

## THEMES & HONOREES



Meet Some of Our Heroes - Honorees stand out for their exemplary work in supporting inclusion and belonging.

# 2024 "DO GOOD. BE BETTER. IMPACT TOMORROW"

ChangeMaker - Social Impact:

**The Handy Foundation** 

### 2023 "40 YEARS OF STAYING FOCUSED"

ChangeMaker - Social Impact:

**The Hidden Genius Project** 

**ChangeMaker - Creative Content:** 

Hallmark Media's Mahogany

#### 2022 "FORWARD + TOGETHER"

ChangeMaker - Social Impact: **Human-I-T** 

ChangeMaker - Individual Leadership:

**Daisy Auger-Domínguez** 

### 2021 "BE SEEN. BE HEARD. BELONG."

We honored the resilience of our industry in a virtual setting

#### 2020 "BELONGING"

Our Dinner was cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic

#### 2019 "WE ARE INCLUSION"

Diversity Champion: Comcast NBC Universal

Diversity Advocate: City Year

### 2018 "DIVERSITY THROUGH THE AGES"

Diversity Champion: TV One

Diversity Advocate: Boys & Girls Club of America

#### 2017 "DIVERSITY IN THE DIGITAL AGE"

**Diversity Champion: HBO** 

Diversity Advocate: Girls Who Code

### 2016 "INCLUSION. IMPACT. INSPIRATION"

Diversity Champion: A+E Networks

Diversity Advocate: National Association of Latino

**Independent Producers (NALIP)** 

## 2015 "ONE ACTION MAKES A DIFFERENCE"

**Diversity Champion: Univision Communications** 

### 2014 "THE SHAPE OF THINGS TO COME"

Diversity Champion: **BET Networks** 

Diversity Advocate: FCC Commissioner Mignon L.

Clyburn

## 2013 "CELEBRATING OUR 30TH ANNIVERSARY"

Diversity Champion: Sony Picture Entertainment, Inc.
Diversity Advocate: League of United Latin American
Citizens (LULAC)

## 2012 "DIVERSITY IS MORE THAN A WORD"

Diversity Champion: Cox Communications, Inc.
Diversity Advocate: Healthy Media: Commission for
Positive Images of Women and Girls

### 2011 "BE DIVERSITY"

Diversity Champion: Time Warner Cable

Diversity Advocate: Rey Ramsey, One Economy

#### 2010 "SINGLE MINDED. MANY SIDED"

Diversity Champion: **Discovery Communications, Inc.**Diversity Advocate: **U.S. Rep. Doris O Matsui (D-CA)** 

## 2009 "MAKE A STATEMENT. MAKE A DIFFERENCE"

Diversity Champion: **Comcast Corporation and Turner Broadcasting System, Inc.** 

### 2008 "CELEBRATING 25 YEARS"

Diversity Champion: **Bright House Networks and** 

**Scripps Netwroks** 

Diversity Advocate: U.S. Rep. Joe Baca (D-CA)

#### **2007 "DIVERSITY BEYONE BOUNDARIES"**

**Diversity Champion: ESPN** 

Diversity Advocate: U.S. Rep. Edolphus "Ed" Towns

(D-NY)

#### 2006 "EXPRESSIONS OF DIVERSITY"

**Diversity Champion: MTV Networks** 

Diversity Advocate: U.S. Rep. Hilda L. Solis (D-CA)

## 2005 "EVERY DAY BELONGS TO EVERYONE"

Diversity Champion: Glenn A. Britt, Time Warner Cable; James A. Hatcher, Cox Communications Inc.; and Sherryl D. Love, Cox Communications, Inc. Diversity Advocate: U.S. Rep. Edolphus "Ed" Towns (D-NY)

#### 2004 "CELEBRATING DIVERSITY"

Diversity Honoree: **Spencer Kaitz, Founder, Walter Kaitz Foudnation** 

#### 2003 "CABLE'S COMMITMENT"

Diversity Honoree: **Decker Anstrom, Landmark Communications** 

#### 2002 "DIVERSITY MEANS BUSINESS

Diversity Honoree: **Brian L. Roberts, Comcast Corporation** 

#### 2001

Our Dinner was cancelled in the wake of the Sept. 11 tragedy

#### 2000 "NEW VISION, NEW DIRECTION"

Diversity Honoree: John J, Rigas, Adelphia Communications, Inc.

### 1999 "OPPORTUNITY AND ACCESS"

Diversity Honoree: William J. Bresnan, Bresnan Communications, Inc.

### 1998 "IT'S ABOUT LEADERSHIP"

Diversity Honoree: **Charles F. Dolan, Cablevision Systems Corp.** 

## 1997 "CABLE'S RESOURCE FOR DIVERSITY"

Diversity Honoree: **James O. Robbins, Cox Communications, Inc.** 

#### 1996 "WE BREAK BARRIERS"

Diversity Honoree: **Robert L. Johnson, BET Holdings, Inc.** 

#### 1995 "IT'S TIME"

Diversity Honoree: John W. Goddard, Viacom Cable, Inc.

### 1994 "CHANGING THE FACE OF CABLE"

Diversity Honoree: **Gerald M. Levin, Time Warner Cable** 

#### 1993 "DIVERSITY DELIVERS"

Diversity Honoree: Amos B. Hostetter, Jr. Continental Cablevision, Inc.

## 1992 "CABLE'S RESOURCE FOR DIVERSITY"

Diversity Honoree: Walter Kaitz Fellows

#### 1991 "VISION FOR CHANGE"

Diversity Honoree: **Sydney Topol**, **Scientific-Atlanta**, **Inc.** 

# 1990 "A DECADE FOR AFFIRMING DIVERSITY"

Diversity Honoree: Ralph J. Roberts, Comcast Corporation

## 1989 "THE NEXT GENERATION: A NEW AMERICA"

Diversity Honoree: J. Richard Munro, Time Warner, Inc.

## 1988 "FIVE YEARS OF GROWTH AND MOMENTUM"

Diversity Honoree: Ralph M. Baruch, Viacom International

#### 1987 "INVESTING IN EXCELLENCE"

Diversity Honoree: R.E. "Ted" Turner, Turner Broadcasting

#### 1986 "INVESTING IN EXCELLENCE"

Diversity Honoree: Bill Daniels, Daniels & Associates

#### 1985 "INVESTING IN EXCELLENCE"

Diversity Honoree: **Bob & Betsey Magness, Tele-Communications, Inc.** 

### 1984 "INVESTING IN EXCELLENCE"

Diversity Honoree: **Thomas Wheeler, National Cable Television Association**