



WGC Screenwriting Awards 2022 Winners Announced

Bilal Baig, Fab Filippo, and Michael McGowan among prize winners

Toronto, April 25, 2022 — In a funny, lively virtual ceremony held this evening, host Nile Séguin announced the winners of the 26th annual Writers Guild of Canada Screenwriting Awards.

Some winners of 2022's categories include Bilal Baig & Fab Filippo (*Sort Of*), Michael McGowan (*All My Puny Sorrows*), Tassie Cameron & Sherry White (*Pretty Hard Cases*), and Amanda Joy (*The Parker Andersons I Amelia Parker*).

Special awards were also presented to Carolyn Saunders, winner of the Sondra Kelly Award, and Matt Huether, who was awarded the Alex Barris Mentorship Award. Anthony Q. Farrell, creator and showrunner of *Overlord and the Underwoods* and *The Parker Andersons I Amelia Parker*, received the night's final prize, the Showrunner Award. The Denis McGrath Award for Service to the WGC was also presented to Michael Amo, who has served the Guild for the past 12 years as a member of Council, representing the Atlantic region.

Please see below for the complete list of winning scripts and screenwriters.

The 27th Annual WGC Screenwriting Awards are now being planned and hopefully we will be celebrating live once again. In the meantime, 2022's presentation will be posted to the WGC YouTube Channel.

A digital program, listing all nominations, nominees and special awards winners, is also available <u>here</u> for download.

Congratulations to our finalists and winners! @WGCtweet #WGCAwards

For more information, contact:

Emily Saso, WGC Manager of Communications m: 416-721-5705, e: e.saso@wgc.ca





2022 WGC SCREENWRITING AWARDS WINNERS

CHILDREN'S

Odd Squad Mobile Unit, "H2 Oh No" | Written by Lakna Edilima

COMEDY SERIES

Sort Of, "Sort of Gone" I Written by Bilal Baig & Fab Filippo

DRAMA SERIES

Pretty Hard Cases, "Bananas" I Written by Tassie Cameron & Sherry White

FEATURE FILM

All My Puny Sorrows I Written by Michael McGowan

MOW & MINISERIES

As Gouda As It Gets | Written by James Phillips

PRESCHOOL

Elinor Wonders Why, "Olive's Tree" I Written by Michael Foulke

SHORTS & WEBSERIES

My Pride: The Series "Fire" | Written by Maddi Patton

TWEENS & TEENS

The Parker Andersons I Amelia Parker, "Joy" I Written by **Amanda Joy**

SONDRA KELLY AWARD

Carolyn Saunders

ALEX BARRIS MENTORSHIP AWARD

Matt Huether

DENIS MCGRATH AWARD FOR SERVICE TO THE WGC

Michael Amo

SHOWRUNNER AWARD

Anthony Q. Farrell

ABOUT THE WGC

The Writers Guild of Canada represents more than 2,500 professional English-language screenwriters across Canada, the creators of Canadian entertainment enjoyed on all screens. **WGC.ca @WGCtweet**