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Latest News

- IF Awards tickets now on sale
- NEWS FLASH: IF Award nominations announced
- IF Awards 2008: the complete list
- Kerry Armstrong to be at WOW film fest opening
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- WOW to premiere fest selection online

IF Awards 2008: the complete list

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The 2008 IF Award nominations have been announced. Here is a comprehensive list of all the nominees:

The SHOWTIME IF Award for Best Feature Film

- The Black Balloon* – directed by Elissa Down and produced by Tristram Miall
- Men's Group* – directed by Michael Joy and produced by Michael Joy and John L Simpson
- Son of a Lion* – directed by Benjamin Gilmour and produced by Carolyn Johnson

The IF Award for Best Director

- David Nerlich and Andrew Traucki – *Black Water*
- Elissa Down – *The Black Balloon*
- Peter Duncan – *Unfinished Sky*

The Queensland Events Corporation IF Award for Best Actor

- Rhys Wakefield – *The Black Balloon*
- Grant Dodwell – *Men's Group*
- William McInnes – *Unfinished Sky*

The IF Award for Best Actress

- Gemma Ward – *The Black Balloon*
- Maeve Dermody – *Black Water*
- Monic Hendrickx – *Unfinished Sky*

The Sony IF Award for Best Cinematography

- Denson Baker ACS – *The Black Balloon*
- Jules O'Loughlin – *September*
- Robert Humphreys ACS – *Unfinished Sky*

The Dinosaur Designs IF Award for Best Music

- Michael Yezerski – *The Black Balloon*
- Haydn Walker – *Men's Group*
- Amanda Brown – *Son of a Lion*

The IF Award for Best Script

- Elissa Down and Jimmy The Exploder – *The Black Balloon*
- Michael Joy and John L Simpson – *Men's Group*
- Peter Duncan – *Unfinished Sky*

The SBS IF Award for Best Documentary

- The Burning Season* – Directed by Cathy Henkel and produced by Jeff Canin, Trish Lake and Cathy Henkel.
- The Oasis* – Co-directed by Ian Darling and Sascha Ettinger Epstein and produced by Ian Darling.
- Playing In The Shadows* – Co-directed and co-produced by Sascha Ettinger Epstein and Marco Ianiello

The Holding Redlich IF Award for Best Short Film

- fOUR* – Directed by Erin White and produced by Zyra McAuliffe
- Spider* – Directed by Nash Edgerton and produced by Nicole O'Donohue.
- You Better Watch Out* – Directed by Steve Callen and produced by Jules Callen.

The Autodesk IF Award for Best Animation

- The Covenant of Mr Kasch* – Co-directed and co-produced by Joshua Beahan and Ruwan de Silva
- Dog With Electric Collar* – Directed by Steve Baker and produced by Damon Escott.



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Mutt – Directed by Glen Hunwick and produced by Beth Frey.

The IF Award for Best Short Documentary

Mad Morro – Directed by Kelrick Martin and produced by Tom Zubrycki.
Rare Chicken Rescue – Directed by Randall Wood and produced by Vickie Gest.
Undressing Vanessa – Directed by Matthew Pond and produced by Tina Lymberis.

The 3 IF Award for Best Music Video

Director Luke Eve and producer Simon Ritch – "Emergency! Emergency!" by The Hot Lies.
 Directors Damon Escott and Stephen Lance and producer Leanne Tonkes – "If You Keep Losing Sleep" by Silverchair .
 Directors Angus and Julia Stone, Josh Groom and Andrew Yoole and producers Madeleine Milasas and Jodie Passmore – "Just A Boy" by Angus and Julia Stone

The Production Book IF Award for Best Production Design

Nicholas McCallum – *The Black Balloon*
 Sam Hobbs – *September*
 Laurie Faen – *Unfinished Sky*

The Cutting Edge IF Award for Best Editing

Veronica Jenet ASE – *The Black Balloon*
 Rodrigo Balart – *Black Water*
 Suresh Ayyar – *Unfinished Sky*

The Zig Zag Lane IF Award for Best Sound

Paul Pirola – *The Black Balloon*
 Sam Petty – *The Square*
 Andrew Plain, Annie Breslin, Will Ward – *Unfinished Sky*

The Post Op Group Independent Spirit IF Award

Christopher Weekes, writer/director and lead actor – *Bitter & Twisted*
 Jason Byrne, producer – *Rats & Cats*
 Benjamin Gilmour (director) and Carolyn Johnson (producer) – *Son of a Lion*

The EFilm IF Award for Rising Talent

Amy Gebhardt (Director of *Heart, Look Sharp*)
 Cris Jones (Director of *The Funk*)
 Leon Ford (Director of *Katoomba*, Actor *The Last Chip*)

ZTudio What IF? Award for Best Unproduced Screenplay

Sam Voutas – *Red Light Revolution*
 Kieran Darcy-Smith – *Memorial Day*
 Matthew C Vaughan – *Get Black*

The following awards will also be presented on the night at the Inside Film Awards:

- The IF Award for a Living Legend**
- The Screen Australia IF Award for Box Office Achievement**
- The Inside Film Magazine Award for Festival of the Year**

The winners of the coveted IF Awards in 2008 will be revealed on Thursday 13 November when the glittering ceremony takes place on the Gold Coast. The IF Awards are broadcast on live on SBS TV and can be seen again on SHOWTIME on Tuesday 18 November and Wednesday 19 November.

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