On Sunday, August 23, 2020
The Academy of Magical Arts
held its 52nd Annual
Awards Show.

For obvious reasons,
this was a virtual event.

(You can still view it at
www.magiccastle.com/awards)

On the following pages you will find
the very first virtual program,
commemorating that evening.

Like the show itself,
this document is free.

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track them down and
get your money back.

Enjoy!
Welcome Greeting by David Copperfield
Introduction by Max Maven
Special Fellowship presented by Erika Larsen to Lisa Menna
Lecturer of the Year presented by Goldfinger & Dove to Dani DaOrtiz
Performing Fellowship presented by Jonathan Levit to Raymond Crowe
Brief performance by Winston Maldonado
Parlour Magician of the Year presented by Paul Green to Chris Capehart
Randy Sinnott Jr. introduces a backroom look at John Gaughan’s studio
Brief performance by Willy Chen
Close-Up Magician of the Year presented by John Carney to Asi Wind
Creative Fellowship presented by Shoot Ogawa to Angelo Carbone
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AMA AWARDS SHOW

Literary/Media Fellowship presented by Mike Caveney to Laura Avilés Ruda
The Devant Award presented by the Magic Circle to the Larsen Family
Special Fellowship presented by Gay Blackstone to Alan Zagorsky
Memorial Reel introduced by Saratoga Ballantine
Musical Performance by Bonnie Gordon and Richard Allen
Junior Achievement award presented by Steve Barnes and David Doyle to Austin Janik
Brief performance by Jaana Felicitas
Stage Magician of the Year presented by Christopher Hart to Lucy Darling
Magician of the Year presented by Michael Carbonaro to Derren Brown
Farewell
My Heartfelt Congratulations to the Academy and the Award Recipients and Nominees
CONGRATULATIONS
TO ALL 2020 AMA AWARD RECIPIENTS

Dedicated to the advancement of magic as a performing art.
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF THIS YEAR'S NOMINEES AND WINNERS
THE MAGIC ACADEMY OF TOKYO
A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT
RANDY SINNOTT, JR.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I hope you enjoyed the 52nd Annual Awards Ceremony of the Academy of Magical Arts. One of the specific purposes the Academy of Magical Arts was formed around is to bestow awards for excellence in various fields of magic endeavor. Each year, we simultaneously look back at the best performers and performances, while also looking to the future, recognizing those individuals whose contributions will continue to have a lasting impact for years to come.

Together, we are facing the most challenging situation our society has faced in generations. While the challenges of previous years impacted aspects of our lives, the current global pandemic has left no part of our lives untouched. It is this context of these broad and truly trying challenges that celebrating our community’s accomplishments becomes even more vital. This 52nd Awards Ceremony, more so than any previous iteration, provides the opportunity to look up from our current reality, celebrate the accomplishments of our award recipients, and look forward to when we can once again share the magic in person.

Thanks to the Board of Trustees and our members, for their votes and selection of this year’s award recipients. Thanks to our producers — Gay Blackstone, Erika Larsen, Jonathan Levit, Shoot Ogawa, and Max Maven — for their incredible work in planning this unique Awards Ceremony. Thanks to Jamey Clouse for being the digital glue — spending countless hours creating graphics and editing together videos sent in from all over the globe.

And finally, thank you to all of you, our members, who have supported the AMA, voted for your favorite performances, and watched this year’s ceremony. Thank you for keeping the magic alive during this strange time.
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I WISH TO CONGRATULATE THE NOMINEES, WINNERS, THE FELLOWSHIP RECIPIENTS AND THE MAGICIAN OF THE YEAR

LU CHEN
“An idea can turn to dust or magic, depending on the talent that rubs against it.”

— William Bernbach
There is a small oval portrait hanging in the Close-Up Room, over the audience-leftmost chair in the back row, that many of you probably could not identify. Perhaps you might glance upwards as you walk from the dining room towards the Palace and the Parlour, and notice a small sign announcing entrance to the Tom Glover, Sr. Annex, and you may recall one of Milt’s stories about the Texas Handshake that began the legend of The Magic Castle. Very few will be aware that even the name “The Magic Castle” was suggested by this same Texan, who named all of his holdings Something Castle (Yamashiro was, for many years in all company paperwork, the Japanese Castle).

Tom Glover, Sr. was not a magician and not a Larsen, and yet without him there would be no Magic Castle — or at least it would have taken a very different form. He took a leap of faith and turned over an old Victorian mansion to a couple of dreamers, largely on spec and at far-below-market rates, for decades. When the fire marshals shut the growing club down for overcrowding, he not only gave them a nearby parking garage to expand into, but he personally led the fight for permits and supervised every inch of construction. And when his beloved grandchildren visited him, he proudly brought them to the Castle on Sundays, and sometimes on weekday afternoons, to explore the secrets, and taught at least one of them to love the place as much as he did.

My grandfather, Tom Glover, Sr., loved The Magic Castle, and I loved him. In hopes that he shall always be remembered in the place he fought so hard for, I am proud and happy to donate all the Fellowship pins, in his name.

West Pendragon McDonough
“Magic is believing in yourself, if you can do that, you can make anything happen.”

— Johann Wolfgang von Goethe
Special Fellowship

To

Lisa Menna

in recognition of her use of magic as a way of spreading light.

Having built a successful career performing at corporate events, she founded a non-profit organization, Cause for Wonder.

Through cross-cultural shows, information about health, conservation, and human rights is provided to hard-to-reach groups.

For this special work, our applause.

Presented this 23rd day of August 2020
Nominees for 2019 Lecturer of the Year

Woody Aragon
Dani Daortiz
Karl Hein
Jonathan Levit
Shoot Ogawa
2019 Lecturer of the Year

Dani Daortiz
CONGRATULATIONS TO
HARRY MONTI
FOR HIS RECORD OF PERFORMING
53 CONSECUTIVE YEARS AT THE MAGIC CASTLE!

TRUDY MONTI
Congratulations to The Nominees, Winners & Fellowship Recipients

Thank You For The Energy You Bring To The Art of Magic

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“The moment you doubt whether you can fly, you cease for ever to be able to do it.”

— J.M. Barrie
ACADEMY OF MAGICAL ARTS, INC.
PRESENTS THE 2019

Performing Fellowship

to

Raymond Crowe

in recognition of his remarkable ability to connect with people across the globe.

His work features a superb level of technical skill that is cunningly hidden behind an irresistible blend of grace, charm, and whimsy.

We usually frown on exposure, but the true secret of his magic is worth revealing: He makes his audiences care.

Presented this 23rd day of August 2020
Nominees for 2019 Parlour Magician of the Year

Chris Capehart  Hannibal  Derek Hughes

Mike Pisciotta  Arthur Trace
2019 Parlour Magician of the Year

Chris Capehart
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF THIS YEAR’S WINNERS

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2019 Close-Up Magician of the Year

ASI WIND
To my 84 guests and counting,

Thanks for making this surreal time a little more fun!

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Murphy’s Magic is proud to work with such amazing artists and congratulates their achievements.

**Derren Brown**  
(Magician of the Year)

**Dani DaOrtiz**  
(Lecturer of the Year)

**Angelo Carbone**  
(Creative Fellowship Award)

**Asi Wind**  
(Close-up Magician of the Year)

Congratulations to all the winners and nominees.
FIFTY-SECOND
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“I don’t want realism. I want magic!”
— Tennessee Williams
Creative Fellowship

To

Angelo Carbone

in recognition of his keen understanding of the human mind, and how to deceive it.

If you have seen one of his plentiful creations performed, then it is virtually a certainty that you have been fooled.

His inventions rank among the cleverest in modern conjuring. It is to the benefit of magicians worldwide that he has shared his ingenious ideas.

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Congratulations

THE 2019 ACADEMY OF MAGICAL ARTS FELLOWSHIP RECIPIENTS

DERREN BROWN
MAGICIAN OF THE YEAR

LAURA AVILÉS RUDA
LITERARY/MEDIA FELLOWSHIP

ANGELO CARBONE
CREATIVE FELLOWSHIP

RAYMOND CROWE
PERFORMING FELLOWSHIP

ALAN ZAGORSKY
SPECIAL FELLOWSHIP

LISA MENNA
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In light of the events of 2020, may we remember that the TRUE power of MAGIC lies in EMPATHY and COMPASSION.

Now is the time for UNITY, for magicians and lovers of magic alike to work together in solidarity to create a community of inclusion and representation for ALL.

Because LOVE, like magic, is meant to be shared.

My heartfelt congratulations to all of this year’s award recipients.

Cyril Takayama
FIFTY-SECOND AMA VIRTUAL AWARDS SHOW

“Imagine, and it shall be. There are no limits.”
— Evelyn Skye
Academy of Magical Arts, Inc.

Presents the 2019

Literary and Media Fellowship

to

Laura Áviles Ruda

in recognition of her tireless work to promote and distribute magic through the printed page.

Since 1992, her company, Páginas, Libros de Magia, has offered original works and important translations from many of the finest magical authors.

This extraordinary range of books has uplifted magic throughout the Spanish-speaking world.

Presented this 23rd day of August 2020
Congratulations to our Fellowship Recipients, Showroom Award Nominees & Winners, and everyone who contributed to creating such a magical celebration!
FIFTY-SECOND AMA VIRTUAL AWARDS SHOW

THE MAGIC CIRCLE PRESENTS THE DEVANT AWARD TO THE LARSEN FAMILY FOR SERVICES TO INTERNATIONAL MAGIC
FIFTY-SECOND
AMA VIRTUAL AWARDS SHOW

“Those who don’t believe in magic will never find it.”
— Roald Dahl
in recognition of a lifetime of amazing construction.

With roots going back over a century, his company, Owen Magic Supreme, has built specialized props and large-scale illusions, to exacting specifications, for many of the biggest names in magic.

Countless spectators have seen the results of his work.

Now, we salute the man behind that craftsmanship.

Presented this 23rd day of August 2020
Congratulations to all of the 2019 Recipients, Nominees, and Winners of the AMA Awards!
CONGRATULATIONS
TO THE ACADEMY OF MAGICAL ARTS
2019 NOMINEES AND AWARD WINNERS

William Kalush
THE ACADEMY OF MAGICAL ARTS
JUNIOR SOCIETY

The Academy of Magical Arts Junior Society was founded in 1974 by AMA member Diana Zimmerman with the help of legendary actor Cary Grant—who served on the AMA Board of Directors at that time. Steven Barnes is the current Chairperson of the Junior Committee and David Doyle is the Vice Chair. They serve with the other adult volunteers including Chairpersons Emeritus Diana Zimmerman & Robert Dorian and committee members Alfonso, Jana Annis, James Starr and Scott Tokar.

Membership in the program is open to young magicians between the ages of thirteen and twenty. Auditions for membership are held twice each year, in Spring and Fall. The standards for becoming a Junior member are notoriously higher even than for joining the AMA as a magician member. The Juniors meet at the Magic Castle® once each month where they hear lectures, receive mentoring, and exchange ideas with their peers.

They’re also allowed access to the Media Library, they can attend the Regular Member lectures, and the best-of-the-best are featured performers during the Saturday and Sunday brunch shows, as well as on the annual “Future Stars of Magic” week when they perform in all of the showrooms each evening.

Over three thousand young wizards have participated in the program, and many have gone on to successful careers in the performing arts, including AMA past-president, Neil Patrick Harris, current Board of Trustees member, Christopher Hart, and other magical luminaries the likes of Bill Goodwin, Kevin James and Michael Weber.

The Junior Achievement Award is given to one (or more) of the Junior members who is turning 21 and has shown an exceptional level of achievement during his or her tenure in the program.

PAST JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT AWARD HONOREES

1976  Dirk Arthur
1977  Robbie Millman
1978  Geoffrey Williams
1979  Mark Kalin
1980  The Magic Company: -Bob Pickens, -Jim Heckle, -Yvonne Pickens, -Rita Nessett -Mark Van Buren
1981  Scott Cervine Michael Weber
1982  Ed Alonzo Lorenzo Clark Bill Goodwin
1984  Ray Kosby Danny Scott
1985  Scott Tokar
1986  David Doyle
1989  Jason Alexander Mark Matsumoto
1990  Steve Barnes
1992  Michael J. Battistoni
1995  Chris Gongora
1996  Matt Marcy
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1999  James Holguin
2000  Joseph Tran
2001  Jason Latimer
2002  David Stryker
2003  Jonathon Dabach Matthew Grunwald Joel Ward
2004  Tony Elias
2005  Jessica Phillips
2006  Nathan Gibson
2007  Edsel Chiu Michael Jacobson
2008  Farrah Siegel
2009  Rmax Goodwin
2010  Aaron Rabkin
2011  Jeff Black
2013  John Accardo
2014  Kyle Eschen Akinobu Mitsui
2015  Hyuma Miyahara
2016  Mark A. Gibson
2017  Jesus (Nexxus) Flores Frankie Foti
2018  Paul Robaia
2019  Collins Key
2017  Kevin Li Griffin Barry
2018  Franco Pascali Fernando Velasco
2019  Austin Janik
in recognition of his superior advancement and development in the performance of Close-Up and Parlour magic. His creativity and ongoing search for excellence in presentation and showmanship have earned the admiration and respect of his fellow Juniors, the Junior Committee, and both Boards of the Academy of Magical Arts.

Presented this 23rd day of August 2020
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MOTION
Thank you to everyone who continues to support the Magic Castle, the Academy of Magical Arts, and everyone connected and involved.

Congratulations to all the winners and nominees, and thank you for keeping the art of magic growing and thriving!

Shoot Ogawa
2019
Stage Magician of the Year

LUCY DARLING
CONGRATULATIONS TO
DERREN BROWN

IT MAKES ME SO
HAPPY

that you’re this year’s
MAGICIAN OF THE YEAR

Thanks for all you do for magic.
Your pal,
Mac King
Congratulations to our friend Derren Brown and all of tonight's honorees
FIFTY-SECOND
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“The universe is full of magical things patiently waiting for our wits to grow sharper.”

— Eden Phillpotts
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Derren Brown
2019
Magician of the Year

in recognition of his outstanding achievements in mystery performance.

From London’s West End to New York’s Broadway, he has intrigued and delighted huge theater audiences, and millions more via his high-rated television shows.

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Showroom Award Winners

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Parlor Magician of the Year
Stage Magician of the Year

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Michael Weber

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—Romany, Diva of Magic
Magic Circle Magician of the Year
# Past Magician of the Year Honorees

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**Congratulations to all the winners and nominees.**

Dennis Forel
Balloonacy
Prestidigitation during Pandemic—now that’s true magic!

CONGRATULATIONS
To All The 2019 AMA Award Winners

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Stay safe & healthy.
Jason Alexander

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HONOREES

1968 Dai Vernon
1969 Richard Cardini
1970 Virgil & Julie
1971 Jose Frakson
1972 Charlie Miller
1973 Slydini
1974 Dunninger
1975 Robert Harbin
1976 Les Levante
1977 Werner “Dorny” Dornfield
1978 Walter B. Gibson
1979 Fred Kaps
MacDonald & Mabel Birch
1980 Gene Gordon
1981 Jay Marshall
1982 Joe Berg
1983 Maurice Rooklyn
1984 Eric Lewis
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1992 Ali Bongo
1993 Harry Blackstone Jr.
1994 Lee Grabel
1995 Borra
1996 Karrell Fox
1997 The Morettis
1998 Marvyn Roy
1999 Johnny Thompson
2000 John Booth
2001 Billy McComb
2002 Cesareo Pelaez
2003 Terry Seabrooke
2004 David Berglas
2005 Paul Daniels
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2012 Juan Tamariz
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2014 Silvan
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2018 Johnny Hart

PAST PERFORMING FELLOWSHIP
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1975 Channing Pollock
1976 Roy Benson
Neil Foster
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1979 Jimmy Grippo
1980 Suzy Wandas
Bennett
1981 Andre Kole
1982 John Calvert
1983 Billy McComb
The Morettis
1984 Carl Ballantine
Bert Easley
1985 Mardoni & Louise
Johnny Thompson
1986 Will Rock
Tom & Liz Tucker
Eddie Tullock
1987 Milo & Roger
1988 Shimada
1989 Topper Martyn
1990 Del Ray
1991 Don Alan
1992 Harry Blackstone Jr.
Terry Seabrooke
1993 Norm Nielsen
1994 Chuck & Jan Jones
1995 Doug Henning
Jack Kodell
1996 Michael Skinner
Tommy Wonder
1997 René Lavand
Peter Re vene
1998 Goldfinger & Dove
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1999 Bruce Cervon
Ed & Nancy Keener
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Juan Tamariz
2001 Earl Nelson
The Pendragons
2002 Harry Lorayne
Alan Shaxon
2003 Walter “Zaney” Blaney
2004 Magic Christian
2005 Bobby Baxter
Flip Hal lema
2006 Eugene Burger
Chen-Kai
2007 Penn & Teller
Dr. Sawa
2008 Celeste Evans
Howie Schwartzman
2009 Pam Thompson
J.C. Wagner
2010 Franz Harary
Bob White
2011 Finn Jon
2012 David Williamson
2013 David Kaye
2014 John Carney
2015 Greg Frewin
2016 Luis Piedrahita
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1968 John Daniel
1969 Jim Carazini
1970 Don Lawton
1971 Glenn Falkenstein
1972 Shimada
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1974 Eric Lewis
1975 Shimada
1976 Johnny Thompson
1977 Peter Pit
1978 Goldfinger & Dove
1979 Whit Haydn
1980 Harry & Leslie Anderson
1981 Tomsoni & Company
1982 Goldfinger & Dove
1983 Lance Burton
1984 Jonathan Neal Brown
1985 The Pendragons
1986 The Pendragons
1987 Jonathan Neal Brown & Liane
1988 James Dimmare & Lisa
1989 Amos Levkovitch
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1991 Christopher Hart
1992 Glenn Falkenstein & Frances Willard
1993 Christopher Hart
1994 Tina Lenert
1995 Glenn Falkenstein & Frances Willard
1996 Jason Byrne
1997 Jason Byrne
1998 John Carney
1999 Ed Alonzo
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2001 John Carney
2002 James Dimmare
2003 Kevin James
2004 Danny Cole
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2006 Mike Caveney
2007 Dana Daniels
2008 Kevin James
2009 Jeff Hobson
2010 Dana Daniels
2011 Zabrecky
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2013 Mike Caveney
2014 Pop Haydn
2015 Shoot Ogawa
2016 The Clairvoyants - Thommy Ten - Amelie Van Tass
2017 Shoot Ogawa
2018 Steve Valentine
2019 Lucy Darling

PAST PARLOUR
MAGICIAN OF THE YEAR WINNERS

1983 Tom Ogden
1984 Tom Ogden
1985 Michael Ammar
1986 Daryl
1987 Daryl
1988 Kevin James
1989 John Carney
1990 Michael Ammar
1991 John Carney
1992 Chuck Fayne
1993 Chuck Fayne
1994 David Williamson
1995 Whit Haydn
1996 TC Tahoe
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1998 Aldo Colombini
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2000 Martin Lewis
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2002 Whit Haydn
2003 Dana Daniels
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2005 Michael Finney
2006 Jason Alexander
2007 Shoot Ogawa
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2009 Andrew Goldenhersh
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2011 Helder Guimarães
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2013 Johnny Ace Palmer
2014 Zabrecky
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2016 Handsome Jack
2017 Johnny Ace Palmer
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and then some loss to
even things out.”

— Lou Reed
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