



# MATRIX AWARDS

NEW YORK WOMEN  
IN COMMUNICATIONS

# 2019 BALLOT

## NOMINATE A WOMAN WHO CONNECTS THE WORLD

Each year the Matrix Awards celebrates the career achievements of women in the communications field with a luncheon in their honor. This annual event, presented by New York Women in Communications, pays tribute to the industry's best and brightest professional women in various fields of communications.

### ELIGIBILITY DETAILS

The Matrix Awards are presented annually to women who:

- have achieved the highest level of professional excellence in their fields;
- are recognized for their exceptional abilities, their impact on the communications community, and their capacity to make a difference;
- provide leadership to their constituency;
- have contributed to New York Women in Communications' goal of supporting the advancement of women in the communications field.

The final selection of winners is made by an awards committee comprising representatives of the New York Women in Communications Board and past Matrix winners. The nominee must be available to attend the Matrix Awards Luncheon in order to receive the award.

New York Women in Communications empowers women in all communications disciplines at all stages of their careers to reach their full potential by promoting their professional growth and inspiring them to achieve and share their successes in the rapidly changing world of communications.

A matrix was a metal mold used to cast type for printed material. It represents the beginning of mass communication.



# 2019 MATRIX NOMINATIONS

The category descriptions provided are merely a guide by which you may select your candidate. Awards will not be given in all categories listed.

Nominations must be postmarked or emailed no later than midnight, Friday, September 7, 2018.

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Candidate's Name .....

Title .....

Organization .....

Category .....

Business Phone .....

E-mail address .....

Your Name .....

Title .....

Organization .....

Address .....

City, State, Zip .....

Business Phone .....

Home Phone .....

E-mail address .....

## CATEGORIES

Advertising

Arts & Entertainment

Books

Broadcasting

Communications  
Education

Corporate  
Communications

Digital Media

Graphic Design/  
Illustration

Magazines

Marketing

Newspapers

Public Relations

Radio

Television



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CANDIDATE BIOGRAPHY

A STATEMENT AS TO WHY YOU THINK THIS PERSON IS WORTHY

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# MATRIX HALL OF FAME



- '18 Halle Berry  
Mika Brzezinski  
Kim Kelleher  
Betsy Kenny Lack  
Dia Simms  
Alexandra Trower  
Shelley Zalis  
*Incite Award*  
Jodi Kantor  
Emily Steel  
Megan Twohey
- '17 Rukmini Callimachi  
Gretchen Carlson  
Susan Credle  
Savannah Guthrie  
Kristin Lemkau  
Judy Smith  
Nancy Weber
- '16 Linda Boff  
Nancy Dubuc  
Lena Dunham  
Nancy Gibbs  
Carol Hamilton  
Mellody Hobson  
Liz Kaplow  
Janice Min
- '15 Kirsten Gillibrand  
Debra L. Lee  
Andrea Mitchell  
Robbie Myers  
Martine Reardon  
Megan Smith
- '14 Wendy Clark  
Jane Mayer  
Dyllan McGee  
Eileen Naughton  
Jonelle Procope  
Cynthia McFadden  
Queen Latifah
- '13 Joanna Coles  
Anne Finucane  
Mindy Grossman  
Bonnie Hammer  
Jacki Kelley  
Audra McDonald  
Kara Swisher
- '12 Tyra Banks  
Gayle Butler  
Glenn Close  
Maria Cuomo Cole  
Ann Curry  
Laura Desmond  
Zenia Mucha  
Peggy Noonan
- '11 Cindi Berger  
Gwen Ifill  
Robin Koval  
Idina Menzel  
Abbe Raven  
Sheryl Sandberg  
Gina Sanders  
Betty White
- '10 Susan Chira  
Sheryl Crow  
Tina Fey  
Ina Garten  
Doris Kearns Goodwin  
Anne Keating  
Gayle King  
Marissa Mayer
- '09 Campbell Brown  
Leslee Dart  
Monica Langley  
Dany Levy  
S. Epatha Merkerson  
Sherrie Rollins Westin  
Linda Sawyer  
Linda Wells
- '08 Joann C. Danielides  
Susan Gianinno  
Linda Greenhouse  
Ruth Reichl  
Robin Roberts  
Anna Deavere Smith  
Anne Sweeney  
Diane von Furstenberg\*
- '07 Cindy Adams  
Lisa Caputo  
Joan Didion  
Pamela Fiori  
Thelma Golden  
Susan Lyne  
Arianna Huffington  
Meredith Vieira
- '06 Jill Abramson  
Candace Bushnell  
Beth Comstock  
Geena Davis  
Ellen DeGeneres\*  
Joan Hamburg  
Cynthia Leive  
Renetta McCann  
Katherine Oliver
- '05 Christiane Amanpour  
Nina DiSesa  
Linda Fairstein  
Edie Falco  
Amy Gross  
Wenda Harris Millard  
Charlotte Otto  
Marjorie Scardino
- '04 Alix M. Freedman  
Ann Fudge  
Susan Peterson Kennedy  
Nell Merlino  
Martha Nelson  
Bernadette Peters  
Debra Shriver  
Paula Zahn
- '03 Christy A. Ferer\*  
Gretchen C. Morgenson  
Sheila Nevins  
Maurie Perl  
Carolyn K. Reidy  
Jane Rosenthal  
Daisy Exposito-Ulla  
Kate White
- '02 Carole Black  
Peggy Conlon  
Eve Ensler  
Madeline de Vries  
Kati Marton  
Helen Thomas  
Meg Whitman  
Anna Wintour
- '01 Andrea Alstrup  
Judy Corman  
Jane Friedman  
Joanne Lipman  
Judy McGrath  
Valerie Salembier  
Lois Smith  
Pamela Thomas-Graham
- '00 Candice Carpenter  
Ranny Cooper  
Patricia Cornwell  
Patricia D. Fili-Krushel  
Katharine Graham  
Judith Jamison  
Ann Jackson  
Linda Kaplan Thaler
- '99 Katie Couric  
Esther Dyson  
Joyce Hergenhan  
Dorothy Kalins  
Debbie A. Krenek  
Linda Srere  
Meryl Streep  
Nan Talese
- '98 Pilar Crespi  
Anthea Disney  
Phyllis McGrady  
Betty Midler  
Sally Minard  
Janet Robinson  
Rochelle Udell
- '97 Red Burns  
Nora Ephron  
Anne Sutherland Fuchs  
Betty Hudson  
Laura Landro  
Esther R. Newberg  
Rosie O'Donnell  
Mary Lou Quinlan
- '96 Charlotte Beers  
Whoopi Goldberg  
Geraldine Laybourne  
Liz Smith  
Martha Stewart  
Amy Tan  
Patrice Tanaka
- '95 Shelly Lazarus  
Carolyn Lee  
Patricia Matson  
Toni Morrison  
Cokie Roberts  
Elizabeth Tilberis
- '94 Gail Blanke  
Maureen Dowd  
Sarah Frank  
Mary Ellen Mark  
Ann S. Moore  
Naomi Wolf  
Ruth A. Wooden
- '93 Jean L. Farinelli  
Paula Forman  
Jacqueline McCord Leo  
Penny Marshall  
Terry McMillan  
Lesley Stahl  
Alessandra Stanley
- '92 Sylvia Chase  
Fredrica S. Friedman  
Lou Rena Hammond  
Callie Khouri  
Elizabeth Valk Long  
Aileen Mehle  
Helayne Spivak
- '91 Penny Hawkey  
Karen Elliott House  
Annie Leibovitz  
Joan Lunden  
Grace Mirabella  
Lynn Nesbit  
Terrie Williams
- '90 Tina Brown  
Marian Burros  
Phyllis E. Grann  
Michelle H. Jordan  
Louise McNamee  
Lynn Sherr
- '89 Kim Armstrong  
Gail Collins  
Nancy Evans  
Frances Friedman  
Ellen Levine  
Betty Rollin
- '88 Myrna Blyth  
Carolyn Carter  
Marilyn Laurie  
Anna Quindlen  
Carolyn Wall  
Genevieve Young
- '87 Margaret Booth  
Jane Pauley  
Elaine S. Reiss  
Beverly Stephen  
Susan L. Taylor  
Wendy Weil
- '86 Dorothea M. Brooks  
Meredith Fernstrom  
Charlayne Hunter-Gault  
Kate Rand Lloyd  
Marcella Rosen  
Alice Walker
- '85 Barbara Taylor Bradford  
Laurel Cutler  
Helen Gurley Brown  
Eleanor Lambert  
Flora Lewis  
Mary Alice Williams
- '84 Susan Brownmiller  
Tamara K. Homer  
Judy Lynn Prince  
Enid Nemy  
Patricia Ryan  
Diane Sawyer
- '83 Maya Angelou  
Kay Koplovitz  
Patricia Martin  
Mary McGrory  
Jane Bryant Quinn  
Charlotte Kelly Veal
- '82 Karen W. Arenson  
Cathleen P. Black  
Caroline R. Jones  
Joyce Carol Oates  
Jeannette E. Paladino  
Kay J. Wight
- '81 Letitia Baldrige  
Judith Daniels  
Beth Fallon  
Pegeen Fitzgerald  
Jane Brown Maas  
Letty Cottin Pogrebin
- '80 Franchellie Cadwell  
Suzanne Garment  
Frances Fitzgerald  
Barbara Hunter  
Pamela Hill  
Ruth Whitney
- '79 Betty Furness  
Marcia Ann Gillespie  
Joan Lipton  
Elaine R. Pitts  
Harriet Rabb  
Barbara Tuchman  
Barbara Yuncker
- '78 Rena R. Bartos  
Jane E. Brody  
Patricia Carbine  
Dr. Dorothy Gregg  
Barbara Seaman  
Barbara Walters
- '77 Ann Berk  
Beatrice Buckler  
Gloria Emerson  
Muriel Fox  
Ada Louise Huxtable  
Nadeen Peterson
- '76 Gay Pauley  
Sylvia Porter  
Lynn Povich  
Marlene Sanders  
Jean Schoonover  
June Thursh
- '75 Madeline Amgott  
Aileen Corbett  
Elizabeth Janeway  
Charlotte Klein  
Judy Klemesrud  
Geraldine Rhoads  
Shirley Polykoff
- '74 Shana Alexander  
Charlotte Curtis  
Susanne Loeb  
Marya Mannes  
Joan Murray  
Rita Sands
- '73 Jo Foxworth  
Sondra Gorney  
Lucy Jarvis  
Eileen Shanahan  
Gail Sheehy
- '72 Mary Andrews Ayres  
Marylin Bender  
Pat Coffin  
Caroline Hood  
Melba Toliver
- '71 Bess Meyerson  
Aline Saarinen  
Gloria Steinem  
Jane Trahey  
Theo Wilson

\*Indicates Special Awards