,
Sasha Johnson, Bob Ruff, Steve Dolce

Directors

Renee Cullen, Howard Lutt, Turner Bridgforth

OUTSTANDING CONTINUING COVERAGE OF A NEWS STORY – LONG FORM

Global Warming: What You Need to Know with Tom Brokaw

Discovery Channel

Executive Producers

Sacha Baveystock, Paul Gasek, Carol Williams

Senior Producer

Colleen Halpin

Producers

Kathy Abbott, Jeremy Bristow, Izhar Harpaz, Tim Sandler

Director

Nicolas Brown

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OUTSTANDING INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM – LONG FORM

FRONTLINE

Sex Slaves

PBS

Executive Producers

David Fanning, Brian Woods

Senior Producer

Ken Dornstein

Producers

Felix Golubev, Simcha Jacobovici

Producer and Director

Ric Esther Bienstock

OUTSTANDING INFORMATIONAL PROGRAMMING – LONG FORM

Koppel

Iran--The Most Dangerous Nation

Discovery Channel

Executive Producer

Tom Bettag

CEO/Producer

Billy Campbell

Producers

James Blue, Jay LaMonica, Imtiyaz Delawala, Guy Federico, Bob Fahringer, Peter Demchuk, Elissa Rubin

Field Producer

Borna Alikhani

Anchor and Managing Editor

Ted Koppel

OUTSTANDING HISTORICAL PROGRAMMING – LONG FORM

FRONTLINE

The Lost Year in Iraq

PBS

Producer/Reporter

Jim Gilmore

Producer/Director

Michael Kirk

Field Producer

Mike Wisner

Executive Producer

David Fanning

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OUTSTANDING INTERVIEW

CBS News 60 Minutes
President Ahmadinejad

CBS

Executive Producer
Jeff Fager

Executive Editor
Patti Hassler

Senior Broadcast Producer
Michael R Whitney

Producer
Robert Anderson

Co-Producer
Casey Morgan

Correspondent
Mike Wallace

OUTSTANDING ARTS & CULTURE PROGRAMMING

VH1 Rock Docs
DMC: My Adoption Journey

VH1

Executive Producers
Brad Abramson, Michael Hirschorn, Shelly Tatro

Supervising Producer
Warren Cohen

Producer/Director
Richard Sasson

Producer
Pierre Takal

OUTSTANDING SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND NATURE PROGRAMMING

Eye of the Leopard

National Geographic

Executive Producers
Beverly Joubert, Derek Joubert, Jenny Apostol, John Bowman

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BEST STORY IN A REGULARLY SCHEDULED NEWSCAST

NBC Nightly News with Brian Williams
Crisis in Darfur

NBC

Executive Producer

John Reiss

Senior Broadcast Producer

Bob Epstein

Senior Foreign Producer

Mary Laurence Flynn

Producers

Marisa Buchanan, Rebecca Haggerty, Antoine Sanfuentes, Mike Simon

Correspondent

Ann Curry

BEST REPORT IN A NEWS MAGAZINE

CBS News 60 Minutes
The Duke Rape Case

CBS

Executive Producer

Jeff Fager

Executive Editor

Patti Hassler

Senior Broadcast Producer

Michael R Whitney

Senior Producer

Michael Radutzky

Producer

Tanya Simon

Correspondent

Ed Bradley

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BEST DOCUMENTARY

Cinemax Reel Life

God Sleeps in Rwanda

Cinemax

Executive Producer

Sheila Nevins

Supervising Producer

Lisa Heller

Producer/Directors

Kimberlee Acquaro, Stacy Sherman

AND

Shake Hands with the Devil: The Journey of Romeo Dallaire

Documentary Channel

Executive Producers

Jimmy Holcomb, Tom Neff

Director/Producer

Peter Raymont

Producer

Lindalee Tracey

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OUTSTANDING CURRENT NEWS COVERAGE FOR BROADBAND

Freep.com/Detroit Free Press

Michigan Marines: Band of Brothers

freep.com

Executive Producer

Nancy Andrews

Producers/Principal Videographers

David P. Gilkey, Stephen McGee

Principal Reporters

David P Gilkey; Stephen McGee; Joe Swickard; John Masson

Director of Photography & Video

Craig Porter

Deputy Director of Photography & Video

Kathy Kieliszewski

Videographer

Brian Kaufman

Photographer/Reporter

Kathleen Galligan

OUTSTANDING DOCUMENTARY/NONFICTION PROGRAMMING
FOR BROADBAND

Kingsley's Crossing

mediastorm.org

Photographer/Videographer

Olivier Jobard

Producers

Eric Maieron, Robert Browman

Executive Producer

Brian Storm

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OUTSTANDING ARTS, LIFESTYLE & CULTURE PROGRAMMING FOR BROADBAND

FRONTLINE/World Rough Cut

Libya: Out of The Shadow

pbs.org/frontlineworld

Senior Producers

Stephen Talbot, Sharon Tiller, Ken Dornstein

Producer

John MacGibbon

Reporter/Producer

Marco Werman

Senior Interactive Producer

Jackie Bennion

OUTSTANDING REGIONAL NEWS COVERAGE FOR BROADBAND

San Francisco Chronicle Video Reports

Prisoners Guide Teens on Tour of San Quentin

sfgate.com

Producer/Camera/Editing

James Irwin

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: WRITING

American Experience

Eugene O'Neill

PBS

Writers

Ric Burns, Arthur Gelb, Barbara Gelb

AND

NOVA

The Mummy Who Would Be King

PBS

Writer

Gail Willumsen

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OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: RESEARCH

NATURE

Chimpanzees: An Unnatural History

PBS

Researchers

Allison Argo, CiCi Clark

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT:
CINEMATOGRAPHY

Discovery Atlas

China Revealed

Discovery Channel

Cinematographer

Lee Pulbrook

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: EDITING

Vietnam Nurses with Dana Delany

WE tv

Editor

Dan Meadows

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: GRAPHIC
AND ARTISTIC DESIGN

The Moon and the Son: An Imagined Conversation

Cinemax

Animator

John Canemaker

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OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: MUSIC AND SOUND

NATURE

Christmas in Yellowstone

PBS

Music

Lenny Williams

Sound Editor

Brian Beatrice

Re-recording Mixer

Ed Campbell

Location Sounds

Dave Ruddick, Brian Whitlock

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: LIGHTING
DIRECTION AND SCENIC DESIGN

American Experience

John & Abigail Adams

PBS

Production Designer

Katha Seidman

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OUTSTANDING REGIONAL NEWS STORY – SPOT NEWS

KFOR Live Breaking News Coverage (Oklahoma City, OK)

El Reno Tornadoes

KFOR - TV

Reporter

Jim Gardner

Photojournalists

Dan Anderson, Kevin Josefy, Tim Money

Meteorologists

Mike Morgan, David Payne

OUTSTANDING REGIONAL NEWS STORY – INVESTIGATIVE
REPORTING

WTVF News (Nashville, TN)

The Ticket Fix

WTVF - TV

Investigative Reporter

Phil Williams

Producer & Photojournalist

Bryan Staples

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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM

PBS (9)

American Experience (2)

Eugene O'Neill

..... 1

John & Abigail Adams

..... 1

FRONTLINE (2)

Sex Slaves

..... 1

The Lost Year in Iraq

..... 1

NATURE (2)

Chimpanzees: An Unnatural History

..... 1

Christmas in Yellowstone

..... 1

AIR: America's Investigative Reports (1)

Blame Somebody

Else..... 1

FRONTLINE/World (1)

Iraq: Saddam's Road to

Hell..... 1

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NOVA (1)

The Mummy Who Would Be King

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1

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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM (cont'd)

CBS (5)

CBS NEWS 60 MINUTES (4)

Pattie Dunn	1
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President Ahmadinejad	1
.....	
Searching for Jacob	1
.....	
The Duke Rape Case	1
.....	

CBS Evening News (1)

Ramadi: On the Front Line	1
.....	

Discovery Channel (3)

Discovery Atlas (1)

China Revealed	1
.....	

Global Warming: What You Need to Know with Tom Brokaw (1)

Koppel (1)

Iran: The Most Dangerous Nation	1
.....	

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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM (cont'd)

NBC (3)

NBC NIGHTLY NEWS WITH BRIAN WILLIAMS (2)

Crisis in Darfur	1
Crisis in the Middle East - July 18, 2006.....	1

TODAY (1)

Portrait of Compassion	1
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ABC (1)

ABC World News and Nightline (1)

Brian Ross Investigates - Conduct Unbecoming	1
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HBO/CINEMAX (2)

CINEMAX REEL LIFE (1)

God Sleeps in Rwanda	1
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The Moon and the Son: An Imagined Conversation (1)

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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM (cont'd)

CNN (1)

CNN (1)

Election Night
.....

1

Documentary Channel (1)

Shake Hands with the Devil: The Journey of Romeo Dallaire (1)

freep.com/Detroit Free Press (1)

freep.com (1)

Michigan Marines: Band of Brothers
.....

1

mediastorm.org (1)

Kingsley's Crossing (1)

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC (1)

Eye of the Leopard (1)

pbs.org/World rough Cut (1)

FRONTLINE/World Rough Cut (1)

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Libya: Out of the Shadow

1

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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM (cont'd)

sfgate.com (1)

San Francisco Chronicle Video Reports (1)

Prisoners Guide Teens on Tour of San Quentin
..... 1

VH1 (1)

VH1 Rock Docs (1)

DMC: My Adoption Journey
..... 1

WE tv (1)

Vietnam Nurses with Dana Delany (1)

REGIONAL REPORTING

KFOR-TV (Oklahoma City, OK) (1)

KFOR 10 PM Newscast (1)

Oklahoma City/El Reno Tornado
..... 1

WTVF News (1)

The Ticket Fix (1)

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