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# All The Radio Awards 2021 winners!

The winners of the 11th edition of The Radio Awards were announced on Friday 30 July 2021, in an online awards ceremony hosted by comedian Loyiso Madinga. A total of 80 winners were celebrated across 30 categories.



The prestigious Station of the Year awards went to Jacaranda FM (Commercial), Lotus FM (Public Broadcast Service), Hot 91.9FM (Community), and Tuks FM 107.2 (Campus).

This is the first year that Lotus FM has won the Station of the Year (SoTY) award, claiming five wins across various PBS categories. Similarly, five wins across the Commercial categories saw Jacaranda FM win its second SoTY award. Tuks FM 107.2 celebrated its seventh SoTY award in the Campus category, while Hot 91.9FM took home a fifth consecutive SoTY award in the Community radio category.

"In a year that has been marked by tremendous upheaval because of the Covid-19 pandemic, and where innovation and a can-do attitude has been a prerequisite for success, it's been incredible to see how radio has brought communities together and kept them engaged. The on-going support and participation by radio stations in The Radio Awards has been overwhelming, and we congratulate all the winners and finalists who have played such an important part in keeping the nation informed and entertained with high-quality broadcasting," says Taryn Westoby, Head of Arena Events which manages The Radio Awards.

Station of the Year winners were determined by the number of times they appeared as a finalist across all general categories of The Radio Awards, for the broadcast period of 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020. Each of the finalists submitted a further motivation which spoke to the station's innovation, audience growth, community outreach, general achievements, as well as their "x-factor". This motivation was then scored by The Radio Awards advisory panel. This score accounted for the first half of a station's final score, and the second half of the final score was determined by a station's success in the other categories.

Annelu Le Roux, Delucia Daniels, and J SBU were announced as Bright Star inductees, while Alfie Jay, Brenda Sisane, Lance Rothschild and Mark Pilgrim were inducted into the Hall of Fame for their indelible contributions to radio for more than thirty years.

In the two listener's choice categories, the My Station Most Votes Award went to Pretoria FM, which received the most online votes from the listening public. Pretoria FM previously received the award in 2015. The My Station Loyal Listeners Award went to Hot 91.9 FM for receiving the most public votes as a ratio against its RAMS figures. This is the third My Station Loyal Listeners award for Hot 91.9 FM, following wins in 2018 and 2020.

The recipient of The Radio Awards Bursary Award is Thulani Mashiya.

"We would like to thank the members of The Radio Awards advisory board, members of the NAB, our adjudication panel of esteemed radio professionals, the listening public, and auditors BDO for their commitment to ensuring the radio industry is acknowledged for the hard work it does," concludes Westoby.

Here are all the 2021 winners:

#### Station of The Year

- Campus: Tuks FM 107.2
- Community: Hot 91.9FM
- PBS: Lotus FM
- Commercial: Jacaranda FM

| AFTERNOON DRIVE PRESENTER |                    |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| CAMPUS                    |                    |
| STATION                   | PRESENTER          |
| UJFM95.4                  | BOLELE POLISA      |
| COMMUNITY                 |                    |
| STATION                   | PRESENTER          |
| GROOTFM90.5               | RUBEN DELMAGE      |
| PBS                       |                    |
| STATION                   | PRESENTER          |
| MOTSWEDING FM             | LUCKY LTK KOMANISI |
| COMMERCIAL                |                    |
| STATION                   | PRESENTER          |
| RADIO 702                 | JOHN PERLMAN       |
| AFTERNOON DRIVE SHOW      |                    |
| CAMPUS                    |                    |
| STATION                   | SHOW               |
| UJFM95.4                  | UJFMDRIVE          |
| COMMUNITY                 |                    |
| STATION                   | SHOW               |
| RADIO HELDERBERG 93.6FM   | CRUISE CONTROL     |
| PBS                       |                    |
| STATION                   | SHOW               |

|                             | AWATHUNZI ANABILE AFTERNOON DRIVE SHOW(AAADS)      |
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| COMMERCIAL                  |  |
| STATION                     | SHOW   |
| JACARANDA FM                | THE SCENIC DRIVE WITH RIAN                         |
| BREAKFAST SHOW PRESENTER    |  |
| CAMPUS                      |  |
| STATION                     | PRESENTER  |
| PUKFM93.6                   | CHARONIKE NEL                                      |
| COMMUNITY                   |  |
| STATION                     | PRESENTER  |
| HOT 91.9FM                  | JEREMY MANSFIELD                                   |
| PBS                         |  |
| STATION                     | PRESENTER  |
| LOTUS FM                    | O'NEIL NAR   |
| COMMERCIAL                  |  |
| STATION                     | PRESENTER  |
| 947                         | ANELE MDODA  |
| BREAKFAST SHOW              |  |
| CAMPUS                      |  |
| STATION                     | SHOW   |
| UJFM95.4                    | UJFM BREAKFAST WITH NICK EXPLICIT                  |
| COMMUNITY                   |  |
| STATION                     | SHOW   |
| HOT 91.9FM                  | MANSFIELD IN THE MORNING                           |
| PBS                         |  |
| STATION                     | SHOW   |
| RADIO 2000                  | THE TAKE OFF                                       |
| COMMERCIAL                  |  |
| STATION                     | SHOW   |
| JACARANDA FM                | BREAKFAST WITH MARTIN BESTER                       |
| BEST INTERNET RADIO SHOW    |  |
| COMBINED                    |  |
| STATION                     | SHOW   |
| EAST COAST GOLD             | DAWON BEARD ON EAST COAST GOLD                     |
| BUSINESS AND FINANCE SHOW   |  |
| COMBINED                    |  |
| STATION                     | SHOW   |
| TUKS FM107.2                | THE BLACK UMBRELLAS BUSINESS SHOW                  |
| COMMUNITY PROJECT           |  |
| CAMPUS                      |  |
| STATION                     | PROJECT  |
| TUKS FM107.2                | MENTAL MATTERS                                     |
| COMMUNITY                   |  |
| STATION                     | PROJECT  |
| HOT 91.9FM                  | HOT 91.9FM TEDDYTHON                               |
| PBS                         |  |
| STATION                     | SHOW/PROJECT                                       |
| LOTUS FM                    | THE BREAKFAST EXPRESS                              |
| COMMERCIAL                  |  |
| STATION                     | PROJECT  |
| JACARANDA FM                | GOOD MORNING ANGELS - BREAKFAST WITH MARTIN BESTER |
| CONTENT PRODUCER            |  |
| CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY COMBIN | ED   |
| STATION                     | SHOW   |
| VOICE OF WITS FM            | THE COVID REPORT                                   |
|                             |  |
| PBS<br>STATION              | SHOW   |
|                             |  |
| LOTUS FM                    | THE BREAKFAST EXPRESS                              |

| COMMERCIAL                   |   |
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| STATION                      |   |
| JACARANDA FM                 | BREAKFAST WITH MARTIN BESTER                                  |
| DAYTIME SHOW                 |   |
| CAMPUS                       | 1   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| VOICE OF WITS FM             | THAT LUNCH SHOW   |
| COMMUNITY                    |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| HOT 91.9FM                   | THE MARK PILGRIM SHOW   |
| PBS                          |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| UMHLOBO WENENE FM            | SJL (SIJIK'ILANGA)  |
| COMMERCIAL                   |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| EAST COAST RADIO             | MC NAIDOO ON EAST COAST RADIO                                 |
| DRAMA PROGRAMME              |   |
| COMBINED                     |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| RSG                          | BLOEDMAAN   |
| FIELD NEWS REPORTER          | ·   |
| COMBINED                     |   |
| STATION                      | REPORTER  |
| EYEWITNESS NEWS              | SPECIAL ANTI-ROBBERY SQUAD FIELD REPORTER - VERONICA MAKHOALI |
| MULTI-CHANNEL PROMOTION      |   |
| COMBINED                     |   |
| STATION                      | CAMPAIGN  |
| TUKS FM107.2                 | TUKS FM SENDS A DREAM TO SPACE.                               |
| MUSIC SHOW                   |   |
| CAMPUS                       |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| TUKS FM107.2                 | TUKS FMHOUSE CULTURE  |
| COMMUNITY                    |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| PHELI FM                     | EZODUMO   |
| PBS                          |   |
|                              |   |
| STATION                      |   |
| RADIO 2000                   | BETTER TOGETHER   |
| COMMERCIAL                   | SHOW  |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
|                              | 947 TOP 40  |
| NEWS AND ACTUALITY SHOW      |   |
| CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY COMBINE |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| VOICE OF WITS FM             | ITALK YOUTH   |
| PBS                          |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| SAFM                         | SAFM FACTS OF FAITH   |
| COMMERCIAL                   |   |
| STATION                      | SHOW  |
| GAGASI FM                    | INDABA WITH ALEX  |
| NEWS BULLETIN READER         | ·   |
| CAMPUS                       |   |
| STATION                      | NEWSREADER  |
| MADIBAZ RADIO                | BULELANI NONYUKELA  |
| COMMUNITY                    |   |
| STATION                      | NEWSREADER  |
|                              |   |

| HOT 91.9FM                           | RAGANI ARCHERY                              |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| PBS                                  |   |
| STATION                              | NEWSREADER                                  |
| MOTSWEDING FM                        | DIMAKATSO MOTAUNG                           |
| COMMERCIAL                           |   |
| STATION                              | NEWSREADER                                  |
|                                      |   |
| 947<br>NIGHT-TIME SHOW               | THEMBEKILE MROTOTO                          |
| CAMPUS                               |   |
| STATION                              | SHOW  |
| VOICE OF WITS FM                     | RECRUITMENT AGENCY                          |
| COMMUNITY                            |   |
|                                      |   |
| STATION<br>RADIO HELDERBERG 93.6FM   | SHOW<br>WEEKNIGHTS WITH LINDI               |
| PBS                                  |   |
| STATION                              | SHOW  |
| SAFM                                 | SHOW<br>SAEM FACTS OF FAITH                 |
| COMMERCIAL                           |   |
| STATION                              | SHOW  |
| GAGASI FM                            | INDABALIFESTYLE                             |
| PODCAST                              |   |
|                                      |   |
| STATION                              | SHOW  |
|                                      |   |
| HOT 91.9FM<br>PROMOTIONS STUNT/EVENT | MANSFIELD IN THE MORNING                    |
|                                      |   |
| CAMPUS                               |   |
| STATION                              |   |
| TUKS FM107.2                         | TUKS FMS GLOBAL NETWORK OUTREACH PROGRAM    |
| COMMUNITY                            |   |
| STATION                              |   |
|                                      |   |
| RADIO TYGERBERG 104FM                | JERUSALEMA DANCE AND BIRTHDAY               |
| PBS                                  |   |
| STATION                              |   |
|                                      | UKHOZI 60 YEAR CELEBRATION                  |
| COMMERCIAL                           |   |
| STATION                              | CAMPAIGN                                    |
| ALGOA FM                             | ALGOA FM GREAT DEAL PROMOTION               |
| RADIO DOCUMENTARY                    |   |
| COMBINED                             |   |
| STATION                              | SHOW  |
| RADIO 702                            | INSIDE EWN                                  |
| RADIO INNOVATION                     |   |
| COMBINED                             |   |
| STATION                              | SHOW  |
| CAPETALK 567                         | BIG BREAKFAST BROADCAST WITH REFILWE MOLOTO |
| SPORTS PRESENTER                     |   |
| COMBINED                             |   |
| STATION                              | PRESENTER                                   |
| LOTUS FM                             | O'NEIL NAR                                  |
| SPORTS SHOW                          |   |
| CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY                 |   |
| STATION                              | SHOW  |
| HOT 91.9FM                           | HOT SPORT                                   |
| PBS                                  |   |
| STATION                              | SHOW  |
| RADIO 2000                           | THE TOUCHLINE WITH ROMY TITUS               |
|                                      |   |

| COMMERCIAL |                         |
|------------|-------------------------|
| STATION    | SHOW                    |
| METRO FM   | MARAWA SPORTS WORLDWIDE |

### **Station Imaging**

- Campus and Community Station: Inanda 88.4 FM
- PBS Station: Lesedi FM
- Commercial Station: Metro FM

| TRAFFIC PRESENTER  |                                  |  |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| COMBINED           |                                  |  |
| STATION            | PRESENTER                        |  |
| GAGASI FM          | CLARISSAMFEKA                    |  |
| WEEKEND RADIO SHOW |                                  |  |
| CAMPUS             |                                  |  |
| STATION            | SHOW                             |  |
| VOICE OF WITS FM   | THE GLOBAL LOVE EXPERIENCE       |  |
| COMMUNITY          |                                  |  |
| STATION            | SHOW                             |  |
| HOT 91.9FM         | SATURDAY BREAKFAST WITH ROB VEGA |  |
| PBS                |                                  |  |
| STATION            | SHOW                             |  |
| LOTUS FM           | BOLLYWOOD BILLBOARD              |  |
| COMMERCIAL         |                                  |  |
| STATION            | SHOW                             |  |
| JACARANDA FM       | WEEKENDS WITH KENZY              |  |

| MY STATION              |
|-------------------------|
| MOST VOTES: PRETORIA FM |
| MOST LOYAL: HOT 91.9FM  |

#### **Bright Star Inductees**

- Annelu Le Roux
- Delucia Daniels
- JSBU

## Hall of Fame Inductees

- Alfier Jay
- Brenda Sisane
- Lance Rothschild
- Mark Pilgrim

Station Managers Choice: Siyethemba Shozi Bursary Award: Thulani Mashiya

To view the complete list of 2021 winners, go to www.radioawards.co.za

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