

# THEATRE MASK AWARDS

## Performance & Achievement Award Recipients

### ----- “Outstanding Drama” -----

- 2015 - *The Elephant Man* ~ **LOOKING GLASS PLAYHOUSE**  
2016 - *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof* ~ **THEATRE GUILD OF WEBSTER GROVES**  
2017 - *The Boys Next Door* ~ **ACT TWO THEATRE**  
2018 - *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* ~ **THE ACTORS' ATTIC**

### ----- “Outstanding Comedy” -----

- 2015 - *Miracle on South Division Street* ~ **ALTON LITTLE THEATER**  
2016 - *Noises Off!* ~ **O'FALLON THEATREWORKS**  
2017 - *Drop Dead* ~ **ACT TWO THEATRE**  
2018 - *Brighton Beach Memoirs* ~ **CLAYTON COMMUNITY THEATRE**

### ----- “Outstanding Performance by a Small Ensemble” -----

- 2015 - *Miracle on South Division Street* ~ **ALTON LITTLE THEATER**  
2016 - *Steel Magnolias* ~ **ALTON LITTLE THEATER**  
2017 - *Driving Miss Daisy* ~ **ALTON LITTLE THEATER**  
2018 - *Bus Stop* ~ **CLAYTON COMMUNITY THEATRE**

### ----- “Outstanding Performance by a Large Ensemble” -----

- 2015 - *You Can't Take it With You* ~ **THEATRE GUILD OF WEBSTER GROVES**  
2016 - *Noises Off!* ~ **O'FALLON THEATREWORKS**  
2017 - *The Boys Next Door* ~ **ACT TWO THEATRE**  
2018 - *Frost/Nixon* ~ **LOOKING GLASS PLAYHOUSE**

### ----- “Best Achievement in a Play” -----

#### **DIRECTION OF A DRAMA**

- 2015 - *Macbeth* (CCT), **Nancy Crouse**  
2016 - *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof* (TGWG), **John Austermann**  
2017 - *A View From the Bridge* (CCT), **Joe Hanrahan**  
2018 - *Frost/Nixon* (LGP), **Glenn Saltemachia**

#### **DIRECTION OF A COMEDY**

- 2015 - *Miracle on South Division Street* (ALT), **Lee Cox**  
2016 - *Noises Off!* (OTW), **Melissa Boyer**  
2017 - *Peter & the Starcatcher* (OTW), **Melissa Boyer**  
2018 - *Brighton Beach Memiors* (CCT), **Sam Hack**

#### **LIGHTING DESIGN**

- 2015 - *Macbeth* (CCT), **Nathan Schroeder**

2016 - *The Hound of the Baskervilles* (MASC), **Tim Paeltz**  
2017 - *Silent Sky* (MASC), **John Campbell**  
2018 - *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest* (ALT), **Lee Cox/Dennis R Stevenson**

#### **SET DESIGN**

2015 - *Macbeth* (CCT), **Nancy Crouse**  
2016 - *Diary of Anne Frank* (OTW), **Chris Lanham/Ellie Lanham/Chris Resimius**  
2017 - *Silent Sky* (MASC), **John Campbell**  
2018 - *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest* (OTW), **Chris Lanham/Ellie Lanham**

#### **COSTUME DESIGN**

2015 - *The Elephant Man* (LGP), **Cathy Symonds**  
2016 - *Tartuffe* (MASC), **Rebecca Zimmerman**  
2017 - *Alice in Wonderland* (MASC), **Sally Durrer**  
2018 - *The Great Gatsby* (OTW), **Carole Lanham**

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----- *“Outstanding Performance in a Comedic Play”* -----

#### **ACTOR IN A LEADING ROLE**

2015 - **Aaron Mermelstein**, *You Can't Take It With You* (TGWG)  
2016 - **Jeffrey Loyd**, *Noises Off!* (OTW)  
2017 - **Dan Stockton**, *The Odd Couple* (CUTC)  
2018 - **Patrick Blanner**, *Brighton Beach Memiors* (CCT)

#### **ACTRESS IN A LEADING ROLE**

2015 - **Gail Drillinger**, *Miracle on South Division Street* (ALT)  
2016 - **Gail Drillinger**, *Skin Deep* (ALT)  
2017 - **Chrissie Watkins**, *Sylvia* (TGWG)  
2018 - **Alison Beach**, *Who's in Bed with the Butler* (ALT)

#### **ACTOR IN A SUPPORTING ROLE**

2015 - **Larry Zerega**, *Fools* (TGWG)  
2016 - **Todd Micali**, *The Odd Couple* (ATT)  
2017 - **Greg Stiff**, *Peter & the Starcatcher* (OTW)  
2018 - **Will Shaw**, *Picaso at the Lapine Agile* (TGWG)

#### **ACTRESS IN A SUPPORTING ROLE**

2015 - **Heather Sartin**, *The Skin of Our Teeth* (CCT)  
2016 - **Carol Hodson**, *The Foreigner* (ALT)  
2017 - **Karen Lee**, *The Odd Couple* (CUTC)  
2018 - **Sarah Hirshfield**, *Laughter on the 23rd Floor* (TGWG)

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----- *“Outstanding Performance in a Dramatic Play”* -----

#### **ACTOR IN A LEADING ROLE**

2015 - **Mitch Ellis-Yapp**, *The Elephant Man* (LGP)  
2016 - **Jim Danek**, *Inherit the Wind* (CCT)  
2017 - **Isaiah Di Lorenzo**, *A View From the Bridge* (CCT)

2018 - **Dan Haller**, *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* (AA)

**ACTRESS IN A LEADING ROLE**

2015 - **Maria Wilken**, *Lost in Yonkers* (MASC)

2016 - **Nancy Crouse**, *A Trip to Bountiful* (TGWG)

2017 - **Liz Le Saulnier**, *Silent Sky* (MASC)

2018 - **Emily Brutton**, *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* (AA)

**ACTOR IN A SUPPORTING ROLE**

2015 - **Ronnie Lee Banks**, *The Piano Lesson* (CCT)

2016 - **Gregory Raymond Faupel**, *The Normal Heart* (AP)

2017 - **Jeremy Thomas**, *Two Trains Running* (CCT)

2018 - **Mike Russell**, *Frost/Nixon* (LGP)

**ACTRESS IN A SUPPORTING ROLE**

2015 - **Gabi Maul**, *The Mousetrap* (AP)

2016 - **Betsy Burnett-Belanger**, *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof* (TGWG)

2017 - **Brittani O'Connell**, *Steel Magnolias* (AP)

2018 - **Tori Stukins**, *The Great Gatsby* (OTW)

----- *“Outstanding Performance in a Play”* -----

**JUVENILE PERFORMANCE**

2015 - **Kyle Pudder**, *Lost in Yonkers* (MASC)

2016 - **Jackson Wylie**, *A Christmas Story* (CUTC)

2017 - **Anna Bulman**, *Alice in Wonderland* (MASC)

2018 - **Kaylee Ryan**, *The Children's Hour* (TGWG)

----- *“Special Recognition”* -----

**SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT**

2015 - Theatre Project Company

2016 - George & Bea Lamb

2017 - Sam Hack

2018 - Kevin Frakes

AA/The Actors' Attic; ALT/Alton Little Theater; AP/Alfresco Productions; ATT/Act Two Theatre; CCT/Clayton Community Theatre  
CUTC/Curtain's Up Theatre Co.; LGP/Looking Glass Playhouse; MASC/Monroe Actors Stage Co.;  
OTW/O'Fallon TheatreWorks; TGWG/Theatre Guild of Webster Groves