

**The Atlanta Chapter of The National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences  
1980 Southeast Regional Emmy Nominees & Recipients:**

**Outstanding Achievement: Live Events**

- “The 1980 Bronze Jubilee Awards,” Producers – Sheryl Riley, Larry Lowenstein, & Danny Royal; WETV
- “Georgia High School All-Star Football Game,” Producers – Bill Lee & Gayle Bledsoe; WAGA
- ✚ **“*The 1978-1979 Georgia Area Emmy Awards,*” Producers *Rusty Bruton and Bobby Thomas;* WSB**

**Outstanding Achievement: Feature Non-News**

- “One Last Christmas Home,” Producer – Chris Moser; WETV
- “Arm and Armed,” Producer – George Gentry; WAGA
- ✚ **“*Susan The Chimp,*” Producer – *Karl Zimmerman;* WAGA**

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Performer (News)**

- “11 Alive News,” Performer – Dave Michaels; WXIA
- “Weather World,” Performer – Johnny Beckman; WSB
- **“*Action News Anchoring and Reporting,*” *Wes Sarginson;* WSB**

**Outstanding Achievement: Children’s Program**

- “Smoking is a Drag,” Producers – Rojene Bailey & Ken Daniel; Georgia Public Television Network
- “Our Show,” Producer – Deidre McDonald; WXIA
- **“*TIMEOUT,*” Producers – *Wicke Chambers & Spring Asher;* WSB**

**Outstanding Achievement: Commercial Announcement**

- **“*Bucket,*” *Denise Steiner,* Producer – *Cargill, Wilson & Acree***
- “First National Bank,” Suzanne Shutze, Producer – McDonald & Little
- “Delta Cowboy,” Bernie Walker, Producer – Burke Dowling Adams, Inc.

### **Outstanding Achievement: Investigative Reporting**

- *“Waste: Their Time, Your Money,” Producers – Michael Carlin & Richard Belcher; WAGA*
- “The All Volunteer Army,” Producer – Collin Sedor; WXIA
- “Councilman’s Housing Project,” Producers – Michael Carlin & Richard Belcher; WAGA

### **Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Scenic Design**

- “Letters To Santa,” Roger A. Caswell; WANX
- *“Action News Set,” Darrell Chambers; WSB*
- “Islam,” Ken England; WTBS

### **Outstanding Achievement: Cultural Program**

- “Hispanic!” Producers – Yvonne Wright, David Ulrich, & Joanna Ryder; WAGA
- *“On LeConte At 92,” Producer – Guy Piercy Jr.; GPTV*
- “Islam,” Producer – Dr. B.E. Griessman; WTBS

### **Outstanding Achievement: Sports Reporting**

- “Charlie Criss,” Producer – Jim Huber; WXIA
- *“Sports Fantasy,” Producer – Bob Giordano; WSB*
- “Way Down Yonder,” Producer – Bob Giordano & Knox Nunally; WSB

### **Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Lighting**

- “Studio and Location Situations,” W. Bruce Harlan & David O. Taylor; Lighting & Production Equipment, Inc.
- *“The Fox: Fifty Fabulous,” James Childers; WAGA*
- “Abortion Nightmare,” Chuck & Dave Mobley; WSB

### **Outstanding Achievement: Public Service Announcements**

- *“Shoplifting Game,” Diane Embry Producer – Liller Neal Wiltin, Inc.*
- “Georgia Trust,” Linda Ingram Producer – WXIA Television
- “Mental Health,” Joyce Goldberg Producer – Georgia Department of Human Resources

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – News Film/Tape Editing**

- “Abortion Nightmare/ Abortion For Sale,” Dave Mobley; WSB
- *“Makin’ It In The Record Business,” Bill Mills; WXIA*
- “The All Volunteer Army,” Frank Ambrose; WXIA

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Directing**

- “The Atlanta Cup,” John Trottnow; WXIA
- *“The Masters Water Ski,” R.T. Williams; WTBS*
- “Peachtree Road Race,” Bobby Thomas; WSB

**Outstanding Achievement: Educational Program**

- *“The Great Underwater Escape,” Producers – Bill Mills & Scott Newell; WXIA*
- “Saturday Extra: Riding The East Line,” Producer – Chuck Baker; WSB
- “Saturday Extra: VD In Georgia,” Producer – Hank Phillip; WSB

**Outstanding Achievement: Feature Reporting**

- “Wrestling’s Last Night,” Producer – Ned Potter; WXIA
- “Spirit of Atlanta: Drum & Bugle Corps,” Producer – Collin Seidor; WXIA
- *“Crime In 1979,” Producer – Dennis Kauff; WSB*

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Film/ Tape Camera Person**

- “PM Magazine Videography,” George Gentry; WAGA
- *“TIME OUT,” Bill Gentry; WSB*
- “On LeConte 92,” Guy Piercy Jr., Bill Wages & Bennett Liles; GPTV

**Outstanding Achievement: Entertainment Program**

- *“Happy Birthday PM,” Producer – Don Smith; WAGA*
- “On Stage At The Agora – Wet Willie,” Producer – R.T. Williams; WTBS
- “Mountain Music Showdown,” Producer – William Johnson; GPTV

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft News Writing**

- “Olympic Torch,” Collin Siedor; WXIA
- “Close-Up: Apollo,” Ned Potter; WXIA
- *“Sweat,” Leroy Powell; WAGA*

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Performer (Non-News)**

- “Ebony Journal,” Maynard Eaton; WXIA
- *“Early Morning News Show,” Bill Tush; WTBS*
- “PM Magazine Host,” John Patrick; WAGA

**Outstanding Achievement: Sports Program**

- “The Fran Tarkenton Show,” Producer – Michael Reardon; WXIA
- *“Masters At Water Ski,” Producer – R.T. Williams; WTBS*
- “Harmon Wages On The Falcon Line,” Producers – Bill Wallace & Mark Engel; WAGA

**Outstanding Achievement: Series Reporting**

- “Those Scintillating Soaps,” Producer – Scott Newell; WXIA
- *“Hospice,” Producer – Pam Martin; WAGA*
- “Government Ghetto,” Producer – Dennis Kauff; WSB

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Artist**

- “Courtroom Graphics,” Virginia Staples; WSB
- *“Flames/ Hawks Billboards,” Ken England; WTBS*
- “Graphic Art,” Cal Warlick; WAGA

**Outstanding Achievement: Documentary Program**

- “Creation By Law: House Bill 690,” Producer – Paul Crawley; WXIA
- “Saturday Extra: Hurricane David,” Producers – Chuck Baker & Allan Eustis; WSB
- *“Death Row,” Producers – Wes Sarginson, Morris Pyle, & Dave Mobley; WSB*

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft Editorial or Commentary**

- “Are We Independent?” Jim Axel; WAGA
- “School Fees,” Lou Davis; WSB
- *“Ware Resignation,” Lou Davis; WSB*

**Outstanding Achievement: Public Affairs Program**

- “Locked Up,” Producer – David Ulrich; WAGA
- “Atlanta In The 1980’s,” Producers – Bebe Emmerman & Dick Mallary; WSB
- *“A Matter of Choice,” Producers Chuck Baker & Bebe Emmerman; WSB*

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Non-News Writing**

- *“The Fox: Fifty Fabulous Years,” Don Smith WAGA*
- “Sports Fantasy,” Bob Giorando; WSB
- “Brother Gold Call Letter Change,” Jesse Waller; WTBS

**Outstanding Achievement: Community Affairs Program**

- “An Alternative For Some,” Producer – Jim Axel; WAGA
- *“Saturday Extra: 2 Your Health,” Producer – Chuck Baker; WSB*
- “Livin’ On Borrowed Time,” Producer – Dennis Kauff; WSB

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft News Film/Tape Camera Person**

- “Horse Acupuncture,” Chris Clauson; WAGA
- “Hurricane Fred,” Dave Mobley; WSB
- *“Kill Or Be Killed,” Ray Young; WXIA*

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Sound**

- *“Makin’ It In The Record Business,” Scott Newell & Bill Mills; WXIA*
- “Location Audio,” James Childers; WAGA
- “Atlanta Symphony Christmas Concert,” John Naskiewicz & Art Stokes; WXIA

**Outstanding Achievement: Promotional Announcement**

- *“Haunted House,” Producer - Dianne Tasis; WXIA*
- *“Action,” Producer – Marilyn Manley; WSB*
- *“Action Campaign,” Producers – Marilyn Manley & Anne Eason; WSB*

**Outstanding Achievement: Individual Craft – Film/Tape Editing**

- *“On LeConte At 92,” Guy Piercy Jr.; GPTV*
- *“11 Alive News Opens,” Fred Congdon; WXIA*
- *“PM Magazine Editor,” Karl Zimmerman; WAGA*

**Outstanding Achievement: Entertainment Special (One Time Only)**

- *“The Fox: Fifty Fabulous Years,” Producer - Don Smith WAGA*
- *“Toccoa Falls Christmas,” Producers – Ron Buchwald & Bill Tullis; WTBS*
- *“Werner Herzog & The Making of Noseferatu,” Producers - Mike Hack & Jim Whaley; WETV*

**Outstanding Achievement: Deadline Reporting**

- *“Gold Heist Foiled,” Producer – Paul Crawley; WXIA*
- *“The Hyatt Hostage,” Producer – Scott Newell; WXIA*
- *“Hurricane Frederick,” Producers – Marc Pickard & Chuck Baker; WSB*

**Outstanding Achievement: Television News Excellence**

- *“TV-5 News Scene,” News Director – Paul E. Paolicelli; WAGA*
- *“Action News,” News Director – Ed Godfrey; WSB*
- *“11 Alive Newsroom,” News Director – Ron Becker; WXIA*