

THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF TELEVISION ARTS & SCIENCES, NEW YORK CHAPTER ANNOUNCES THE CALL FOR ENTRIES FOR THE 65th ANNUAL NEW YORK EMMY® AWARDS

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New York, NY, February 4, 2022 - The Officers and Board of Governors of the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences, New York Chapter announced today that the 2021 Call for Entries for the 65th Annual New York Emmy® Awards officially opens on February 7, 2022 and ends on March 25, 2022.

"Last year we fielded the largest number of entries submitted in the history of the Chapter and we believe we will have even more during this year's competition," said New York Chapter President and WABC-TV correspondent, N. J. Burkett. "The Board of Governors and I have decided to change our Emmy eligibility period to the calendar year for the first time," he said. "Content produced and distributed between January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021 will be eligible for submission."

The Chapter's Awards Committee Chair, PIX 11's senior correspondent Marvin Scott notes, "We are offering several exciting new categories this year including Sports Excellence, Sports Season and categories highlighting content about diversity, equity and inclusion."

"We are very proud of the virtual galas we have produced over the last two years," Burkett said. "We expect that our 65th Anniversary Awards Gala, *Emmy Night in New York*, will be a spectacular, live in-person show and will take place this fall at a time and venue to be announced in the coming weeks."

Details about these and all categories, as well as the rules and guidelines on how to submit, can be found at: https://www.nyemmys.org/call-for-entries/ Entrants are advised to read the rules carefully, as there are major changes this year.

It is not necessary be a member in order to submit entries, but one of the benefits of becoming a member of the New York Chapter is a substantial discount on submissions.

Judging will be done by our sister chapters in major markets during the months of April and May and the nominations will be announced via a livestream ceremony in June of 2022.

The New York Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences, founded in 1955, is the preeminent membership organization serving media professionals by offering career enhancing events and networking opportunities. NY NATAS fosters creativity and inspires artistic and technical excellence through the renowned Emmy® Award, the coveted peer-recognition symbol of distinction in television. NY NATAS continues to evolve playing a vital role in recognizing outstanding content in our changing industry. As distribution platforms have expanded to include broadband and portable devices, NY NATAS honors television the art form regardless of the delivery platform.

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