

# **MEDIA ANNOUNCEMENT**

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### **Kansas City PBS Earns 14 Regional EMMY® Nominations**

KANSAS CITY, MO, August 17, 2018 — Kansas City PBS received 14 nominations for the 2018 National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences Mid-America Regional Chapter EMMY® Awards. The nominations are based on outstanding cultural, educational, technological, entertainment, news and informational achievements in television.

"It's so gratifying to receive nominations that reflect the diverse content and storytelling across all our services - KCPT, The Bridge and Flatland, KCPT's digital magazine. I couldn't be prouder of the work our teams do." KCPT President & CEO, Kliff Kuehl said. "We're incredibly fortunate to have community support for the work that we do, from foundations, corporations and our members."

#### KCPT nominations are:

#### Arts/Entertainment- Program Feature Segment

Show Me Arts - Willmott | John McGrath, Cole Blaise, Cody Boston, Brad Austin

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## Arts/Entertainment - Program/Special

*In Situ* | Brad Austin, Cole Blaise

#### Historic/Cultural - Program Feature Segment

LZ Kansas City: The Fight for Peace | Angee Simmons, Lindsey Foat, Mark Stamm

#### Human Interest - Program/Special

Sandlot | Jonathan Bender, John McGrath

#### Military - News Single Story / Program Feature Segment

Sacrifice and Reflection | Lindsey Foat, Angee Simmons, Mark Stamm, Brad Austin

#### Documentary-Cultural

Music is an Immigrant | Austin Goldberg, Nathan Eaton, Cole Blaise

### Interview/Discussion – Program

Live on the Bridge: Shakey Graves | Jon Hart

An Evening with Ken Burns & Lynn Novick | Angee Simmons, Lindsey Foat, Nick Haines, Kevin Lambi

KCPT believes in the power of media on every platform and seeks to use that power to enrich, engage and entertain our viewers both on-air and online. We strive to advance conversations through community engagement and social media; explore complicated issues facing our region with ongoing reporting, investigative reports and informed discussions; and share the stories of people, places, and progress in our community.



## Special Event Coverage (other than News or Sports) Live or Edited

Bank of America Celebration at the Station with the Kansas City Symphony (partnership production with the Kansas City Symphony) | Angee Simmons, Mark Stamm, Emma Kail, Rebecca Martini

### Interstitial

Kids Talk: However You Say it, Kansas City is Home | Kelly Cordingley, John McGrath

### News Promo -Campaign / Image

Public Works Promo | Michael Price, Brad Austin

#### Community Service

<u>LZ Kansas City: Stories and Impact of the Vietnam War</u> | Lindsey Foat, Angee Simmons, Mark Stamm, Kevin Lambi, Kliff Kuehl

Audio - Live or Post Production Chris Cosgrove