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The Gulf Islands
Film & Television School

the indie film school

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EyeLens



2009 EYELENS Winners:

Awards were presented to the winning filmmakers on Saturday, May 30, 2009, at Vancouver's Rio Theatre. For more info on the festival, or to obtain digital stills from the film, please contact Nick Middleton at 1.800.813.9993

Award Categories:

- Outstanding Achievement in *Aboriginal Storytelling*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Acting*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Adult Documentary*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Adult Drama*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Cinematography*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Directing*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Early Teen Production*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Experimental*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Film*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Game Design*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Presentation of an Issue*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Sound Design*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Special Effects*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Visual Effects & Animation*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Youth Documentary*
- Outstanding Achievement in *Youth Drama*
- YOUTUBE – *MOST VIEWED*

• Outstanding Achievement in Aboriginal Storytelling:

- **WINNER** - The Balance Between by: Clarence Fisher, Sharon Ness, Foster Allen, Elisa Pascal
- **Honourable Mention** - Decisions made by: Grant Sandeman-Allen, Denee Austin, Serena Haire

• Outstanding Achievement in Acting:

- **WINNER** - Kyra Pearce in: Piece of Mind

• Outstanding Achievement in Adult Documentary:

- **WINNER** - After the War made by: Maya Bastian, Pablo Saravanja, Lesley Johnson

- **Outstanding Achievement in Adult Drama:**
 - **WINNER** - Decisions made by: Grant Sandeman-Allen, Denee Austin, Serena Haire
 - **Honourable Mention** - CERN-ifiable made by: Griffin Lea, Tim Chan, Susan Hunt, Kerry Ward
- **Outstanding Achievement in Cinematography:**
 - **WINNER** - Rebirth made by: Devyn Brugge, Lillianne Cadieux-Shaw, Steve Harrison, Melanie Vasselin
- **Outstanding Achievement in Directing:**
 - **WINNER** - Piece of Mind made by: Nick Thompson
 - **Honourable Mention** - Time and Time Again made by: Joshua Hauca
 - **Honourable Mention** - The Whole Truth made by: Ben Weber
- **Outstanding Achievement in Early Teen Production:**
 - **WINNER** - How To Be A Ninja made by: Curtis Petillion, Jesse Woodward, Brogan Renwick-Shields
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- **Outstanding Achievement in Experimental:**
 - **WINNER** - Alice in Neverland made by: Stephanie van Gemst, Caitlin Rooney, Ksenia Borovinskaya, Michaela Mitchell
- **Outstanding Achievement in Film:**
 - **WINNER** - The Good, The Bad and The Unarmed made by: Tony Bernardi, Lee Page
 - **Honourable Mention** - Orb of Zohraya made by: Alex Muirhead
- **Outstanding Achievement in Game Design:**
 - **WINNER** - River Blast made by: Cameron Gregory
- **Outstanding Achievement in Presentation of an Issue:**
 - **WINNER** - Okurimono the Gift made by: Marion Pape, Steffanie Riess, Julie Williams
- **Outstanding Achievement in Sound Design:**
 - **WINNER** - Blood Brothers made by: Alec Hanham, Elija Sorensen, Nic Johnson
- **Outstanding Achievement in Special Effects:**
 - **WINNER** - Dream Runner made by: Zachary Johnson
- **Outstanding Achievement in Visual Effects & Animation:**
 - **WINNER** - Monday made by: Kyle Robertson, Michael Grant
- **Outstanding Achievement in Youth Documentary:**
 - **WINNER** - n00bs made by: Anna Caldwell, Blake Le Blanc, Daniel Warner
- **Outstanding Achievement in Youth Drama:**
 - **WINNER** - Animus made by: Michael Mitton, Giordano Scales, Sean McDonell, Hugh Henderson
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