

THE AIBs 2024

THE SHORTLIST



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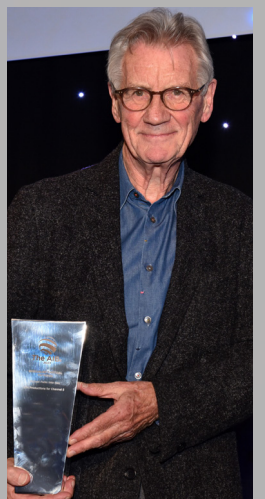


The Rti delegation to the AIBs 2023 gala events in London

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THE AIBs 2024 THE CELEBRATIONS



Join us in central London on **22 November 2024** when the winners of the 20th annual *AIBs* will be announced during our traditional gala evening. The *AIBs* gala this year takes place at IET London: Savoy Place overlooking the River Thames for what we are sure will be a very special evening, including the unveiling of our stunning new award trophy – a true collector’s item.

The annual *AIBs* gala dinner is a **remarkable gathering** of **journalists, editors, producers, directors and executives** from broadcasters and production companies from all over the world. In 2023, guests from 16 countries across four continents joined the event, demonstrating the truly global nature of the annual *AIBs*. The gala evening is a great place to renew contacts and to establish new links with colleagues from around the world, to share ideas and debate the worlds of journalism and factual programme production. We know that conversations at the *AIBs* have led to new collaboration between producers, helping to create new alliances and co-productions. Don’t miss out on this truly international opportunity in a collaborative, relaxed, and fun environment.

Full information on tickets is available online at www.theaibs.tv - you can also use the QR code below to go straight to the booking page.

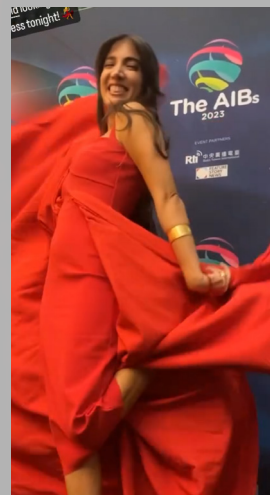
All tickets include the champagne reception, followed by a three-course dinner accompanied by fine wines (or non-alcoholic drinks), plus post-dinner networking and celebrations. Guests from AIB Member companies enjoy reduced price tickets.

For guests travelling from abroad, the AIB can help to arrange meetings with key people in UK media companies. Let us know well in advance who you are interested in meeting, and we will get to work on your behalf. It’s just one aspect of the work that the Association for International Broadcasting undertakes on behalf of our industry!

Join us on 22 November to celebrate the work of teams and colleagues from around the world at the 20th annual *AIBs*.



To reserve your seats at the *AIBs* 2024, scan the QR code or visit www.theaibs.tv



COMPANIES IN THE 2024 SHORTLIST



3Cat TV3 | Spain
5 News | UK
ABC | Australia
Al Jazeera Digital | Qatar
Al Jazeera English | Qatar
Antena 3 CNN | Romania
Artemis Media | Australia
Asharq | UAE
Atticus Film | UK
Audible | Australia
Banyak Films | Qatar
BBC | UK
BBC 100 Women | UK
BBC Africa Eye | UK
BBC Audio Wales | UK
BBC Longform Audio | UK
BBC News | UK
BBC Northern Ireland | UK
BBC Radio 4 | UK
BBC World Service | UK
BFBS | UK
Bloomberg | UK
Blue Chalk Media | USA
Boffin Media | UK
Brinkworth Productions | UK
C60Media Ltd | UK
Candour Productions | UK
CBC Podcasts | Canada
CBC/Radio-Canada | Canada
Channel 4 | UK

Channel 5 | UK
CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd |
Singapore
CNN Worldwide | USA
Contemporary Music Centre |
Ireland
CTVC | UK
Danmarks Radio | Denmark
De Mensen | Belgium
Découpages | France
Deutsche Welle | Germany
Earth Horizon Productions | Ireland
Emporium Productions | UK
Financial Times | UK
Flicker Productions | UK
GMA Network, Inc. | Philippines
Grey Heron Media | Ireland
Instinct Productions | UK
ITN | UK
ITN Productions | UK
ITV News | UK
Joris Lechêne, Independent | UK
Kansai TV | Japan
Keyi Productions | France
Loftus Media | UK
MBC | South Korea
National Film and Sound
Archive Australia | Australia
October Films | UK
On Our Radar | UK

Phoenix Satellite Television | China
Quicksilver Media | UK
Radio Farda | Czech Republic
RNZ | New Zealand
Rti | Taiwan
Radio Workshop | South Africa
Radio-Canada OHdio | Canada
RAI | Italy
REVEAL/The Center for
Investigative Reporting & PRX | USA
RFE/RL Belarus Service |
Czech Republic
RFE/RL Ukrainian Service |
Czech Republic
Rudaw Media Network/
Kurdistan Region | Iraq
SBS | Australia
Studio 9 Films | Qatar
Sveriges Radio | Sweden
Tempo & Talker | UK
The National | UAE
The Times & Sunday Times | UK
TRT World | Türkiye
TV Record | Brazil
Voice of America | USA
VRT | Belgium
Whalebone Films with the
Pulitzer Center | Qatar
Wild Mind Films | Qatar
Woodcut Media | UK

CONGRATULATIONS!

The Association for International Broadcasting is delighted to reveal the shortlist for the AIBs 2024 - our 20th annual competition.

The *AIBs* recognise the highest standards in journalism and factual productions across TV, radio and digital platforms. Gaining a place on the shortlist is a significant achievement since the standard of entries across all our categories in 2024 has been, as ever, extraordinarily high. We received the highest number of entries in the history of the competition, with over 400 hours of work submitted.

Everyone at the AIB Secretariat extends their congratulations to all the people involved in the shortlisted submissions, whether an individual or part of the over 80 companies, or divisions of companies, from 16 countries across four continents, whose work is represented and has reached audiences locally, regionally, nationally or internationally.

It's an impressive range of work, and our global panel of judges are now tasked with evaluating the hundreds of hours of finalists' work to decide on the winner in each of the 24 categories.

The winners will be revealed at our traditional gala dinner on **22 November 2024** - a slightly later date than usual to avoid clashing with the US Presidential Election earlier in the month.

We are also in a different venue this year. We are returning to **IET London: Savoy Place** in central London for our 20th annual awards event, in the Riverside Room where we held our third awards events, back in 2006. And to mark the 20th anniversary, we will be introducing a new award trophy, specially commissioned by the AIB. There's a hint on the front cover of this shortlist but you will have to wait until 22 November to see the exciting new award.

The annual awards gala is an event you do not want to miss - so pop the date in your diary and reserve your tables or seats online at www.theaibs.tv.

We wish all our shortlisted entrants the very best of luck and look forward to meeting you in London in November!

More information about the *AIBs* 2024 - and the past 19 editions of these global awards - is available online at www.theaibs.tv

AUDIO

ARTS and CULTURE

House of Skulls - Audible

Hollywood Exiles - CBC Podcasts, BBC World Service, BBC Audio Wales

The Return - C60Media Ltd for BBC World Service

This is Living - Grey Heron Media

Who Listens to the Radio? - National Film and Sound Archive of Australia (NFSA)

The Monk and the Gun: Modernisation and Democracy in Bhutan - Rti Radio Taiwan International

EMERGING TALENT

Caleb Fotheringham - RNZ

Sosefina Fuamoli - ABC Radio Australia, Australian Broadcasting Corporation

Hannah Gelbart - BBC World Service

Meera Kumar - Freelance

Yu Mei Huang - Rti

Hsiu Min Huang - Rti

Yuan Jhen Lee - Rti

HEALTH and SOCIAL

Near Death: Warrior on Fire - BFBS Creative

Inside an Autistic Mind - Boffin Media for BBC World Service

Bacteria: The Tiny Giants - Loftus Media

Gordafarid - Radio Farda

Fais un homme de toi: thérapies de conversion - Radio Canada OHdio

America Goes Psychedelic, Again - REVEAL from The Center for Investigative Reporting and PRX

Heaven's Gate: The Inn Between in Salt Lake City - VRT Belgium

HISTORICAL

From 2SB to 2BL, then 702 and now ABC Radio Sydney, the rich history of Australia's first radio station - Australian Broadcasting Corporation

Three Million - BBC Radio 4 and BBC World Service

Amazing Sport Stories: The Black 14 - BBC World Service produced by Whistledown Productions

Sitrep - The Art of Deception - BFBS

Covering Their Tracks - Blue Chalk Media for Tablet Magazine

Dead Famous - Loftus Media

INVESTIGATIVE DOCUMENTARY

Caught on Camera: The special school staff who abused kids - BBC News

World of Secrets: The Abercrombie Guys - BBC/BBC Longform Audio

HKSAR v. Jimmy Lai - Rti Radio Taiwan International

A Mother's Letter - Radio Workshop

Distress - Sveriges Radio

The Prison: Humiliation - They thought of the clients as animals - Sveriges Radio

Helen Lewis Has Left the Chat - Tempo & Talker

NEWS COVERAGE

Newsday: War in Sudan - BBC

BBC OS: Gaza war first hostages released - BBC World Service Radio

Newshour: October 7 & Beyond - BBC World Service Radio

A Muslim & A Jew Go There - Instinct Productions

Beyond the Headlines podcast - The National News

The Story - The Times & Sunday Times

Flashpoint Iran: Why Iran's Proxies Seek to 'Drag Out' Low-Level Conflict with Israel - Voice of America

SUSTAINABILITY

Climate Mana - Australian Broadcasting Corporation

People Fixing the World: Fighting Sexism in Society - BBC World Service

We Only Want the Earth - Contemporary Music Centre for RTÉ lyric fm

The Documentary: Bangladesh's Clothing Conundrum - CTVC for BBC World Service

Everyone has a seat: From cultural venues to culture points, the road to realising Taiwan's cultural rights - Rti Radio Taiwan International

VIDEO

ARTS and CULTURE

The Last of the Wakhi Shepherdesses - BBC 100 Women - BBC World Service

Thief at the British Museum - BBC News

Lee Kuan Yew: In His Own Words - CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd

How To Make Your Dreams Come True - The Curious Story of Miho Hazama - Danish Broadcasting Corporation

Operación Esperanza - Los Niños Perdidos en El Amazonas - Emporium Productions

The indigo - Color Created by BUAISOU - Kansai TV

Endurance: Race to the Pole - October Films for Channel 5

BREAKING NEWS

The Arrest of Sir Jeffrey Donaldson - BBC Northern Ireland

On board the Philippines' civilian mission convoy to the South China Sea - CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd

How indiscriminate Israeli fire killed half a family in Gaza - CNN Worldwide

What happened at Hamdaniya's wedding? - Rudaw Media Network/Kurdistan Region

'Day of rage' protests erupt around Beirut in support of Gaza - The National

Live Reports from Gaza - Nizar Sadawi - TRT World News/Türkiye

CONTINUING NEWS COVERAGE

War On Gaza - Al Jazeera English

Israel and Hamas at War - Antena 3 CNN

Myanmar - BBC News

Sudan's Forgotten War - BBC World Service

Haiti Coverage - CNN Worldwide

Israel-Hamas War Coverage - CNN Worldwide

How Vietnam's Smuggling Gangs Targeted the UK - ITN for ITV News

CRIME DOCUMENTARY

Dark Minds: The Deadly Greed – Asharq Discovery
Cold Case Investigators: Solving Britain's Sex Crimes – Brinkworth Productions
The Push: Murder on the Cliff – Candour Productions for Channel 4
The Negotiators S2 – CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd
Doc Investigação - O Serial Killer de Goiânia – TV Record
Doc Investigação - O médico predador – TV Record

DOMESTIC AFFAIRS DOCUMENTARY - Video

My Wife, My Abuser: The Secret Footage - Atticus Film and Television for Channel 5
Philippines: Diving for Gold - Keyi Productions for Arte Reportage
The Abbess and Xingxing - Phoenix Satellite Television
Dispatches: Secrets and Power: China in the UK - Quicksilver Media for Channel 4
If This Street Were Mine - Record – Playplus
List of 31 - RFE/RL Ukrainian Service
The Unseen Costs of TikTok Migration - VOA 52 Documentary
Pano: Youth Care in Crisis - VRT1 for VRT

EMERGING TALENT

Ayanda Charlie – BBC Africa Eye, BBC World Service
Chrisnrita Leong – Australian Broadcasting Corporation

HEALTH and SOCIAL

Australia's Sleep Revolution with Dr Michael Mosley – Artemis Media for SBS Australia
Betrayal at Birth: Georgia's Stolen Children - BBC 100 Women - BBC World Service
Cold Case Investigators: Solving Britain's Sex Crimes – Brinkworth Productions
Never Out of Reach S2 – CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd
Miracle No. 71 - De Mensen/VRT Canvas
Kate Garraway: Derek's Story – Flicker Productions
Dying Earth - After the Hurricane - Wild Mind Films for Al Jazeera English

HISTORICAL

Faces: Saddam Hussein – Asharq Documentary

The Secret Army – BBC Northern Ireland

The Princes in the Tower: The New Evidence – Brinkworth Productions

History of the Kowloon Walled City – Phoenix Satellite Television

Italians in the Goli Otok Gulag. On the Wrong Side of History – RAI Radiotelevisione Italiana

Queens that Changed the World – Woodcut Media

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS DOCUMENTARY

Fault Lines - Children of the Darién Gap – Al Jazeera English

Cloud Under the Sea – Australian Broadcasting Corporation

Sex Tourism: Predators in Paradise – Dateline, Special Broadcasting Service

Myanmar: The Rebel Army – Découpages for Arte Reportage

How Biden's Inflation Reduction Act Changed the World – Financial Times

Michael Palin in Nigeria – ITN Productions for Channel 5

Yemen: The Third Frontier – TRT WORLD

INVESTIGATIVE DOCUMENTARY

Spotlight - Our Dirty War: The British State and the IRA – BBC Northern Ireland

Perfume's Dark Secret – BBC Eye Investigations

Run for Your Life – Bloomberg Originals

Undercover Asia S10: Tainted Medicine Scandal – CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd

Wasted – Deutsche Welle

Premier League Betting Sponsors: Closed doors and companies within companies – FT Film - Financial Times

Doc. Investigação - The Mystery of Serrambi – TV Record

NEWS EXPLAINER

Israel-Gaza war: what's happening and why? | Start Here - Al Jazeera Digital
Why Money Itself is Getting More Expensive - Bloomberg Originals
Japan's Massive Money Experiment is Over. Now What? - Bloomberg Originals
Israel-Hamas Conflict Explained: The Occupation of West Bank - CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd
Four reasons why women are more impacted by climate change - CNN Worldwide

POLITICS

The Pacific Series 2024 - Solomon Islands Election Special - Australian Broadcasting Corporation
Democracy Series - Financial Times
Election 2024 - Korea General Election Vote Count Show - MBC (Munhwa Broadcasting Corporation)
Mayor on the Frontline: Democracy in Crisis - On Our Radar for BBC Africa Eye
The Belag Archipelago - RFE/RL Belarus Service
People & Power - Myanmar Army on the Ropes - Studio 9 Films for Al Jazeera English
Witness - A Vision of Justice - Whalebone Films with the Pulitzer Center for Al Jazeera English

PRESENTER of the YEAR

Drew Ambrose - Al Jazeera English
Pia Arcangel - GMA Network
Wei Du - CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd
Marc Fennell - ABC/Audible/SBS
Mihai Gîdea - Antena 3 CNN
Weimin Tseng - Rti
Jeremy Vine - ITN Productions for Channel 5
Dan Walker - 5 News, ITN

SHORT DOCUMENTARY

Point of No Return: The Last Crossing - 3Cat TV3
Is Long Covid Connected to Autism and ADHD? - 5 News, ITN
Mindset - Iceland - Al Jazeera English
Children Raising Children - Antena 3 CNN
Choices - Dare to Dream - Deutsche Welle
On Assignment: India's Railway Children - ITV News
Temple Street Priest - John Wotherspoon - Phoenix Satellite Television
Generation Kush - VOA 52 Documentary

SOCIAL MEDIA JOURNALISM

Disciples: The Cult of TB Joshua - BBC Africa Eye, BBC World Service
Tackling the rodent infestation in Singapore - CNA, Mediacorp Pte Ltd
Expectation vs Reality: The Housing Development from wish.com - Joris Lechêne, Independent

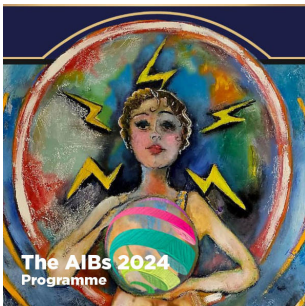
SUSTAINABILITY

Witness - Fire Beneath Her - Banyak Films for Al Jazeera English
Hydrogène: révolution ou mirage? - CBC/Radio-Canada
Warning to the World: Australia's Climate Disaster (The Whole Story with Anderson Cooper) - CNN Worldwide
Rising Tides - Ireland's Future in a Warmer World - Earth Horizon Productions
One at Heart, Jessica Soho: Nickel and Dime - GMA Network, Inc. (Public Affairs)
Climate Exiles in the Brazilian Amazon - Record TV

ADVERTISING & SPONSORSHIP

We invite you to **support** the not-for-profit *AIBs* and the finalists in the competition and **align your brand** with the world's best journalism and factual productions.

Advertising is available in the **Gala Dinner programme** that each guest is given to guide them through the evening, from the dinner menu to comprehensive details on each of the productions showcased across the 24 categories. Many guests share the programme book with colleagues when they return to the office, encouraging them to listen and watch the remarkable range of shortlisted work.



We also publish our traditional souvenir **Winners & Finalists** book that, in addition to details of all the winners and highly commended programmes and judges' comments, includes in-depth articles and follow-ups to our "in conversation" segments that have taken place during past editions of our awards events.

The **Winners & Finalists** book will be available online immediately after the second part of our awards programme is released, and print copies are available for guests at the AIBs gala event on 22 November.



In this our 20th year, both the **Gala Dinner Programme** and **Winners & Finalists** book have an exciting brand-new look, thanks to our collaboration with artist Anna Mazzotta and sculptor Tim Tolkien.

Demonstrate your support of the outstanding journalism and productions represented in the AIBs by advertising in either or both the 2024 event **Programme** and the **Winners & Finalists** book.



- ▶ Download the full information pack including rates and specifications using the QR code

To discuss options for the *AIBs 2024 Winners & Finalists* souvenir book, or about other ways in which you can align your brand with the *AIBs*, contact **Clare Fuller** at the AIB Secretariat:

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ABOUT THE AIB

Established in 1993, AIB is the industry association representing international TV, radio and digital broadcasters and companies that support the sector.

AIB provides its members with advocacy, intelligence, networking, promotion and a range of other key services.

Our members operate television, radio and digital services in multiple languages that, every week, **reach** well in excess of **one billion people** in almost every country on the planet. We also have companies that support media houses among our Membership.

Key areas of work include:

Artificial Intelligence - sharing best practice in the fast developing role of AI in news organisations

Big Tech - working with Members on relationships with Big Tech companies in markets globally

Content sharing - facilitating Members' access to the output of colleagues around the world

Cyber security - helping Members exchange information and engage with suppliers to protect their businesses

Sustainability - working with Members to make their businesses net zero and to engage audiences on issues around sustainability

A further key area of work is our media freedom initiative. AIB is a Member of the Consultative Network to the intergovernmental **Media Freedom Coalition**. This places AIB at the heart of global work on media freedom.

The annual AIBs support our media freedom work, allowing us to demonstrate the importance of fair and impartial journalism and factual storytelling to key influencers in the Coalition.

The AIB draws on more than 30 years of knowledge gathering and intelligence sharing in the international media market to deliver outstanding support to our Members.

The Association's work is entirely centred on, and devoted to, the needs of our members.

Please **talk to us** about how joining the AIB can help you and your colleagues.



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