



International Association
of Culinary Professionals

2018 International Association of Culinary Professionals Awards Finalists

Food Writing Awards

The Food Writing Awards were first presented in 1991 to honor excellence in food journalism. The awards were formerly named after Bert Greene (1923-1988), a nationally renowned cooking teacher, cookbook author, and syndicated food columnist.

Beverage-Focused Column

Jon Bonné

“Jon Bonné on Wine”

PUNCH

Lettie Teague

“On Wine”

The Wall Street Journal / Off Duty

Wayne Curtis

“Mixopedia”

Imbibe

Food-Focused Column

Alice Medrich

“Rogue Baking Tips (and Recipes)”

Food52

Mitchell Davis; Laurent Gras

“Season to Taste”

SAVEUR

Nik Sharma

“A Brown Kitchen”

San Francisco Chronicle

Scott Hocker

“A Kitchen in New Orleans”

TASTE

Instructional Writing on Food or Beverage with Recipes

Daniel Gritzer

“For the Easiest Duck Confit at Home, Go Sous Vide”

Serious Eats

December 7, 2017

Elaine Johnson

“Trailblazers”

Sunset Magazine

May 2017

Stacy Adimando

“Masa Appeal”

SAVEUR

April/May 2017

Narrative Food Writing with or Without Recipes

Jenn Hall

“Special Report: Oysters (an 8-part series)”

Edible Jersey

July 6, 2017

Priya Krishna

“Inside Patel Brothers, the Most Beloved Indian Grocery Store in America”

Bon Appétit

February 22, 2017

Rick Nelson

“The Immigrants”

Minneapolis Star Tribune

May 11, 2017

Narrative Beverage Writing with or Without Recipes

Carrie Allan

“Hazard Signals”

Imbibe

May/June 2017

Garrett Snyder

“How an LA Bar Built One of the World’s Greatest Stockpiles of Rare Spirits”

PUNCH

March 28, 2017

Sam Riches

“The Story of Heady Topper, America’s Obsession-Driving Double IPA”

Foodandwine.com

March 1, 2017

Culinary Travel Writing

Bianca Bosker

“Why Should a Melon Cost As Much as a Car?”

Roads & Kingdoms

March 27, 2017

Francis Lam

“In Good Hands”

AFAR

May/June 2017

Leslie Pariseau

“Four Million Pots”

SAVEUR

August/September 2017

Personal Essays/Memoir Writing

Emily Peterson

“Mystery Meat”

Edible Philly

June 28, 2017

Rosie Schaap

“Pâté Revisited”

Thrillist

December 28, 2017

Sara'o Maozac

“East, West, Then Backward: Falling for Groundnut Soup in Ghana”

Serious Eats

June 22, 2017

Taffy Brodesser-Akner

“The Laws of Return”

SAVEUR

August/September 2017

Publication of the Year (Circulation of 300,000 or Less)

Christopher Kimball's Milk Street Magazine

Editorial staff of Christopher Kimball's Milk Street Magazine

The Coastal Table

Karen J. Covey

SAVEUR

Adam Sachs

Publication of the Year (Circulation of 300,000 or More)

Cooking Light

Hunter Lewis

EatingWell

Jessie Price

The Washington Post Food

Joe Yonan; Bonnie S. Benwick and Matt Brooks

Digital Media Awards

Honoring excellence and trendsetters in traditional and emerging communications technologies, the Digital Media Awards include culinary blogs, video, audio, and other digital forms.

Best Corporate Food Instagram Account

Bon Appétit

[@bonappetitmag](#)

The Chef's Garden

[@farmerleejones](#)

Healthyish

[@healthy_ish](#)

Best Personal Food Instagram Account

Aliza J. Sokolow

[@alizajsokolow](#)

David Hagerman

[@davehagerman](#)

Julie Qiu

[@inahalfshellblog](#)

Tucker Taylor

[@farmert](#)

Culinary Website

[Basically](#)

Amiel Stanek and Carey Polis

[Bon Appétit](#)

Alex Beggs and Carey Polis

[Serious Eats](#)

Ed Levine

Group Blog

[Epicurious](#)

Eric Gillin; David Tamarkin and the Editors of Epicurious

[New Yorker](#)

Marie Elena Martinez; Nicholas Gill

[The Salt, from NPR](#)

Maria Godoy, Allison Aubrey, Dan Charles and various contributors

Individual Blog

[Brooklyn Supper](#)

Elizabeth Stark

[conifères & feuillus](#)

Annika Patel

[Food Nouveau](#)

Marie Asselin

Narrative Marketing Campaign

ChefsFeed

[Medium Rare](#)

Tastemade

[\[Re\]Generation](#)

Vermont Dairy Country with Stonyfield

[A Couple Cooks](#)

Podcast or Radio Show

Gimlet Creative & Blue Apron

[Why We Eat What We Eat](#)

Kathy Gunst

[Here & Now](#)

Meatless Monday; Canning; Citrus

The Splendid Table, American Public Media

[The Splendid Table](#)

Host, Francis Lam

Producers, Sally Swift; Jennifer Russell

Technical Director, Jennifer Luebke

Corporate Video or Television Series

Christopher Kimball's Milk Street Television

Christopher Kimball

177milkstreet.com

Scraps

Joel Gamoran & Tim Whitney

itunes.apple.com

surlatable.com

[Re]Generation

Tastemade

tastemade.com

Independent Video or Television Series

[Master Bread Baking](#)

David Ellner

Panna

[1 Minute Meal: A Documentary Portrait of NYC](#)

James Boo

1 Minute Meal, Season 3

[A Chef's Life](#)

Host Vivian Howard; Director Cynthia Hill of Markay Media

Single Food-Focused Video or Feature Film

[Essentials of Mexican Cooking](#)

Rick Bayless / Craftsy

[James Beard: America's First Foodie](#)

Co-producer: Kathleen Squires

Producer/Director: Elizabeth Federici

[Roots of Innovation](#)

Ben Snyder & Michelle Demuth-Bibb / The Chef's Garden

Food Photography & Styling Awards

The IACP Food Photography & Styling Awards are designed to recognize excellence in food photography and food styling in both commercial and editorial realms.

Best Commercial Food Photograph

Joshua Stenseth

“Cinnamon Semifreddo with Figs”

December 2017

Mark Boughton

“Honey for the Holidays”

December 2017

Michael Pohuski

“McCormick Annual Report 2016”

January 2017

Suzanne Clements

“Huevos Rancheros”

January 2017

Best Food Styling in a Commercial Food Photograph

Mary Valentin

“Milk Splash”

December 2017

Suzanne Clements

“Ahi Poke Bowl”

March 2017

Suzanne Clements

“Huevos Rancheros”

January 2017

Best Editorial/Personal Food Photograph

Barbara Wrigley McDevitt

“Roasted Carrots”

December 2017

Chelsea Kyle

“Low Country Shrimp Boil”

June 2017

Julie Chernoff

“Shakshuka Morning”

May 2017

Best Food Styling in an Editorial/Personal Food Photograph

Jeffrey A. Martin

“Fried Egg Monster Burger”

November 2017

Julie Chernoff

“Shakshuka Morning”

May 2017

Melina Hammer

“Shingled Brown Butter Rosemary Apple Pie”

September 2017

Cookbook Awards, Presented by Cuisinart

The gold standard among cookbook awards, IACP's Cookbook Awards have been presented for more than 25 years to promote quality and creativity in writing and publishing, and to expand the public's awareness of culinary literature. These awards are sponsored by Cuisinart.

American

BraveTart: Iconic American Desserts

Author: Stella Parks

Publisher: W. W. Norton & Company

Homegrown: Cooking from My New England Roots

Author: Matt Jennings

Editor: Judy Pray

Publisher: Artisan Books

Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat: Mastering the Elements of Good Cooking

Author: Samin Nosrat

Editor: Emily Graff

Publisher: Simon & Schuster

Baking

Candy Is Magic: Real Ingredients, Modern Recipes

Author: Jami Curl

Editor: Jenny Wapner

Publisher: Ten Speed Press

The Sullivan Street Bakery Cookbook

Author: Jim Lahey with Maya Joseph

Publisher: W. W. Norton & Company

Sweet: Desserts from London's Ottolenghi

Authors: Yotam Ottolenghi; Helen Goh

Editor: Kaitlin Ketchum

Publisher: Ten Speed Press

Chefs & Restaurants

Cheers to the Publican, Repast and Present: Recipes and Ramblings from an American Beer Hall

Author: Paul Kahan with Rachel Holtzman

Editor: Lorena Jones

Publisher: Lorena Jones Books

Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat: Mastering the Elements of Good Cooking

Author: Samin Nosrat

Editor: Emily Graff

Publisher: Simon & Schuster

wd~50: The Cookbook

Authors: Wylie Dufresne; Peter Meehan

Editor: Daniel Halpern

Publisher: Ecco, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers

Children, Youth & Family

Baking Class: 50 Fun Recipes Kids Will Love to Bake!

Author: Deanna F. Cook

Editors: Deborah Balmuth; Lisa Hiley

Publisher: Storey Publishing

Feeding a Family: A Real-Life Plan for Making Dinner Work

Author: Sarah Waldman

Editors: Jennifer Urban-Brown; Sara Berholz

Publisher: Roost Books

The School Year Survival Cookbook: Healthy Recipes and Sanity-Saving Strategies for Every Family and Every Meal (Even Snacks)

Authors: Laura Keogh; Ceri Marsh

Editor: Bhavna Chauhan

Publisher: Appetite by Random House

Compilations

The Blue Apron Cookbook: 165 Essential Recipes and Lessons for a Lifetime of Home Cooking

Author: Blue Apron Culinary Team

Editors: Karen Rinaldi; Hannah Robinson

Publisher: Harper Wave

Cherry Bombe: The Cookbook

Authors: Kerry Diamond; Claudia Wu

Editor: Amanda Englander

Publisher: Clarkson Potter

The Grand Central Market Cookbook: Cuisine and Culture from Downtown Los Angeles

Authors: Adele Yellin; Kevin West

Editor: Amanda Englander

Publisher: Clarkson Potter

Culinary Travel

Acid Trip: Travels in the World of Vinegar

Author: Michael Harlan Turkell

Editor: Michael Sand

Publisher: Abrams

King Solomon's Table: A Culinary Exploration of Jewish Cooking from Around the World

Author: Joan Nathan

Editor: Lexy Bloom

Publisher: Alfred A. Knopf

Tasting Georgia: A Food and Wine Journey in the Caucasus

Author: Carla Capalbo

Editor: Alexander Fyjis-Walker

Publishers: Interlink Books/Pallas Athene Publishers

The IACP Julia Child First Book Award, Presented by The Julia Child Foundation for Gastronomy and the Culinary Arts

Bread Toast Crumbs: Recipes for No-Knead Loaves & Meals to Savor Every Slice

Author: Alexandra Stafford with Elizabeth Lowery

Editor: Amanda Englander

Publisher: Clarkson Potter

Kachka: A Return to Russian Cooking

Authors: Bonnie Frumkin Morales; Deena Prichep

Editors: Will Schwalbe; Kara Rota

Publisher: Flatiron Books

Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat: Mastering the Elements of Good Cooking

Author: Samin Nosrat

Editor: Emily Graff

Publisher: Simon & Schuster

Food Matters

American Seafood: Heritage, Culture & Cookery from Sea to Shining Sea

Author: Barton Seaver

Editor: Jennifer Williams

Publisher: Sterling Epicure

Deepa's Secrets: Slow Carb New Indian Cuisine

Author: Deepa Thomas

Editor: Kim Lim

Publisher: Skyhorse

Lure: Healthy Sustainable Seafood Recipes from the West Coast

Authors: Ned Bell with Valerie Howes

Editor: Michelle Meade

Publisher: Figure 1 Publishing

Scraps, Wilt & Weeds: Turning Wasted Food into Plenty

Authors: Mads Refslund; Tama Matsuoka Wong

Editors: Karen Murgolo; Morgan Hedden

Publisher: Grand Central Life & Style

Food Photography & Styling

The Home Cook: Recipes to Know by Heart

Author: Alex Guarnaschelli

Editor: Rica Allannic

Publisher: Clarkson Potter

The Newlywed Cookbook: Favorite Recipes for Cooking Together

Author: Williams Sonoma

Editors: Amy Marr; Lisa Atwood

Publisher: Weldon Owen

Simple Fare: Spring and Summer

Simple Fare: Fall and Winter

Author: Karen Mordechai

Editor: Laura Dozier

Publisher: Abrams

General

Bringing It Home: Favorite Recipes from a Life of Adventurous Eating

Author: Gail Simmons with Mindy Fox

Editor: Karen Murgolo

Publisher: Grand Central Life & Style

Dinner: Changing the Game

Author: Melissa Clark

Editor: Doris Cooper

Publisher: Clarkson Potter

Six Seasons: A New Way with Vegetables

Author: Joshua McFadden with Martha Holmberg

Editor: Ann Bramson

Publisher: Artisan Books

Health & Special Diet

The Book of Greens: A Cook's Compendium of 40 Varieties, from Arugula to Watercress, with More than 175 Recipes

Authors: Jenn Louis; Kathleen Squires

Editor: Emily Timberlake

Publisher: Ten Speed Press

Recipes from the Herbalist's Kitchen: Delicious, Nourishing Food for Lifelong Health and Well-Being

Author: Brittany Wood Nickerson

Editors: Nancy Ringer; Michal Lumsden

Publisher: Storey Publishing

Vegan for Everybody: Foolproof Plant-Based Recipes for Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner, and In-Between

Authors: The Editors at America's Test Kitchen

Editors: The Editors at America's Test Kitchen

Publishers: Penguin Random House/America's Test Kitchen

International

King Solomon's Table: A Culinary Exploration of Jewish Cooking from Around the World

Author: Joan Nathan

Editor: Lexy Bloom

Publisher: Alfred A. Knopf

Nopalito: A Mexican Kitchen

Authors: Gonzalo Guzmán with Stacy Adimando

Editor: Jenny Wapner

Publisher: Ten Speed Press

Rasika: Flavors of India

Authors: Ashok Bajaj; Vikram Sunderam; David Hagedorn

Editor: Daniel Halpern

Publisher: Ecco, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers

Literary Food Writing

The Culinarians: Lives and Careers from the First Age of American Fine Dining

Author: David S. Shields

Editor: Alan Thomas

Publisher: University of Chicago Press

Grocery: The Buying and Selling of Food in America

Author: Michael Ruhlman

Editor: Michael Sand

Publisher: Abrams

Unforgettable: The Bold Flavors of Paula Wolfert's Renegade Life

Author: Emily Kaiser Thelin

Editor: Karen Murgolo

Publisher: Grand Central Life & Style

Reference & Technical

American Seafood: Heritage, Culture & Cookery from Sea to Shining Sea

Author: Barton Seaver

Editor: Jennifer Williams

Publisher: Sterling Epicure

The Book of Cheese: The Essential Guide to Discovering Cheeses You'll Love

Author: Liz Thorpe

Editors: Will Schwalbe; Kara Rota

Publisher: Flatiron Books

Peppers of the Americas: The Remarkable Capsicums That Forever Changed Flavor

Author: Maricel E. Presilla

Editor: Lorena Jones

Publisher: Lorena Jones Books

Single Subject

Artisan Sourdough Made Simple: A Beginner's Guide to Delicious Handcrafted Bread with Minimal Kneading

Author: Emilie Raffa

Editor: Sarah Monroe

Publisher: Page Street Publishing Co.

Hello, My Name Is Ice Cream: The Art and Science of the Scoop

Author: Dana Cree

Editor: Francis Lam

Publisher: Clarkson Potter

The Pho Cookbook: Easy to Adventurous Recipes for Vietnam's Favorite Soup and Noodles

Author: Andrea Nguyen

Editor: Kelly Snowden

Publisher: Ten Speed Press

Wine, Beer & Spirits, Presented by Kendall-Jackson

The Bloody Mary: The Lore and Legend of a Cocktail Classic, with Recipes for Brunch and Beyond

Author: Brian Bartels

Editor: Emily Timberlake

Publisher: Ten Speed Press

Champagne: The Essential Guide to the Wines, Producers, and Terroirs of the Iconic Region

Author: Peter Liem

Editor: Kelly Snowden

Publisher: Ten Speed Press

Meehan's Bartender Manual

Author: Jim Meehan

Editor: Emily Timberlake

Publisher: Ten Speed Press