

AOF FESTIVAL 2011 WRITERS AWARDS and NOMINATIONS

*Congratulations to all of the 2011 AOF International Film Festival Award Nominees and Winners!
Great job. Winners are in Green Runner Up in Red*

1. BEST ACTION SEQUENCE SHORT

1. Artistic Differences – Matthew Furman
2. Frozen – Chris Hite
3. Hit & Run – Raef Eric Lawson
- 4 Juliet – Daniel Goldstein
5. **Nemisis – Matthew Meadath**
6. **The Server 1st Scene – Robert Tobin**

2. BEST COMEDY SCENE

1. **Transplant – Raef Eric Lawson**
2. Three of Diamonds – Brian Ronaghan
3. **The Motherload – Joan Macbeth**
- 4 The Maxwells Files – Camile LaBry & Blake West
5. The Highway Robberies – Arnold Chan
6. Sweeping Forward – Patricia MacDowell

3. BEST DRAMATIC SCENE

1. **The Hero – Limary Vargas**
2. **Pilate – GR Thompson**
3. Perception – Stan Harrington
4. The Bitter Taste of Champagne – Stuart Creque
5. Dust To Heaven – William Kely Mc Clung
6. It Never Rains in Southern California – Timothy Burger

4. BEST SCENE

1. **Momfia - Dean Watts**
2. Junior Cougar - Craig Rosenthal
3. Through Laura's Eyes - Donna Adams
4. The Mountain of The Moon - Jeffrey Ryback
5. The Truth We Choose - Natalie Hanson
6. **Cutthroat - James Hsiao**

5. BEST DIALOGUE SHORT

1. **White Tops Henry K. Lui**
2. A Simple Plea - Dean Watts
3. Caught - Teri Robinson & Michael Farrell
4. **D.W. AOR Action On Request - Robert Factor**
5. Every Week - Russ Meyer
6. Layla - Ron Podell

6. BEST COMEDY SHORT

1. D. W. AOR Action On Request - Robert Factor
2. **Dear Chuck Norris - Scott Sullivan**
3. A Simple Plea - Dean Watts
4. Chasing - Robert Tobin
5. The Night Guys - Steve Brechtel
6. **The Wedding - Yvonne Keane**

7. BEST DRAMATIC SHORT

1. Nemesis - Joe Seifert & Matthew Meadath
2. Vicious Circle - Ken Glover

3. Interruptions – Teri Robinson
4. **Common Ground – Lisa Henry**
5. **Frozen – Chris Hite**
6. Waves – Jeffrey Ryback

8. BEST SCI FI FANTASY SHORT

1. Tastes Like Chicken – Matthew Furman
2. **Sys and Rock Star – Jason Wallach**
3. Global Warming Scenes – Joan Macbeth
4. Fire Sign Girls – Velvet Rhodes
5. Every Week – Russ Meyer
6. **Morgan Street Watch Company – Gur Benshemesh**

9. BEST SHORT

1. Where's My Mommy? – Yvonne Keane
2. **The Boat Mechanic – Mark Winzer**
3. **Austin Artist – David Bacon**
4. Eden – Jason Rostovsky
5. I Wanna Be Adored – Jeremy Jed Hammel
6. Waritos – Henry Crum

10. BEST ACTION SEQUENCE FEATURE

1. **Cherry Poppin' – John Simpson & J.T. Harrel**
2. Kosovo – Tim Guay
3. Gravity – Andrew Noble
4. Holy Hell In Cuba – Roberto Marrero
5. **Guns, Hooker & A Pound of Coke – Marc Wasserman & Ford Austin**
6. Nemesis – Matthew Meadath

11. BEST COMEDY

1. Momfia - Dean Watts
2. Losing My Touch - Raef Eric Lawson
3. Life Spelled Out - Michelle Davidson
4. I Wanna Be Adored - Jeremy Jed Hammel
5. Layaway - Robert Pralgo & Chad Dowdy
6. Every Week - Russ Meyer

12. BEST DRAMA

1. Bare Knuckle Days - Neil Chase
2. Breaking News - D.A. Forbes
3. Cape Cod Lite - Caitlin McCarthy
4. Common Ground - Lisa Henry
5. Drum - Kenneth Lemm
6. No Fault Zone - Natalie Hanson

13. BEST DIALOGUE FEATURE

1. Perception - Stan Harrington
2. Blood Oath - Jason McNeil
3. Cherry Poppin' - John Simpson & J.T. Harrel
4. Momsters - Toni Runkle & Stephen Webb
5. Bums, Inc., - Denise Landau
6. Terminal Levity - Pam Wells

14. BEST SCI FI FANTASY FEATURE

1. Belzec: The Made Undead - Steffan Postaer
2. Gea Zone - Jimmy Mukofu

3. Solstice – Anthony Ochoa
4. Nemesis – Matthew Meadath
5. Reclamation – Romeal Watson
6. Second Lives – Michele Ryan

15. BEST PERIOD PIECE

1. **Walking In Another Man's Moccasins – Martin Mc Cann**
2. Usna – Martin Mc Cann
3. Bass Reeves: Deputy US Marshal – Jim Conover & William Homel
4. Uncommon Warrior – John Cirignani
5. **The Mirror Maker – Mel Turner**
6. Pilate – GR Thompson

16. BEST ALTERNATIVE / SOCIAL

1. **Wednesdays At The Gem – Bruce Clark**
2. When You're Dead – David Schroeder
3. **Waritos – Henry Crum**
4. The Caterpillar's Skin – Raffaele Passerini
5. Eden – Jason Rostovsky
6. Postnuptials – David Earle

17. BEST HORROR

1. Morgan Stree Watch Company – Gur Benshemesh
2. Durt-Or: Demon of the Desert
3. **The Blood Poet – Henry Lui and Gabrielle Lui**
4. Blood Stone – Scott Sullivan
5. **Belzec: The Made Undead**
6. Out Of Body – Michael Hogan

18. BEST FAMILY – CHILDREN

1. **Balls of Different Sizes – Robert Tobin & Leslie Coogan**
2. Rebel High – Alan O'Brien
3. Cape Cod Lite – Caitlin McCarthy
4. Engaged! A Silent Movie
5. Happy Acres – Colleen McQuaide
6. **Magic – Matthew Sconce**

19. BEST CRIME / THRILLER

1. **Paddy's In The Trunk – GR Thompson**
2. Vita Greg – Hickey
3. **Nailed For Murder – Alpha Blair**
4. The Boat Mechanic – Mark Winzer
5. Take My Wife – Brett Carlson
6. Frank's Angie – Dylan Levine

20. MOST AMBITIOUS SCRIPT

1. Atomic Adam – Donald Mangan
2. Champions – Sean Gallimore
3. Cockpit – Jesse Griffith
4. **The Hero – Limary Vargas**
5. **Mafiosa – Ashley Wells**
6. Mr. Park – Philip Travis

21. BEST SCRIPT

1. **Shanti Orini – Tropical**
2. Alpha Blair – Nailed for Murder

3. **Kely McClung - Altered**
4. Arnold Chan - The Highway Robberies
5. Joan Macbeth - The Motherload
6. Marc Winzer - Queen of Vengeance

22. BEST NEW WRITER

1. Jason McNeil - Triple Threat
2. **Mel Turner - The Mirror Maker**
3. Scott Sullivan - Blood Stone
4. Timthy Burger - It Never Rains In Southern California
5. Paul Loeschke - Beltway Bandits
6. **Debra Jansen - Chasing Bugs 2.0**

23. WRITEBROS SOFTWARE EXCELLENCE IN COMEDY

1. **Momfia - Dean Watts**
2. On Any Other Day - Lee Vehe
3. Postnuptuials - David Earle
4. Rebel High - Alan O'Brien
5. **Road Crew - Raef Eric Lawson**
6. Spooked - Allan Marcil

24. WITHOUTABOX BEST SCRIPT

1. **Valley of Spirits - Warren Hull**
2. Bungle In the Jungle - Raef Eric Lawson
3. Gea Zone - Jimmy Mofuku
4. Paddy's In the Trunk - GR Thompson
5. **Triple Threat - Jason McNeil**
6. Altered - Kely McClung

26. ARTHUR ROSENFELD AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN DRAMATIC WRITING

1. Fire Medicine – Franklin J. Himes
2. Saturnalia – Mark Gallagher
3. **To A Dancing God – Robert S. Horvath**
4. **Pilate – GR Thompon**
5. Spy Stuff– Kay Weibel
6. The Voyeur – John Bengel

27. THE CANOLE AWARD

1. **Warren Hull – Valley of Spirits**
2. Shanti Orini – Tropical
3. Alpha Blair – Nailed for Murder
4. Kely McClung – Altered
5. Mel Turner – The Mirror Maker
6. **Stan Harrington – Perception**

28. MOST LIKELY TO BE PRODUCED

1. Valley of Spirits – Warren Hull
2. **Shanti Orini – Tropical**
3. **Alpha Blair – Nailed for Murder**
4. Altered – Kely McClung
5. Bass Reeves: Deputy US Marshall – Jim Conover & William Homel
6. Perception – Stan Harrington

29. AOF Excellence in the Craft of the Written Word for 2011

1. Valley of Spirits – Warren Hull
2. Nailed for Murder – Alpha Blair

3. The Good Samaritan – Alpha Blair
- 4 Through Laura’s Eyes – Donna Adams
5. Razer – Kenneth Mader
6. The Chinese Disco – John F. Harris

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1. Nailed for Murder – Alpha Blair
2. Circle of Six – Janyce Lapore
3. Dime – Kyle Jennings
4. Implanted – Bruce Gold
5. The Paper Odyssey – Joshua Grover
6. You Are Not God – Duane Pederson

Best Writer’s Scene

1. Crooked – Matthew Furman, Velvet Rhodes, Martin McCann, Aaliyah Miller and Steven Karageanes
2. The Fortune Teller – Raef Lawson, Carrier Certa, Ron Podell, Henry Lui, Matt Sconce
3. The Last Shrimp– Katarzyna Kochany, Robert Factor, James Richards, Angela Crosato, Jason Wallach
4. The Reel Job– Neil Chase, Stepen Krystek, Michele Muldoon, Laura Black, Alex Reeves
5. Lockdown High– Caitlin McCarthy, Richard Moon, Travis L. Johnson, Maggie Franks, Christopher Canole

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