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27th ANNUAL NEWS & DOCUMENTARY EMMY AWARDS**

**Lifetime Achievement Award Presented to PBS's Bill Moyers
World Press Freedom Fighters Honored**

New York, N. Y. – September 25, 2006 – The 27th Annual News & Documentary Emmy® Awards were presented by the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences tonight at a black-tie ceremony at the Marriott Marquis hotel in New York. During the ceremony, the Lifetime Achievement Award was given to PBS journalist **Bill Moyers**. Moyers was honored for his contributions as a television journalist and documentarian over more than three decades. Presenters of the Lifetime Achievement Award included his wife and business partner **Judith Davidson Moyers**, legendary newsman **Walter Cronkite**, past Chairman/CEO of CNN News Group **Tom Johnson**, and PBS President/CEO **Paula Kerger**.

Also at this ceremony, three press organizations --New York-based **Committee to Protect Journalists**, **The International Press Institute** (Vienna) and **Reporters Without Borders** (*Reporters sans Frontieres*), headquartered in Paris – were honored for their work in the defense of freedom of the press worldwide. Accepting these awards were **Terry Anderson**, honorary chairman, Committee to Protect Journalists, and former Associated Press Beirut bureau chief, who was held hostage for nearly seven years in Lebanon; **Johann Fritz**, Director, International Press Institute; **Robert Menard**, Secretary General, Reporters Without Borders.

The 27th Annual News & Documentary Awards will be telecast on C-Span at a later date to be announced. In addition, selected winners will be featured on the jumbo screens on NASDAQ Tower in New York's Times Square. All the nominees for the first Broadband Emmy for News & Documentary can now be seen, in their entirety, on the New York Times website, www.nytimes.com/newsemmys.

Sponsors for the 27th Annual News & Documentary Emmy Awards include Grass Valley, a Thomson brand, and *Television Week*, the print partner. Results for the News & Documentary Emmy Awards are tabulated by the independent accountancy firm of Lutz & Carr LLP.

The evening featured an impressive line-up of prominent newsmakers and industry executives, including CBS "60 Minutes" correspondent **Ed Bradley**, CNN anchor **Anderson Cooper** ("Anderson Cooper 360"), "ABC World News" anchor **Charlie Gibson**, "Noticiero Univision" news anchor **Maria Elena Salinas** and "NBC Nightly News" anchor and managing editor **Brian Williams** who presented the awards to a distinguished group of broadcast journalists.

Two Emmy Awards were presented to international news organizations in the categories of Breaking News & Continuing Coverage by the International Academy of Television Arts & Sciences. International Emmy Awards are tabulated by the international accounting firm Ernst & Young.

Also this year, the first Emmy Award for News & Documentary programming distributed via non-traditional platforms, including the Internet, cellphones, portable media players and other devices, was presented. The 27th Annual News & Documentary Emmy Awards recognize outstanding achievement in television journalism by individuals and programs broadcast in the 2005 calendar year. The finalists were chosen by blue ribbon panels composed of broadcast industry professionals.

The numerical breakdown by award recipients, by broadcast and cable entities, as compiled by the independent accountancy firm of Lutz & Carr LLP, follows:

CBS	5	CNN	2
PBS	5	NBC	2
History Channel	4	Cinemax	1
ABC	3	Discovery Channel	1
National Geographic Channel	3	washingtonpost.com	1

Regional Reporting Finalists

WBAL-TV	1
WBBM-TV	1

A complete list of the 27th Annual News & Documentary Emmy Award recipients is available on the Academy's web site at www.emmyonline.tv.

The National Television Academy is a professional service organization dedicated to the advancement of the arts and sciences of television and the promotion of creative leadership for artistic, educational and technical achievements within the television industry. It recognizes excellence in television with the coveted Emmy Award for News & Documentary, Sports, Daytime, Creative Arts, Public & Community Service, Technology & Engineering/Advanced Media and Business & Financial Reporting. Excellence in Primetime programming and international programming is recognized by its affiliate, the Academy of Television Arts & Sciences. Regional Emmys are given in 19 regions across the United States. Beyond awards, the National Television Academy has extensive educational programs including National Student Television and its Student Award for Excellence for outstanding journalistic work by high school students, as well as scholarships, publications, and major activities for both industry professionals and the viewing public. For more information, please visit the website at www.emmyonline.tv.

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

NBC Nightly News with Brian Williams

Hurricane Katrina: Moment of Crisis (September 1, 2005)

NBC

Executive Producer

John Reiss

Senior Producers

Heather Allen, Patrick Burkey, Mary Laurence Flynn, Sharon Hoffman, Rich Latour, Frieda Morris

Producers

Doug Adams, Anne Binford Allen, Donna Bass, Teresa Crawford, Clare Duffy, Carol Eggers, Roxanne Garcia, Andrew Gross, Sylvie Haller, Izhar Harpaz, Jean Harper, Al Henkel, Mark Hudspeth, Mike Kosnar, Joo Lee, Donna Nelson, Bita Nikravesh, Larry Register, Christopher Scholl, Carl Sears, Joel Seidman, Doug Stoddart, Bethany Thomas, Kelly Venardos, John Zito

Correspondents

Mike Boettcher, Campbell Brown, Jim Cummins, Bob Faw, Carl Quintanilla, Tony Zumbado, Kerry Sanders, Martin Savidge, Don Teague, Anne Thompson, Pete Williams

Anchor and Managing Editor

Brian Williams

Director

Brett Holey

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

ABC World News Tonight with Peter Jennings

Iraq: Where Things Stand 3

ABC

Executive Producer

Jon Banner

Senior Producers

Kate Felsen, Tom Nagorski, David Reiter, Stu Schutzman

Producers

Clark Bentson, Bob Haberl Ray Homer, Vinnie Malhotra, Bruno Roeber

Director

Eric Siegel

Anchor and Senior Editor

Peter Jennings

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OUTSTANDING FEATURE STORY IN A REGULARLY SCHEDULED NEWSCAST

Anderson Cooper 360
Charity Hospital

CNN

Senior Executive Producer

David Doss

Executive Producers

Sid Bedingfield, Kathleen Friery

Senior Broadcast Producer

Charlie Moore

Managing Editor

Bud Bultman

Executive Director of Production

Jody Gottlieb

Post-Production Producer

Matt Scheibner

Producers

Robert Howell, Heather O'Neill, Chris Gajilan, Dave Timko

Correspondent

Dr. Sanjay Gupta

OUTSTANDING INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM IN A REGULARLY SCHEDULED NEWSCAST

ABC World News Tonight
Money Trail Series

ABC

Executive Producer

Jon Banner

Senior Investigative Producer

Rhonda Schwartz

Senior Producer

Stu Schutzman

Producers

Jill Rackmill, David W Scott, Vic Walter

Field Producers

Madeleine Sauer, Simon Surowicz

Director

Eric Siegel

Correspondent

Brian Ross

Anchor and Senior Editor

Peter Jennings

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OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF A BREAKING NEWS STORY IN A NEWS MAGAZINE

CBS News 60 Minutes

Aftershock

CBS

Executive Producer

Jeff Fager

Senior Broadcast Producer

Michael R Whitney

Executive Editor

Patti Hassler

Producers

Michael Gavshon, Solly Granatstein

Correspondent

Bob Simon

OUTSTANDING CONTINUING COVERAGE OF A NEWS STORY IN A NEWS MAGAZINE

CBS News 48 Hours

Hostage

CBS

Executive Producer

Susan Zirinsky

Senior Producer

Peter Schweitzer

Producers

Joe Halderman, Jonathan Sanders

Correspondent

Peter Van Sant

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OUTSTANDING FEATURE STORY IN A NEWS MAGAZINE

CBS News 60 Minutes

The Sea Gypsies

CBS

Executive Producer

Jeff Fager

Senior Broadcast Producer

Michael R Whitney

Executive Editor

Patti Hassler

Producers

Michael Gavshon, Solly Granatstein

Correspondent

Bob Simon

OUTSTANDING INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM IN A NEWS MAGAZINE

CBS News 60 Minutes

Rendition

CBS

Executive Producers

Jeff Fager, Patti Hassler

Senior Broadcast Producer

Michael R Whitney

Producer

Graham Messick

Correspondent

Scott Pelley

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OUTSTANDING LIVE COVERAGE OF A BREAKING NEWS STORY – LONG FORM

Anderson Cooper 360

Starving in Plain Sight

CNN

Senior Executive Producer

David Doss

Executive Producer

Kathleen Friery

Senior Broadcast Producer

Charlie Moore

Correspondents

Anderson Cooper, Jeff Koinange

OUTSTANDING CONTINUING COVERAGE OF A NEWS STORY – LONG FORM

FRONTLINE (a co-production with RAINmedia)

The Storm

PBS

Executive Producer

David Fanning

Producers

Marcela Gaviria, Martin Smith

Co-Producer

Christopher Durrance

OUTSTANDING INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM – LONG FORM

FRONTLINE (a co-production with Kirk Documentary Group, Ltd.)

The Torture Question

PBS

Executive Producer

David Fanning

Producer and Director

Michael Kirk

Co-Producer and Reporter

Jim Gilmore

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OUTSTANDING INFORMATIONAL PROGRAMMING – LONG FORM

Rx for Survival: A Global Health Challenge

PBS

Executives in Charge, Vulcan Productions

Paul G. Allen, Jody Patton

Executive in Charge, WGBH/NOVA Science Unit

Paula S. Apsell

Executive Producer, Vulcan Productions

Richard Hutton

Series Executive Producer

Larry Klein

Senior Producer

Lisa Mirowitz

Producers

Tabitha Jackson, Jill Shinefield, Andy Young

Producer and Directors

Mike Beckham, Sarah Holt, Rob Whittlesey, Gail Willumsen

Director

Richard Dale

OUTSTANDING HISTORICAL PROGRAMMING – LONG FORM

Slavery and the Making of America

Seeds of Destruction

PBS

Executive Producer

William Grant

Series Producer

Dante James

Producer and Director

Chana Gazit

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OUTSTANDING INTERVIEW

CBS News 60 Minutes

First Man

CBS

Executive Producer

Jeff Fager

Senior Producers

Michael Radutzky, Michael R Whitney

Executive Editor

Patti Hassler

Producer

Mitch Weitzner

Co-Producer

Kara MacMahon

Correspondent

Ed Bradley

OUTSTANDING CULTURAL AND ARTISTIC PROGRAMMING

Independent Lens

A Lion's Trail

PBS

Executive Producer for ITVS

Sally Jo Fifer

Producers

Dan Jawitz, Mark J Kaplan

Producer and Director

Francois Verster

OUTSTANDING SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND NATURE PROGRAMMING

National Geographic Special

Predators at War

National Geographic Channel

Executive Producers

John Bredar, Michael Rosenfeld, Keenan Smart

Senior Producers

Eleanor Grant, Kathryn Pasternak

Supervising Producer

Chris Sondreal

Producers

Jeff Morales, Kim Wolhuter

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BEST STORY IN A REGULARLY SCHEDULED NEWSCAST

ABC World News Tonight with Peter Jennings

Iraq: Where Things Stand 3

ABC

Executive Producer

Jon Banner

Senior Producers

Kate Felsen, Tom Nagorski, David Reiter, Stu Schutzman

Producers

Clark Bentson, Bob Haberl, Ray Homer, Vinnie Malhotra, Bruno Roeber

Director

Eric Siegel

Anchor and Senior Editor

Peter Jennings

BEST REPORT IN A NEWS MAGAZINE

Dateline NBC

Children of War

NBC

Executive Producer

David Corvo

Senior Investigative Producer

Allan Maraynes

Executive Editor

Marc Rosenwasser

Producer

Tim Sandler

Correspondent

Keith Morrison

BEST DOCUMENTARY

Cinemax Reel Life

Born into Brothels

Cinemax

Executive Producer

Geralyn White Dreyfous

Co-Executive Producer

Pamela Tanner Boll

Producer and Directors

Zana Briski, Ross Kauffman

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OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN CONTENT FOR NON-TRADITIONAL DELIVERY PLATFORMS

washingtonpost.com

Hurricane Katrina Coverage in New Orleans

washingtonpost.com

Senior Videojournalist

Travis Fox

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: WRITING

Ape to Man

History Channel

Writer

Nic Young

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: RESEARCH

Save Our History: Voices of Civil Rights

History Channel

Researchers

Annie Herringer, Shelley Friedman, Laura Rabhan

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: CINEMATOGRAPHY

Mississippi: Tales from the Last River Rat

Discovery Channel

Cinematographers

Neil Rettig, Colin Stafford-Johnson

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OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: EDITING

Beyond the Moon: Failure is not an Option II

History Channel

Editor

Tony Bacon

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: GRAPHIC AND ARTISTIC DESIGN

National Geographic Special

Predators at War

National Geographic Channel

Art Director/Animation Director

Ricardo Andrade

Visual Effects Directors

Laurie Hunter, Elisa Sauleda

Visual Effects Producer

Bernice Kenton-Briggs

Visual Effects Artist

Nick Jernigan

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN A CRAFT: MUSIC AND SOUND

National Geographic EXPLORER

Deadly Love

National Geographic Channel

Composers

Chris Biondo, Lenny Williams

Sound Editor

Jim Sheehy

Sound Recordist

Carlos de Hita

Sound Mixer

Dave Hurley

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

The Crusades: Crescent and the Cross

History Channel

Director of Photography

Jeff Baynes

OUTSTANDING REGIONAL NEWS STORY – SPOT NEWS

WBBM CBS 2 Chicago 10PM News

Farewell to the Pope

WBBM - TV

Executive Producers

Ann Isaac, Todd Woolman

Producers

Sue Brown-Williams, Steffanie Dupree, Shelly Howell, Marda Le Beau, Tansy Soltysiak

Reporters

Derrick Blakley, Mary Ann Childers, Mike Flannery, Suzanne Le Mignot, Jay Levine, Joanie Lum

Editors

Mike Klingele, Jerry Molnar, John Petrosky, Damon Ranger

Assignment Editor

Yianis Fournelis

Videographers

Nathan Delack, Dave Fox, Tom Kennedy

OUTSTANDING REGIONAL NEWS STORY – INVESTIGATIVE REPORTING

WBAL - TV News

Dirty Secret

WBAL - TV

Producer and Videographer

Beau Kershaw

Reporter

John Sherman

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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM

CBS (5)

CBS NEWS 60 MINUTES (4)

Aftershock	1
First Man	1
Rendition	1
The Sea Gypsies	1

CBS NEWS 48 HOURS (1)

Hostage	1
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PBS (5)

FRONTLINE (2)

The Storm	1
The Torture Question	1

INDEPENDENT LENS (1)

A Lion's Trail	1
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RX FOR SURVIVAL: A GLOBAL HEALTH CHALLENGE (1)

SLAVERY AND THE MAKING OF AMERICA (1)

Seeds of Destruction	1
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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM (cont'd)

HISTORY CHANNEL (4)

APE TO MAN (1)

BEYOND THE MOON: FAILURE IS NOT AN OPTION II (1)

THE CRUSADES: CRESCENT AND THE CROSS (1)

SAVE OUR HISTORY: VOICES OF CIVIL RIGHTS (1)

ABC (3)

ABC WORLD NEWS TONIGHT WITH PETER JENNINGS (2)

Iraq: Where Things Stand 3 2

ABC WORLD NEWS TONIGHT (1)

Money Trail Series 1

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC CHANNEL (3)

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SPECIAL (2)

Predators at War 2

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC EXPLORER (1)

Deadly Love 1

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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM (cont'd)

CNN (2)

ANDERSON COOPER 360 (2)

Charity Hospital	1
Starving in Plain Sight	1

NBC (2)

DATELINE NBC (1)

Children of War	1
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NBC NIGHTLY NEWS WITH BRIAN WILLIAMS (1)

Hurricane Katrina: Moments of Crisis	1
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CINEMAX (1)

CINEMAX REEL LIFE (1)

Born into Brothels	1
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DISCOVERY CHANNEL (1)

MISSISSIPPI: TALES FROM THE LAST RIVER RAT (1)

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BREAKDOWN BY PROGRAM (cont'd)

WASHINGTONPOST.COM (1)

HURRICANE KATRINA COVERAGE IN NEW ORLEANS (1)

REGIONAL REPORTING

WBAL-TV (1)

WBAL-TV NEWS (1)

Dirty Secrets 1

WBBM-TV (1)

WBBM CBS 2 CHICAGO NEWS 10PM NEWS (1)

Farewell to the Pope 1