



# **2016 QUILL AWARDS FINALISTS**

#### **ARTWORK**

Joe Benke (Sunday Age) The Butterfly Effect (Muhammad Ali)
Matt Davidson (The Age) Lipstick on a pig
Andrew Dyson (The Age) Elbow room
Peter Nicholson (The Australian) Courtroom Fashions

#### **BREAKING NEWS COVERAGE**

Natalie Kotsios (weeklytimesnow.com.au) Tense Murray-Darling Basin politics

James Massola, Richard Willingham & Fergus Hunter (The Age) David Feeney residence scandal

Melina Sarris (Seven News) Moomba Riots

Brianna Travers (Sunday Herald Sun) Battle Zone – Moomba riots

## **BUSINESS FEATURE**

Ben Butler (The Weekend Australian Magazine) Keeping Up with the Oswals
Melissa Fyfe (Good Weekend Magazine) The Undoing of Slater & Gordon
Sue Neales (The Weekend Australian) Murray Goulburn dairy crisis
John Stensholt (Australian Financial Review) Turnbull, Greiner and the \$US1 million loan

#### **BUSINESS NEWS**

Adele Ferguson, Klaus Toft & Mario Christodoulou (The Age) Comminsure Scandal Nick McKenzie, Richard Baker & Michael Bachelard (The Age) Corruption coverage Philip Wen (The Age) Crown Resorts detentions in China

## **CAMERA WORK**

Phil Loschiavo (Seven News) Crane Blaze
John Parsons (Nine News) West Gate Bridge police chase
Damian Shine (Seven News) Porsche Thieves

## **CARTOON**

Mark Knight (Herald Sun) Hair Force One
Peter Nicholson (Australian Financial Review) Budget Deficit Won't Go Away
Ron Tandberg (The Age) Trump Declares War
Chris Taylor (Herald Sun) Hanson Snack Pack

#### **COVERAGE OF AN ISSUE OR EVENT-**

Seamus Bradley, Nick Place, Meredith O'Shea & Miguel Rios (RACV Royal Auto Magazine) *Impact* Chris Johnston & Nino Bucci (Fairfax Media) *Lux* 

Nick McKenzie, Richard Baker, Michael Bachelard & Dan Quinlan (The Age) Corporate Corruption Louise Milligan & Andy Burns (ABC 7.30) George Pell and Sexual Abuse in the Catholic Church

#### **FEATURES PHOTOGRAPH**

Timothy Carrafa (Herald Sun) Sting: Don't Stare So Close At Me
Jason Edwards (Herald Sun) Beautiful balance
Chris Hopkins (The Age) My Silent Grief
Jason Sammon (Frankston Standard Leader) Blessing of the Waters

#### **FEATURE WRITING**

Ruth Lamperd (Herald Sun) The War Within
Nick McKenzie & Richard Baker (theage.com.au) Fruits of Their Labour
Margaret Simons (The Monthly) Duterte's Dirty War
Chris Vedelago & Cameron Houston (The Sunday Age) Spun Out, Shane Warne Foundation story

#### **GRANT HATTAM QUILL FOR INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM**

Fiona Hudson & Ellen Whinnett (Herald Sun) China Deals Scandal
Nick McKenzie, Richard Baker, Michael Bachelard & Dan Quinlan (The Age) Unaoil scandal
Louise Milligan & Andy Burns (ABC 7.30) George Pell investigation
Ben Schneiders, Royce Millar & Nick Toscano (The Age) Sold Out: Australia's Biggest Wages Scandal

#### INNOVATION IN JOURNALISM

Richard Baker & Michael Bachelard (theage.com.au) Phoebe's Fall
Alex Ellinghausen (The Age) Election Snapchat
Soren Frederiksen, Conal Hanna & Craig Dixon (Fairfax Media) Real Footy On Messenger
Huw Parkinson (ABC) Lord of the Rings: The Battle for Middle Ground

## **KEITH DUNSTAN QUILL FOR COMMENTARY**

Waleed Aly (The Age) Tectonics

**Tim Colebatch (Inside Story Magazine)** The upside of the falling big party vote

Rohan Connolly (The Age) Coaching Masterclass

**Jack Latimore (Guardian Australia/IndigenousX)** A lack of indigenous voices is turning blackfellas off old media

#### **NEWS PHOTOGRAPH**

Jake Nowakowski (Sunday Herald Sun) Moomba Gang Rampage Lawrence Pinder (Herald Sun) Up the Creek Without a Paddle Darren Tindale (Herald Sun) Bolt Wins Ladies Day Sprint Jay Town (Herald Sun) Kangaroo in dam

## **NEWS REPORT IN WRITING**

Beau Donelly (The Age) Foster care scandal
Josh Gordon & Adam Morton (The Age), Hazelwood shutdown near
Tom Minear & James Campbell (Herald Sun), Minister's dog act
Cameron Stewart (The Australian) The Submarine Leak Scandal

#### **RACV TRANSPORT QUILL**

Adam Carey (The Age) Metro bans V/Line trains from city
Aleks Devic (Herald Sun) Myki leaks
Matthew Johnston & Alex White (Herald Sun) Sky Rail
Royce Millar & Ben Schneiders (The Age) Transurban: Taking its toll

### **RADIO CURRENT AFFAIRS**

Richard Baker & Michael Bachelard (theage.com.au) Phoebe's Fall
Bridget Brennan (ABC Background Briefing) The Extra Mile
Seb Costello (Triple M Radio) Triple M Live from the Muhammad Ali Memorial
Neil Mitchell (3AW) How to Unravel a Superannuation Policy

### **RADIO NEWS**

Seb Costello (Triple M Hot Breakfast) Usain Bolt wins 100m Gold in Rio
Charlotte King (ABC News) Ballarat bishop agrees to be stand-in for historic sex abuse claims
Patrick Mitchell (3AW) Springvale - Fire in Commonwealth Bank
Danny Tran (ABC Radio News) Ballarat Police under fire over new brutality allegations

#### **SPORTS FEATURE**

Damian Barrett (Channel Nine, The Footy Show) West Coast 2006 Drug Investigation
Belinda Hawkins, Steven Baras-Miller, Emily Porrello & Mark Farnell (ABC Australian Story) A League of Their Own

Glenn McFarlane, Patrick Carlyon & Elouise Winslow (Sunday Herald Sun) Death of a Champion Emma Quayle (The Age) Anthony McDonald-Tipungwuti's long journey to overnight success

#### **SPORTS NEWS**

Michael Gleeson (theage.com.au) Lachie Whitfield Drugs Affair Mark Robinson (Herald Sun) Garry, Billy Split Michael Warner (Herald Sun) The Talia Scandal

#### SPORTS PHOTOGRAPH

Alex Coppel (Herald Sun) Fernando Alonso's Exit at Turn Three Alex Coppel (Herald Sun) Phelps Nicole Garmston (Herald Sun) Team Celebration Michael Willson (afl.com.au) Bulldog Through and Through

#### SUBURBAN OR REGIONAL JOURNALISM

Melissa Cunningham (The Courier, Ballarat), Ballarat Royal Commission coverage
Bridget Judd (ABC) Naloxone coverage
Leader Community News team (Leader Community News) \$20 million win for schools
Andrew Mole (The Riverine Herald) Yes, I have cancer

## TAC TOWARDS ZERO QUILL FOR ROAD SAFETY REPORTING

Seamus Bradley, Meredith O'Shea, Nick Place & Miguel Rios (RACV Royal Auto Magazine) Impact Adam Carey (The Age) Confronting the U-turn: Road deaths on the rise Aleks Devic & Anthony Dowsley (Sunday Herald Sun) Tackle the Toll Australian Community Media – Victoria (Fairfax Media) #homesafe

## TV/VIDEO FEATURE (LONG FORM)

Terry Carlyon & John Silvester (ABC TV) Conviction

Heather Ewart, Lisa Whitehead, Ron Ekkel & Tony Kuric (ABC TV) Back Roads - Mallacoota

Adele Ferguson, Klaus Toft & Mario Christodoulou (ABC Four Corners) Comminsure Scandal

Luke Waters (SBS Dateline Special) The Assad Interview

## TV/VIDEO FEATURE (SHORT FORM)

Sam Clark & Dan Oakes (ABC 7.30) Melbourne tax evasion scandal
Nick McKenzie & Gus Goswell (ABC 7.30) Foreign bribery allegations exposed
Dan Oakes & Sam Clark (ABC 7.30) Mother's plea for state care changes
Brendan Roberts (Seven News) Anzac Day Terror Plot

#### **TV/VIDEO NEWS**

Christine Ahern (Nine News) Olympic Village Crisis Brendan Donohoe (Seven News) Euthenasia Cabinet Leak Brendan Roberts (Seven News) DHS Paedophile Investigation Brendan Roberts (Seven News) Pram Murder

### **VICTORIAN GOVERNMENT QUILL FOR REPORTING ON DISABILITY ISSUES**

Kirsten Diprose & Alex Holland (ABC) Melbourne wheelchair taxis no longer 'commercially viable'
Beau Donelly (The Sunday Age) Anthony's Decision to Die
Lisbeth Gorr (ABC 7.30) The Doug Anthony Allstars Have The Last laugh
Louise Milligan (ABC 7.30) Protecting Children with Disabilities from Abuse

## YOUNG JOURNALIST OF THE YEAR

Reid Butler (A Current Affair/Nine Network) Monique Hore (Herald Sun) Bridget Judd (ABC) Cassie Zervos (Herald Sun)

#### STUDENT JOURNALIST OF THE YEAR

Claudia Alp (Swinburne)
Tess Ikonomou (Monash University)
Carol Saffer (Monash University)
Evan Young (RMIT)