# 1958-1959 - NEW YORK AREA AWARDS

JANUARY 1, 1958 TO FEBRUARY 28, 1959

Presented May 6, 1959

New York (Ziegfeld Theatre)

## MOST OUTSTANDING LIVE LOCAL PROGRAM

 OPEN END (WNTA-TV) HI-MOM with SHARI LEWIS, JANE PALMER and JOSIE McCARTHY (WRCA-TV) JAZZ PARTY (WNTA-TV)

## **BEST NEWS PROGRAM**

• EAST RIVER PLANE CRASH COVERAGE (WCBS-TV) 11TH HOUR NEWS (WRCA-TV) GABE PRESSMAN AND THE LOCAL NEWS (WRCA-TV) THE LATE NEWS with RON COCHRAN (WCBS-TV)

## **BEST DOCUMENTARY OR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM**

• SUNRISE SEMESTER (WCBS-TV) AQUI SE HABLA INGLES (WRCA-TV) THE OPEN MIND (WRCA-TV) RIGHT NOW (WCBS-TV) RUSSIAN REVOLUTION (WPIX-11) THE WRITTEN WORD with FRANK BAXTER (WABC-TV)

## **BEST CHILDREN'S OR TEEN AGE PROGRAM**

 HI-MOM with SHARI LEWIS, JANE PALMER and JOSIE McCARTHY (WRCA-TV) THREE STOOGES (WPIX-11) .
YOUNG AUDIENCES (WCBS-TV)

## MOST OUTSTANDING MALE PERSONALITY

• DAVID SUSSKIND (WNTA-TV) RON COCHRAN (The Late News) (WCBS-TV) GABE PRESSMAN (WRCA-TV)

## MOST OUTSTANDING FEMALE PERSONALITY

• SHARI LEWIS (WRCA-TV) DR. JOYCE BROTHERS (WRCA-TV) LYNN DOLLAR (WABC-TV) DIONE LUCAS (WPIX-11) JOSIE MC CARTHY (WRCA-TV) CAROL REED (Late Weather and Sports) (WCBS-TV)

## SPECIAL STATION ACHIEVEMENT AWARD—Joint Award

• WNTA for "Open End"

For conceiving and developing a new approach to television programming and for offering an entertaining, thought-provoking series of uninhibited discussion programs on an adult level.

• WCBS-TV for "Chaucer, Chopin and the People's Choice"

For devoting its time, energy and creativity on a continuing basis to the presentation of a grea number of consistently high quality programs in the public interes — designed to inform, enrich and entertain the vast viewing public of the New York area. For making available its facilities and skills to the New York City Board of Education and to the Metropolitan Educational Television Association for the implementation of their educational broadcasting.

\* Denotes National Award Winner

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