Australian Event Awards Results

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- Mary Lopez AM
- Lena Malouf CSEP AIFD
- John Allen AM

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- Sandy Hollway

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- John Trevillian
- David Grant

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- Ron Walker AC CBE
- Meri Took

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- Christine McLoughlin AM

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2023 Results

Advisory Company of the Year
- **WINNER:** Intelligent Risks Pty Ltd
- MI Associates Pty Limited trading as MI Global Partners
- Sentry Business Resilience Solutions Pty Ltd

Theming, Branding or Styling Company of the Year
- **WINNER:** Phenomenon Event Services

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation
- **WINNER:** Mandylights for their work on Dark Spectrum 2023
- Electric Canvas (The) for their work on Winter Wonderlights at Sovereign Hill 2022
- Shift Corp (The) for their work on their season of events 2022/2023
- AV1 for their work on intelliflo LIVE 2023

New Event Product of the Year
- **WINNER:** Stagekings

Hire Company of the Year
- **WINNER:** Table Art
- Weeding Hire

Best Brand Event
- **WINNER:** FIFA Women's World Cup 2023, Sydney Harbour Bridge Unity Celebration, The Shift Corp, NSW
- NO/BS 2022, We Are Phoenix, VIC
- Melbourne Creator Festival 2022, The Tides Creative Production, VIC
- Ford Mustang Mach-E Launch at the Formula 1 Rolex Australian Grand Prix 2023, We Are Phoenix, VIC
- Sony Kando 2023, SUBVRT, QLD

Best Export
- **WINNER:** Artists In Motion for their 2022/2023 International Achievements
- Moltern Immersive & The Mandala Social for their work on Noor Riyadh Light Art Festival 2022
- DAE Global for their work on Victoria 2026 Commonwealth Games Handover Ceremony

Service Company of the Year
- **WINNER:** Clean Vibes Pty Ltd

Best Small Regional Event
- **WINNER:** Enchanted Forest (The) 2023, The Laservision Pty Ltd, NSW
- Solstice Search Party 2023, Warrnambool City Council, VIC
- Three Springs Silo Projection - Opening Night 2023, Shire of Three Springs, WA

Best Regional Event
- **WINNER:** Deni Ute Muster 2022, Deni Play On The Plains Festival Ltd, NSW
- Moama Lights - Lighting up the Murray 2022, Murray River Council, NSW

Best Congress or Conference Less than 500 Delegates
- **WINNER:** Facing the Future: Aged Care 2030 and Beyond, 2023, ARIIA, SA
- Future Brisbane 2022, News Corporation Australia, QLD

Best Congress or Conference 500 Delegates or Over
- **WINNER:** Sydney WorldPride Human Rights Conference 2023, NSW
- Orbital 2023, FCM Meetings & Events and Optus, NSW
- ANZCA Annual Scientific Meeting 2023, Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists, NSW
- World Mining Congress (26th) 2023, ICMS Australasia, QLD

Best Exhibition or Trade Show
- **WINNER:** Asia Pacific Incentives & Exhibition Event (AIME) 2023, Talk2 Media & Events, VIC
- Inaugural AIDN Policy Symposium & Sovereign Capability Showcase (The) 2022, Precision Public Affairs, ACT

Best New Event
- **WINNER:** Get Technical! - Behind the Curtain of Moulin Rouge! The Musical, Global Creatures, NSW, QLD, WA
- Open For Lunch 2022, Premium Media, NSW
- Inaugural AIDN Policy Symposium & Sovereign Capability Showcase (The) 2022, Precision Public Affairs, ACT
- Australian Hydrogen Research Conference 2023, Arinex, ACT
- Night at the Barrack 2022, North Head Manly, Second Sunday, NSW

State Winner
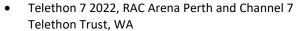**WINNER** OLD: Flichella 2022, FCM Meetings & Events, QLD

Production Company of the Year
- **WINNER:** Stagekings
- NW Group
- P.A. People Pty Ltd (The)
- AV1 PTY LTD

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- **WINNER:** Sydney WorldPride 2023, NSW
- Variety of Chefs Gala Ball 2022, Variety - The Children's Charity, TAS
- Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC) NSW Gala Ball 2022, FCM Meetings & Events, NSW

- Telethon 7 2022, RAC Arena Perth and Channel 7 Telethon Trust, WA
- Parkinson's Queensland 2023 Really Big Walk, We Are Phoenix, QLD

State Winner
WINNER VIC: Horsepower In The High Country 2023, Delatite Drivers Car Club & Mansfield Shire Council, VIC

Best Small Event
- *WINNER:* Firefly Night Market 2023, Wyndham City Council, VIC
- Winter Street Party 2023, Wyndham City Council, VIC

Best Achievement in Marketing or Communication
- *WINNER:* Milestone Creative for their work on KPMG Australia Sail Grand Prix Sydney 2023
- Sydney Festival for their work on Sydney Festival 2023
- Destination NSW for their work on Vivid Sydney 2023
- Australian Grand Prix Corporation for their work on Formula 1 Rolex Australian Grand Prix 2023
- Talk2 Media & Events for their work on Asia Pacific Incentives & Meetings Event 2023

OnePlan Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER:* Formula 1 Rolex Australian Grand Prix 2023, VIC
- LIV Golf Adelaide 2023, Performance54, SA

Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER:* Vivid Sydney 2023, Destination NSW
- Sydney WorldPride 2023, NSW
- Rio Tinto Christmas Lights Trail 2023, City of Perth, WA
- Tasmania's Taste of Summer 2022

- Thomas Dambo's Giants of Mandurah 2022/2023, FORM, WA

Venue of the Year
- *WINNER:* RAC Arena, Perth, WA
- WINX Stand, Royal Randwick, Australian Turf Club, NSW
- Darwin Waterfront, NT
- Bondi Pavilion, Waverley Council, NSW
- Perth Town Hall, City of Perth, WA

Best Achievement in Design
- *WINNER:* Artists In Motion for their work on Dubai World Cup - Closing Ceremony 2023
- Ample Projects for their work on Wild Lights Taronga Vivid Sydney 2023

Best Community Event
- *WINNER:* National Multicultural Festival 2023, ACT Government
- Moomba Festival 2023, City of Melbourne, VIC
- Coogee Live 2023, City of Cockburn, WA
- Sydney WorldPride 2023, NSW
- National NAIDOC Awards 2022, 33 Creative, VIC
- LIT 2023, Wyndham City Council, VIC

State Nominee and Winner
WINNER NT: Barunga Festival 2023, Bagala Aboriginal Corporation, NT
NSW: Chatswood Food Trail 2022, The Event Space, NSW

Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER:* Orbital 2023, Optus, NSW
- Salesforce World Tour Sydney 2023, The Company We Keep, NSW
- Xerocon Sydney 2022, INVNT, NSW
- HP Elevate 2022, OMG XP, NSW
- PwC Partner Ignite 2022, HeadBox, TAS

State or Territory Nominee and Winner
WINNER WA: Industry Re-Spark 2022, Phenomenon Event Services, WA
TAS: WISE X 2022,We Are Phoenix, TAS

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER:* Joondalup Festival 2023, WA
- National Multicultural Festival 2023, Community Services Directorate, ACT
- Vivid Sydney 2023, Destination NSW
- Carmen on Cockatoo Island 2022, Opera Australia, NSW
- Adelaide Fringe 2023, SA

State Nominee and Winner
WINNER QLD: Get Technical! - Behind the Curtain of Moulin Rouge! The Musical, Global Creatures, NSW, QLD, WA
WINNER VIC: National NAIDOC Awards 2022, 33 Creative, VIC
VIC: Firefly Night Market 2023, Wyndham City Council, VIC

PCO of the Year
- *WINNER:* ICMS Australasia Pty Ltd
- Arinex Pty Ltd
- Nectar Creative Communications

Small Event Management Company of the Year
- WINNER: Bite Project (The)
- OMG XP
- VEE Agency
- We Are Gather Pty Ltd
- KE Creative Events

Public Event Management Company of the Year
- *WINNER:* Shift Corp (The)
- SUBVRT

Corporate Event Management Company of the Year
- ***WINNER:*** We Are Phoenix
- Bite Project (The)
- HeadBox Solutions Pty Ltd
- SUBVRT
- CAPITAL-e Marketing & Events

State Or Territory Award
- ***WINNER:*** Australian Capital Territory

Event Supplier of the Year
- ***WINNER:*** Clean Vibes Pty Ltd
- Phenomenon Event Services
- Intelligent Risks Pty Ltd
- Stagekings
- Table Art
- RAC Arena, Perth, WA

Event Management Company of the Year
- ***WINNER:*** ICMS Australasia Pty Ltd
- Shift Corp (The)
- We Are Phoenix
- Bite Project (The)

Australian Event of the Year
- **WINNER:** Formula 1 Rolex Australian Grand Prix 2023, VIC
- Enchanted Forest (The) 2023, The Laservision Pty Ltd, NSW
- FIFA Women's World Cup 2023, Sydney Harbour Bridge Unity Celebration, The Shift Corp, NSW
- Deni Ute Muster 2022, Deni Play On The Plains Festival Ltd, NSW
- Sydney WorldPride Human Rights Conference 2023, NSW
- Vivid Sydney 2023, Destination NSW
- Sydney WorldPride 2023, NSW

- Firefly Night Market 2023, Wyndham City Council, VIC
- Facing the Future: Aged Care 2030 and Beyond, ARIIA, SA
- Asia Pacific Incentives & Exhibition Event (AIME) 2023, Talk2 Media & Events, VIC
- Orbital 2023, Optus, NSW
- Get Technical! - Behind the Curtain of Moulin Rouge! The Musical, Global Creatures, NSW, QLD, WA
- National Multicultural Festival 2023, ACT Government
- Joondalup Festival 2023, WA

2022 Results

Best Public Event (Virtual, Live or Hybrid)
- **WINNER:** Vivid Sydney 2022, Destination NSW
- Adelaide Fringe Festival 2022, SA
- Formula 1 Heineken Australian Grand Prix 2022, VIC
- Tasting Australia presented by RAA Travel 2022, South Australian Tourism Commission
- Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company

State or Territory Nominees and Winners
- **WINNER** WA**:** Christmas Lights Trail 2021, City of Perth, WA
- **WINNER** QLD**:** Enchanted Garden 2021, LASERVISION and City Parklands Services, QLD
- NSW: The Garden Social 2022, Royal Botanic Garden Sydney, NSW
- QLD: Brisbane 2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games Announcement, SoldOut Events, QLD

Best Congress, Conference or Exhibition (Virtual, Live or Hybrid)
- **WINNER:** Asia Pacific Incentives & Meetings Events (AIME) 2022, Talk2 Media & Events, VIC
- EY Transformation Realised 2022, Jack Morton Australia, National Event
- 20th International Conference on Soil Mechanics and Geotechnical Engineering 2022, ICMS Australasia Pty Ltd, NSW
- Get Local expo 2022, Get Global Pty Ltd, NSW
- Stockland 2.0 Leadership Conference 2022, Peanut Productions, NSW

State Winner
- **WINNER** WA**:** State of Social 21, WA

Best Live or Hybrid Brand Event
- **WINNER:** First Impressions by Galderma 2022, Synergy Effect
- Harley-Davidson Sportster S Launch Australia 2021, The Shift Corp, NSW
- Stranger Things Season 4 Fan Event 2022, INVNT, NSW
- Darwin Triple Crown Supercars Indigenous Round 2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- Karrinyup Launch Event 2021, Karrinyup Shopping Centre, WA

State Winner
- **WINNER** VIC: STH BNK by BEULAH Launch 2022 Melbourne, WE ARE PHOENIX, VIC

Best Virtual Brand Event
- **WINNER:** Be The Main Character 2022, INVNT

Best Live or Hybrid Corporate Event
- **WINNER:** HP Elite Partners: Island Escapades 2022, OMG XP, QLD
- Top 20 Club 2022, FCM Meetings & Events, TAS

Best Virtual Corporate Event
- **WINNER:** 7 Eleven - Extraordinary 2021, Peanut Productions
- Bank@Post Virtual Summit (Australia Post) 2021, WE ARE PHOENIX
- Optus Making Magic 2021, FCM Meetings & Events

Best Small Event (Virtual, Live or Hybrid)
- **WINNER:** Summer X Salt Markets 2021/2022, Salty Folk Inc, WA
- Kenvale College 50th Anniversary Celebration 2021, NSW
- HP Ampower 2022, OMG XP, VIC

- Gold Coast Bulletin Women of the Year Awards Gala 2021, WE ARE PHOENIX, QLD

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event (Virtual, Live or Hybrid)
- **WINNER:** The Bloody Long Walk National Series 2021/2022, The Shift Corp, National Event
- Gibb Challenge 2022, Karunjie Event Management Pty Ltd, WA
- Wings For Life World Run 2022, The Shift Corp, NSW
- Qudos Bank Arena NSW Health Vaccination Centre 2021, NSW
- Hawaiian Ride for Youth 2022, Youth Focus, WA

State Winner
- **WINNER** QLD**:** FLY into July 2021, QLD

Best Community Event (Virtual, Live or Hybrid)
- **WINNER:** Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- Alice Springs Beanie Festival 2022, NT
- Keysborough's Big Picnic 2022, City of Greater Dandenong, VIC
- OPEN STREETS PENRITH 2022, The Shift Corp, NSW
- Future Queensland Event Series 2021 - Hosted by News Corp, WE ARE PHOENIX

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event (Virtual, Live or Hybrid)
- **WINNER:** BASSINTHEGRASS Music Festival 2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- Vivid Sydney 2022, Destination NSW
- Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- North Australian Festival of Arts 2022 (NAFA), Townsville City Council, QLD
- Bluesfest 2022, NSW

State Winner
- ***WINNER*** VIC: Hume Winter Lights Festival 2022, Hume City Council , VIC

Best Regional Event (Virtual, Live or Hybrid)
- ***WINNER:*** North Australian Festival of Arts 2022 (NAFA), Townsville City Council, QLD
- Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- Outback Queensland Masters 2021, Golf Australia, Cre8ion, Weatherall Golf and Krista Hauritz Tourism and Events
- YOUTH ADVENTURES SERIES 2022, The Shift Corp, NSW
- Million Dollar Fish Season 7 2021/2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company

The Jackson Best New Event (Virtual, Live or Hybrid)
- ***WINNER:*** Sky Song 2022, Adelaide Fringe, SA
- Strange Festival 2022, Alice Street Events, WA
- PLAY MANLY 2022, Northern Beaches Council, NSW
- Firefly Night Market 2022, Wyndham City, VIC
- Hume Winter Lights Festival 2022, Hume City Council , VIC

Best Technical Achievement
- ***WINNER:*** TDC-Technical Direction Company for their work on Vivid Sydney 2022
- LASERVISION for their work on Musical Fountain Square - MerryLand - Quy Nhon 2022
- Norwest Productions for their work on Tokyo 2020 Summer Olympics "Games of the XXXII Olympiad"

Best Innovation, New Product or New Service
- ***WINNER:*** EventsAir for AIRcast Studio
- TDC-Technical Direction Company for TDC LiveView

Best Achievement in Design
- ***WINNER:*** ARTISTS IN MOTION PTY LTD for their work on Expo 2020 Dubai UAE: Connecting Minds, Creating the Future
- The Electric Canvas for their work on Vivid Sydney 2022
- Nicholas Tory and the Ample Projects design team for their work on Sydney Harbour Bridge 90th Anniversary 2022
- Iceworks Design Pty Ltd for their work on TV Week Logie Awards 2022
- Nicholas Tory, Stephen Crossley and the Ample Projects design team for their work on Wild Lights at Taronga Zoo 2022

Best Achievement in Marketing or Communication
- ***WINNER:*** Northern Territory Major Events Company for their work on Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2022
- Northern Territory Major Events Company for their work on Darwin Triple Crown Supercars Indigenous Round 2022
- Milestone Creative Australia for their work on Sail Grand Prix Sydney 2021
- Destination NSW for their work on Vivid Sydney 2022
- TDC-Technical Direction Company for their work on Vivid Sydney 2022

Best Export
- ***WINNER:*** ARTISTS IN MOTION PTY LTD for their work on A Symphony of Lights 2021, Instagram Moments Collection 2021 & Expo 2020 Dubai
- Eventful Meetings and Events for their work on Johnson & Johnson MedTech APAC Growth Summit 2022
- Great Big Events for their work on 15th FINA World Swimming Championships (25m) Abu Dhabi 2021

- The P.A. People for their work on Saudi Opening Season Parade and UAE National Day 50, 2021

Small Event Management Organisation of the Year
- ***WINNER:*** Caroline James Events
- Blu Event Productions
- OMG XP
- Wrapped Creations

Event Management Organisation of the Year
- ***WINNER:*** The Shift Corp
- ARTISTS IN MOTION PTY LTD
- Northern Territory Major Events Company
- Rizer Pty Ltd
- ICMS Australasia Pty Ltd

Australian Event of The Year
- ***WINNER:*** Asia Pacific Incentives & Meetings Events (AIME) 2022, Talk2 Media & Events, VIC
- Vivid Sydney 2022, Destination NSW
- First Impressions by Galderma 2022, Synergy Effect
- Be The Main Character 2022, INVNT
- HP Elite Partners: Island Escapades 2022, OMG XP, QLD
- 7 Eleven - Extraordinary 2021, Peanut Productions
- Summer X Salt Markets 2021/2022, Salty Folk Inc, WA
- The Bloody Long Walk National Series 2021/2022, The Shift Corp, National Event
- Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- BASSINTHEGRASS Music Festival 2022, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- North Australian Festival of Arts 2022 (NAFA), Townsville City Council, QLD
- Sky Song 2022, Adelaide Fringe, SA

2021 Results

Best Live or Hybrid Public Event
- *WINNER:* Adelaide Fringe 2021, South Australia
- Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2021, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- WA Day Festival 2021, Lux Events, Western Australia
- Santos Festival of Cycling 2021, South Australian Tourism Commission
- For The Love – URBNSURF 2021, Untitled Group, Victoria
- Taste of the Beaches 2021, Northern Beaches Council, New South Wales

State or Territory Finalists
NSW: Sydney Royal Easter Show 2021, Royal Agricultural Society of New South Wales
NT: BASSINTHEGRASS Music Festival 2021, Northern Territory Major Events Company
WA: Perth Craft Beer Festival | Froth Town 2020, Bar Pop, Western Australia

Best Virtual Public Event
- *WINNER:* University of Tasmania Virtual Open Day 2020, Spaces Interactive
- Seven Sisters Virtual Festival 2020, We are Phoenix
- Love Your Work Conference 2020, We are Phoenix

Best Live or Hybrid Congress, Conference or Exhibition
- *WINNER*: Brisbane Truck Show 2021, Heavy Vehicle Industry Australia, Queensland
- World of Drones and Robotics Congress 2020, Carillon Conference Management Pty Limited, Queensland

- Ozwater'21, Australian Water Association, South Australia

Best Virtual Congress, Conference or Exhibition
- *WINNER:* Igniting our Future Conference 2021, Peanut Productions
- EY Transformation Realised 2021, Jack Morton Australia
- Supply Nation Connect 2021, Fourth Wall
- National Insurance Brokers Association Virtual Convention 2020, Spaces Interactive
- Committee on Space Research Scientific Assembly 2021 (43rd), ICMS Australasia

Best Live or Hybrid Brand Event
- *WINNER:* DoorDash Delivers for the State of Origin I, II, & III 2021, MKTG Sports + Entertainment, New South Wales & Queensland
- Red Bull Balloon Dive 2021, The Shift, New South Wales
- Borat Subsequent MovieFilm stunt 2020 for Amazon Studios, Amazon Prime and Event Eleven, Rizer, New South Wales
- The Hendrick's Most Unusual Balloon Bar 2020, Havas Blvd, New South Wales

Best Virtual Brand Event
- *WINNER:* Salesforce Live Series 2020/2021, The Company We Keep
- Personalisation Through the Generations 2021, Synergy Effect
- AWS Summit Online Australia and New Zealand 2021, Imagination
- Telstra Vantage Remixed 2020, Imagination

Best Live or Hybrid Corporate Event
- *WINNER:* Class of 2020: Celebrate Together, The University of Sydney, New South Wales

- Australian Defence Industry Awards 2020, Momentum Connect, National Event
- Harley-Davidson Pan America Media Launch 2021, The Shift, New South Wales
- Brisbane Truck Show 2021, Heavy Vehicle Industry Australia, Queensland
- JHCPBG Barangaroo Crossover Cavern Events 2021, Eventify Pty Ltd, New South Wales

Best Virtual Corporate Event
- *WINNER:* Johnson and Johnson Medical Devices Annual Sales and Training Meeting 2021, Eventful Meetings and Events
- FTA Virtual Conference 2020, Treasury Re-Imagined, KE Creative Events
- Carat Couch-ella 2021, MKTG
- General Motors Speciality Vehicles Corvette and Silverado Launch 2021, Jack Morton Australia
- Love Your Work Conference 2020, We are Phoenix

Best Live or Hybrid Small Event
- *WINNER:* Airwaves - The Drive-In Music Festival 2020, Buskers by the Creek Inc, Queensland
- James Hardie Australia Business Conference 2021, Synergy Effect, National Event
- Summer X Salt Markets 2020/2021, Salty Events Pty Ltd, Western Australia
- Wine Tasting Fest 2020, Kenvale College of Hospitality, Cookery & Events, New South Wales

Best Virtual Small Event
- *WINNER*: EY Secrets of the Archibald 2020, Jack Morton Australia
- Ashurst CPD Boost 2021, Synergy Effect
- Clinical Labs End of Year Celebration 2020, We are Phoenix

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER:* Gibb Challenge 2021, Karunjie Event Management Pty Ltd, Western Australia
- Telethon Family Festival 2020, Optus Stadium, Western Australia
- CareerTrackers Leadership Development Institute Conference & Gala Awards Night 2021, The Company We Keep
- Change the World 2021, Hancock Creative, National Event
- Preventing Cervical Cancer 2021 Virtual Conference, BKA Events Pty Ltd

State Winner
QLD: Fly into July 2020, Fly into July Ltd, Queensland

Coates Best Community Event
- *WINNER:* Coogee Live 2021, City of Cockburn, Western Australia
- RACQ MotorFest 2021, Queensland
- City of Perth Christmas Lights Trail 2020/2021, Western Australia
- Sun Run 2021, Northern Beaches Council, New South Wales
- Luminight 2021, City of Joondalup, Western Australia

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER:* Parramatta Lanes 2020, City of Parramatta, New South Wales
- Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2021, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- Adelaide Fringe 2021, South Australia
- Shining a Light: The Story of Us 2021, City of Perth, Western Australia
- Perth Festival 2021, Western Australia

State or Territory Finalists and Winner
WINNER QLD: Factory Summer Festival Brisbane 2020, Bar Pop, Queensland
NSW: Evening at The Headland 2021 (An), Sydney Festival, New South Wales
NT: BASSINTHEGRASS Music Festival 2021, Northern Territory Major Events Company
SA: Borealis 2021, Gluttony, South Australia

Best Regional Event
- *WINNER:* Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2021, Northern Territory Major Events Company
- Byron Music Festival 2021, Byron Music Productions Pty Ltd, New South Wales
- 'Light Up Orange' - NYE LASER, Light and Sound Show 2020, LASERVISION, New South Wales
- Artstate Wagga Wagga 2020, Regional Arts New South Wales
- Horizon Festival 2020, Sunshine Coast Regional Council, Queensland

Best Technical Achievement in a Live or Hybrid Event
- *WINNER*: ORACLE - LIQUID PTY LTD for their work on Sea World Carnivale 2021
- Bar Pop for their work on SNACK Showgrounds: New Year's Eve 2020

Best Technical Achievement in a Virtual Event
- *WINNER:* Big Picture for their work on Dally M Awards 2020
- CrowdComms for their work on Australian Council for Educational Leaders 2020 Global Conference and ACEL Early Childhood Conference 2021
- Eventful Meetings and Events for their work on Johnson and Johnson Medical Devices Annual Sales and Training Meeting 2021
- Evise and Pyrus for their work on Know My Name Conference 2020

Best Online Event Delivery Platform
- *WINNER:* EventsAIR for OnAIR

Best Innovation, New Product or New Service
- *WINNER:* Evise and Pyrus for their work on Know My Name Conference 2020
- VenuesLive for Stadium Park Karts
- Imagination for Australian Wine CONNECT
- EventsAIR for AIRCast Studio
- Ferve Tickets Pty Ltd for their Hybrid Event Platform

Best Achievement in Design
- *WINNER:* Electric Canvas (The) for their work on Brisbane City Hall Christmas Projections 2020 (Gold Lotto City Hall Lights Spectacular)
- We are Phoenix for their work on Love Your Work Virtual Conference 2021
- Nicholas Tory and the Ample Projects Design Team for their work on The Mini Beasts 2020/2021

Best Achievement in Marketing or Communication
- *WINNER:* Northern Territory Major Events Company for their work on Parrtjima – a Festival in Light 2021
- Bar Pop for their work on FACTORY SUMMER FESTIVAL 2020/2021
- Bar Pop for their work on Perth Craft Beer Festival 2020

Best Achievement in Studio Management
- *WINNER:* Big Picture for their work at the Big Picture Live Event Studio
- Connected Event Group for their work at the Connected Event Studios

Small Event Management Organisation of the Year
- *WINNER:* Nectar Creative Communications
- Erin Madeley Consulting
- Caroline James Events
- JEM events
- We are Phoenix

Event Management Organisation of the Year
- *WINNER:* Rizer
- Company We Keep (The)
- Imagination
- Shift Corp (The)
- AGB Events Pty Ltd

Australian Event of the Year
- *WINNER:* EY Secrets of the Archibald 2020, Jack Morton Australia
- Adelaide Fringe 2021, South Australia
- University of Tasmania Virtual Open Day 2020, Spaces Interactive
- Brisbane Truck Show 2021, Heavy Vehicle Industry Australia, Queensland
- Igniting our Future Conference 2021, Peanut Productions
- DoorDash Delivers for the State of Origin I, II, & III 2021, MKTG Sports + Entertainment, New South Wales & Queensland
- Salesforce Live Series 2020/2021, The Company We Keep
- Class of 2020: Celebrate Together, The University of Sydney, New South Wales
- Johnson and Johnson Medical Devices Annual Sales and Training Meeting 2021, Eventful Meetings and Events
- Airwaves - The Drive-In Music Festival 2020, Buskers by the Creek Inc, Queensland
- Gibb Challenge 2021, Karunjie Event Management Pty Ltd, Western Australia
- Coogee Live 2021, City of Cockburn, Western Australia
- Parramatta Lanes 2020, City of Parramatta, New South Wales
- Parrtjima - A Festival in Light 2021, Northern Territory Major Events Company

2020 Results

Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER:* ICC Women's T20 World Cup 2020, National Event
- Bledisloe Cup Perth 2019, Rugby Australia, Western Australia
- Manchester United in Perth 2019, VenuesLive, Western Australia
- Santos Tour Down Under 2020, South Australian Tourism Commission
- Monster Energy AUS-X Open Melbourne 2019, Victoria

Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER:* Splendour in the Grass 2019, New South Wales
- Christmas Lights Trail 2019, City of Perth, Western Australia
- Stanthorpe Apple and Grape Harvest Festival 2020, Queensland
- Christmas Festival 2019, City of Melbourne, Victoria
- Santos Tour Down Under 2020, South Australian Tourism Commission

Hotel Grand Chancellor Adelaide Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER:* Paralympics Australia Infinite Possibilities Gala 2019, This Space, New South Wales
- Grace Gala 'A Night In To Remember' 2020, Vanilla Bean Events, New South Wales
- Fearless National Conversation on PTSD 2019, Nectar Creative Communications, Queensland
- RACQ International Women's Day Fun Run 2020, Mater Foundation, Queensland
- Hawaiian Ride for Youth 2020, Youth Focus, Western Australia
- The Bloody Long Walk National Series 2019, The Shift Corp, National Event

State or Territory Winners
SA: Nature Play Festival 2019, Nature Play, South Australia

Best Congress or Conference
- *WINNER:* Asia Pacific Cities Summit and Mayors Forum 2019, Carillon Conference Management Pty Limited, Queensland
- 145th IATA Slot Conference 2019, Brisbane Airport Corporation, Queensland
- MD Student Conference 2020, ICMS Australasia, Victoria
- ServiceNow Australia and New Zealand Morning Show 2020, The Company We Keep, New South Wales
- McDonald's Australia and New Zealand System Meeting and Owner Operator Convention 2019, DG global, Western Australia

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER:* Highway to Hell: Perth Festival 2020 Closing Event, Western Australia
- 1Dance Africa 2019, APE Events Pty Ltd, New South Wales & Victoria
- Splendour in the Grass 2019, New South Wales
- Christmas Festival 2019, City of Melbourne, Victoria
- North Australian Festival of Arts 2019, Townsville City Council, Queensland

State and Territory Winners
SA: Adelaide Fringe 2020

Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER:* Salesforce World Tour Reimagined 2020, The Company We Keep, New South Wales
- Xerocon Brisbane 2019, INVNT, Queensland
- WOWTOPIA 2019, This Space, New South Wales
- AMP Amplify Digital Program 2020, National Event
- World Routes Networking and Awards Gala Event 2019, Lumino Events, South Australia

State and Territory Winners
WA: Phestival of Phenomenon 2019, Phenomenon Creative Events

Best Exhibition, Trade or Consumer Show
- *WINNER:* PAX Australia 2019, Reed Exhibitions, Victoria
- World Routes 2019 - The 25th World Route Development Forum 2019, Adelaide Showground, South Australia
- Cellar Door Fest 2020, Adelaide Convention Centre, South Australia
- Get Global Where The World Meets 2019, New South Wales

Coates Hire Best Community Event
- *WINNER:* North Australian Festival of Arts 2019, Townsville City Council, Queensland
- Regional Flavours 2019, City Parklands Services Pty Ltd, Queensland
- The Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo - Sydney 2019, Michael Cassel Group, New South Wales

- Christmas Festival 2019, City of Melbourne, Victoria
- Nightcliff Seabreeze Festival at Home 2020, Northern Territory
- Springvale Snow Fest 2019, City of Greater Dandenong, Victoria

State or Territory Winners
SA: Adelaide's New Year's Eve 2019, City of Adelaide
WA: City of Perth Australia Day Skyworks 2020

Best Small Event
- *WINNER:* Island Whale Festival 2019, Destination Phillip Island Inc, Victoria
- Gold Coast Music Awards 2020, Queensland
- Turning the Tables Virtual Event 2020, Phoenix Creative Management, Victoria
- Buskers by the Creek 2019, Queensland
- Tulip Festival Wynyard 2019, Waratah-Wynyard Council, Tasmania

State or Territory Winners
WA: Summer X Salt Markets 2019/2020

Best New Event
- *WINNER:* Outback Queensland Masters 2019, Golf Australia, Cre8ion, Weatherall Golf and Krista Hauritz Tourism and Events, Queensland
- SAP e'ffect, INVNT, New South Wales
- Greater Springfield Festival of Learning 2019, LOUD events, Queensland
- ICC T20 Women's World Cup Opening Celebration 2020, Michael Cassel Group, New South Wales
- North Australian Festival of Arts 2019, Townsville City Council, Queensland

State or Territory Winners
ACT: Shop Small Parliamentary Showcase 2019, Sarah Cullens
SA, NT, TAS, WA: Unite2020, Hancock Creative
VIC: NO/BS Conference 2020, Phoenix Creative Management

Best Regional Event
- *WINNER:* Travelling Light 2019, illuminart Australia, South Australia
- LÉtape Australia by Tour de France 2019, Lateral Event Management, New South Wales
- Splendour in the Grass 2019, New South Wales
- Mount Isa Mines Rodeo 2019, Queensland
- Groundwater Country Music Festival 2019, Major Events Gold Coast, Queensland

State and Territory Winners
NT: Indigenous Rangers Forum 2019, AA&P Events
TAS, WA: Gunnedah Online Music Eisteddfod 2020
VIC: Tastes of Central Geelong 2019

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming
- *WINNER:* Public Art Australia for their work on Océan en Voie D'illumination *2019*/2020
- City Parklands Services for their work on Regional Flavours 2019
- The Electric Canvas for their work on National Reconciliation Week 2020
- Solution Entertainment for their work on ATC Pony Palms 2019
- Michael Cassel Group for their work on The Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo - Sydney 2019

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship
- WINNER: Krista Hauritz Tourism & Events for their work on Stanthorpe Apple and Grape Festival 2020
- City of Melbourne for their work on City of Melbourne Christmas Festival 2019
- City Parklands Services for their work on Regional Flavours 2019
- Deni Play on the Plains Festival for their work on Deni Ute Muster 2019
- Milestone Creative Australia for their work on Sydney SailGP 2020

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation
- *WINNER:* EvenstAIR for their work on 2019/2020 Congresses and Events

Adelaide Venue Management Best Achievement in Venue Management
- *WINNER:* Melbourne Cricket Club for their work at the MCG
- Luna Park Sydney Pty Ltd for their work on Luna Park Venues

Best New Product
- *WINNER:* Fourth Wall for EventCast
- EventsAIR for OnAIR

Best Event Service
- *WINNER:* Event & Sports Projects Australia Pty Ltd for their work in Group Ticketing & Transport Operations and Communications Service
- Saxton Speakers Bureau for their work in Speakers, Entertainers, and MC's Booking Management

- This Space for their work in Pick 'N' Mix Event Styling
- CrowdComms for their work in Self-Printing Badge Kiosks and Event App
- EVENTelec for their work in Electrical Infrastructure Supply

Best Achievement in Event Education or Training
- *WINNER:* Australian Marketing Institute for their Virtual Event Best Practice & Ideas Course
- Australian Festival Consulting Pty Ltd for their Australian Festival Industry Conference
- Kenvale College for Winefest 2019

Best Achievement in Entertainment
- *WINNER:* Michael Cassel Group for their work on The Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo - Sydney 2019
- Michael Cassel Group for their work on I.C.C Women's T20 World Cup Opening Celebration 2020

Young Achiever of the Year
- *WINNER:* Hannah Milligan nominated by The Company We Keep
- Emily Roberts nominated by eventX

Event Producer of the Year
- *WINNER:* Jessica Ducrou nominated by Secret Sounds Group
- Nigel Ruffell nominated by The Company We Keep
- Michael Cassel nominated by Michael Cassel Group
- Hailey Mason nominated by The Shift Corp

Small Event Management Company of the Year
- *WINNER:* Phoenix Creative Management
- OzParty Events
- Nectar Creative Communications
- AA&P Events
- The Shift Corp

Event Management Company of the Year
- *WINNER:* Great Big Events
- The Company We Keep
- This Space
- Michael Cassel Group
- The Shift Corp

State or Territory Award
- *WINNER:* South Australia
- Walking away with nine Best Event National Finalists as well as a win in the Best Regional Event Category, South Australia delivered exceptional events in 2019/2020. Putting forward an amazing standard of entries, South Australia is the highly deserving winner of Australia's best event region.

Australian Event of the Year
- *WINNER*: ICC Women's T20 World Cup 2020, National Event
- Travelling Light 2019, illuminart Australia, South Australia
- Asia Pacific Cities Summit and Mayors Forum 2019, Carillon Conference Management Pty Limited, Queensland
- PAX Australia 2019, Reed Exhibitions, Victoria
- Outback Queensland Masters 2019, Golf Australia, Cre8ion, Weatherall Golf and Krista Hauritz Tourism and Events, Queensland
- North Australian Festival of Arts 2019, Townsville City Council, Queensland
- Paralympics Australia Infinite Possibilities Gala 2019, This Space, New South Wales
- Island Whale Festival 2019, Destination Phillip Island Inc, Victoria
- Salesforce World Tour Reimagined 2020, The Company We Keep, New South Wales
- Highway to Hell: Perth Festival 2020 Closing Event, Western Australia
- Splendour in the Grass 2019, New South Wales

2019 Results

Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER:* Formula 1 Rolex Australia Grand Prix 2019
- Urban Polo Australia Series, Polo Events Australia
- Bentley Polo in the Valley 2019, Lux Events
- Santos Tour Down Under 2019
- Invictus Games Sydney 2018

Tourism Western Australia Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER:* Vivid Sydney 2019, Destination NSW
- Santos Tour Down Under 2019
- Channel 7 Mandurah Crab Fest
- Field of Light: Avenue of Honour by Bruce Munro
- Kaleidoscope: Festival of Light | Art | Food 2018

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER:* Invictus Games Sydney 2018
- ECOfiesta 2019, Cairns Regional Council
- Bloody Long Walk - National Series 2018
- Special Olympics SOAR & ROAR Festival 2018
- Outback Air Race 2018

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER:* Vivid Sydney 2019
- Boorna Waanginy: The Trees Speak, Perth Festival 2019
- Byron Bay Bluesfest 2019
- Handa Opera on Sydney Harbour, Opera Australia
- Yabarra – Gathering of Light, Illuminart, Adelaide Fringe & Yellaka
- Splendour in the Grass 2018 Annual Music & Arts Festival

State and Territory Winners:
VIC: White Night Bendigo 2018 & White Night Geelong 2018, David Atkins Enterprises
QLD: BIGSOUND, Queensland Music Network Incorporated

Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER*: Brisbane Truck Show 2019, Heavy Vehicle Industry Australia
- IBM Think Summit 2019, George P. Johnson
- Connect Conference 2018, Events Fantastic Australia in conjunction with Ray White Group
- Salesforce World Tour 2019, The Company We Keep
- Amazon Web Services Summit Sydney Series 2019

State and Territory Winners:
WA: St John Experience 2018, St John Ambulance
VIC: AMP Amplify Festival, AMP Ltd

Best Exhibition, Trade or Consumer Show
- *WINNER*: Brisbane Truck Show 2019, Heavy Vehicle Industry Australia
- IBM Think Summit 2019, George P. Johnson
- Salesforce World Tour Expo

Coates Hire Best Community Event
- *WINNER*: Springvale Snow Fest 2018
- Central Geelong StoryFest 2019
- Adelaide's New Year's Eve 2018
- Australia Day 2019 Skyworks
- Noosa Classic 2018, Yaffa Media

State and Territory Winners:
NSW: Australia's Largest Australia Day Citizenship Ceremony, City of Parramatta Council

Best Small Event
- *WINNER:* Double Shot Coffee Fiesta 2018
- Ferrari 488 Pista Australasian Premier
- IN-N-OUT Burger Pop-up Art Sydney 2019
- Point Walter Concert 2019

Aggreko Best New Event
- *WINNER:* Yabarra – Gathering of Light
- Meet the Makers: Women in Beer, Wine and Spirits
- Noosa Classic 2018, Yaffa Media

Best Regional Event
- *WINNER:* Byron Bay Bluesfest 2019
- XVII Australasian Police and Emergency Services Games 2018
- Hawaiian Ride for Youth 2019
- Horizon Festival 2018
- Splendour in the Grass 2018 Annual Music & Arts Festival

State and Territory Winners:
VIC: RONE EMPIRE, Rone International Pty Ltd

ShowTex Australia Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming
- *WINNER:* Illuminart Productions Pty Ltd for their work on Yabarra
- Bar Pop Management Pty Ltd for their work on Ice Cream Factory Summer Festival 2018
- Events Fantastic Australia for their work on Connect Conference 2018

- Jack Morton Worldwide for their work on Samsung Infinite Experience at Optus Kickstart 2019
- George P. Johnson for their work on Amazon Web Services Summit Sydney Series 2019

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship
- *WINNER:* Milestone Creative Australia for their work on SailGP 2019
- Commercial Communications and Marketing Team for their work on Invictus Games Sydney 2018
- George P. Johnson for their work on Intuit QuickBooks Connect 2019 Melbourne 2019

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation
- *WINNER:* Elementice for their work on Supanova Comic Con & Gaming 2019
- Novatech Creative event Technology for their work on Santos Tour Down Under 2019
- Jack Morton Worldwide for their work on Samsung Infinite Experience at Optus Kickstart 2019
- 32Hundred Lighting for their work on Building illuminati at Vivid Sydney 2019
- Laservision Pty Ltd for their work on 'The Wave' at Reem Central Park, UAE during 2018 and 2019

eps australia Best Achievement in Venue Management
- *WINNER*: Sydney Olympic Park Authority for their work on Invictus Games Sydney 2018 at Quaycentre
- Sydney Showground for their 2018/2019 body of work

- Luna Park Sydney Pty Ltd for their work on Luna Park Venues

Best New Product
- *WINNER*: The Event Ecosystem for their work on Associated Celebrity Talent & Global Event Talent Applications
- Creative Mazes for their work on Christmas Maze 2018 for City of Perth and Aussie Maze 2019 for city of Albany

Best Event Service
- *WINNER:* The Event Ecosystem for their work on Associated Celebrity Talent & Global Event Talent Applications

Best Achievement in Event Education or Training
- *WINNER*: Holmesglen Institute for their partnership with The Victorian State Schools Spectacular
- University of Queensland for their Event Planning & Project management Course

Best Achievement in Entertainment
- *WINNER*: David Atkins Enterprises for their work on White Night Bendigo 2018 & White Night Geelong 2018
- David Atkins Enterprises for their work on the Helpmann Awards 2018
- NSW Department of Premier and Cabinet for their work on Australia Day 2019
- Ceremonies Team for their work on Invictus Games Sydney 2018 Opening and Closing Ceremonies

Young Achiever of the Year
- *WINNER:* Lauren Semken nominated by cievents
- Alexandra Musik nominated by Humm Pty Ltd
- Natasha Checinski
- Mikaila Sparkes nominated by Event Planet

Event Producer of the Year
- *WINNER:* Trish Strong nominated by George P. Johnson
- Emma Gibson nominated by Belle Laide Events
- David Atkins nominated by David Atkins Enterprises
- Hailey Mason nominated by Project Nine Events Group
- Matthew Nastasi nominated by George P. Johnson

Small Event Management Company of the Year
- *WINNER*: Sorted Events
- Known Associates Events
- Wingman Marketing Pty Ltd
- CIS Event Management
- Caroline James Events

Event Management Company of the Year
- *WINNER*: David Atkins Enterprises
- cievents
- Belle Laide Events
- George P. Johnson
- Event Planet

2018 Results

TFH Hire Services Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games*
- Urban Polo Series, Polo Events Australia
- Monster Energy AUS-X Open Sydney 2017, SX Holdings
- Santos Tour Down Under 2018

Visit Sunshine Coast Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: Vivid Sydney 2018, Destination NSW*
- Santos Tour Down Under 2018
- White Night Melbourne 2018 and White Night Ballarat 2018, David Atkins Enterprises
- Australian Tourism Exchange 2018 South Australian Showcase Dinner, InFront Events & Novatech

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Birdsville Big Reg Bash 2017, Big Run Events
ACT: Summernats 31, 2018

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: Hawaiian Ride for Youth 2018, Youth Focus*
- Emerald Ball 2018, The Children's Hospital at Westmead
- Special Olympics SOAR & ROAR Festival
- Bloody Long Walk – National Series 2017, Sorted Events
- Untold Melbourne 2018, Neonormal

State and Territory Winner
QLD: RACQ International Women's Day Fun Run 2018, Mater Foundation

Best Congress or Conference
- *WINNER: 2018 IEEE International Conference on* Robotics and Automation, ICMS Australasia
- IBM Think Australia 2018, GPJ Australia
- Telstra Vantage 2017, Imagination
- Mumbrella360 2018

EVENTelec Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER: 29th Annual Byron Bay Bluesfest 2018*
- Splendour in the Grass 2017
- Vivid Sydney 2018, Destination NSW
- Adelaide Fringe 2018

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Griffith Opera on the Beach – Aida 2017
WA: The Karijini Experience 2018
VIC: White Night Melbourne 2018 and White Night Ballarat 2018

Cvent Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: Project Botanicals – A Journey to the Edges of Taste, Music & Imagination 2017, The Round Table Communications*
- AWS Summit Sydney 2018, GPJ Australia
- Telstra Vantage 2017, Imagination
- Truly Madly Deeply Melbourne Part 3 2018, Marriner Group

State and Territory Winner
QLD: Harcourts Australia National Conference 2018

Best Exhibition, Trade or Consumer Show
- *WINNER: Trade 2018: The Trade and Investment Program of the Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth* Games, Office of the Commonwealth Games, Queensland State Government
- AWS Summit Sydney 2018, GPJ Australia

Coates Hire Best Community Event
- *WINNER: Living Smart Festival 2017, Lake Macquarie City Council*
- City of Perth Australia Day Skyworks 2018
- White Night Melbourne 2018 and White Night Ballarat 2018, David Atkins Enterprises
- Bowral Classic 2017, Yaffa Media

State and Territory Winners
QLD: RACQ MotorFest 2017
SA: Voices of Christmas 2017, Novatech Creative Event Technology

ShowTex Australia Best Small Event
- *WINNER: Lights of Christmas (The) – Rockhampton 2017, Illuminart / The Cathedral College, Rockhampton*
- SeeChange Jervis Bay Arts Festival 2018, Jervis Bay and Basin Arts Inc
- Buskers by the Creek 2017
- Whyalla's uneARTh festival 2018, Whyalla City Council

State and Territory Winners
WA: Ningaloo Centre Launch 2017, Illuminart / Shire of Exmouth
NT: #secretkidsbusiness 2017, City of Darwin

Aggreko Best New Event
- *WINNER: The Big Anxiety Festival of Arts + Science + People 2017*
- Hills Illuminate 2017, Illuminart / Rouse Hill Town Centre
- Australia Day Live at the Quay! 2018, Department of Premier and Cabinet NSW

Viking Rentals Best Regional Event
- *WINNER: Splendour in the Grass 2017*
- Queensland Garden Expo 2017, Sunshine Coast Branch of Nursery and Garden Industry Qld
- Christmas in July – Winter Wonderlights 2017, Sovereign Hill
- Bowral Classic 2017, Yaffa Media

State and Territory Winners
WA: Northam Balloon Fiesta 2017, Shire of Northam
TAS: Bloomin' Tulips Festival 2017, Waratah-Wynyard Council

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming

- *WINNER: Stagekings for their work on Pop-Up Globe 2018*
- Imagination for their work on Sammsung's The Night. Reimagined @ Vivid 2018
- David Atkins Enterprises for their work on White Night Melbourne
  2018 and White Night Ballarat 2018
- GPJ Australia for their work on AWS Summit Sydney 2018

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship

- *WINNER: Sunshine Coast Regional Council for their work on Horizon Festival of Arts and Culture 2017*
- Sold Out Events for Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games, Sponsorship Program Delivery: Longines, Tafe Queensland, Elastoplast, Aggreko and Sold Out Events
- Sekisui House Australia for their work on Brisbane Ice Cream Festival 2018
- Cellarmasters for their work on Touring Cellar Door 2017/2018

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation

- *WINNER: Mediatec Asia Pacific for their work on the Australian Open Series with Tennis Australia 2017/2018*
- The Electric Canvas for their work on Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Opening and Closing Ceremonies 2018
- Imagination for their work on Samsung's The Night. Reimagined @ Vivid 2018
- David Atkins Enterprises for their work on White Night Melbourne 2018

eps australia Best Achievement in Venue Management

- *WINNER: Sydney Showground for their work at Sydney Olympic Park*
- Melbourne Cricket Club for their work at the MCG
- Q Station, Sydney Harbour National Park for their work at Q Station

Best New Product

- *WINNER: EventsAIR for their EventStream Engage Feature*
- Rock and Roll Team Building for their Rock with the Culture of Indigenous Australia Workshop
- Venuemob
- Clever Event Technology for their O-tix Capture App

Best Event Service

- *WINNER: Intelligent Risks for their work in risk, security and crisis management*
- PBM Safety for their work in onsite emergency, risk and safety management services
- ExpoNet for their work in exhibition and event design, project management and build services
- Stagekings for their work in creating stages and structure for events

Best Achievement in Event Education or Training

- *WINNER: TAFE Queensland for their Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Training Partnership*
- Kenvale College for their work on From Field to Fibre: Fashion Events, 2018 Sydney Royal Easter Agricultural Show
- Holmesglen Institute for their Victorian State School's Spectacular Partnership

Best Achievement in Entertainment

- *WINNER: David Atkins Enterprises for their work on White Night Melbourne 2018*
- Shane International Events & Entertainment for their work on Tinker Tailor's Magical Toy Shop 2017

Young Achiever of the Year

- *WINNER: Natasha Gosper nominated by cievents*
- Katrina Sioufi nominated by GPJ Australia
- Nikaylie Pulbrook, nominated by Sold Out National Event Management

Event Producer of the Year

- *WINNER: David Atkins nominated by David Atkins Enterprises*
- Ryan Barwood nominated by Heathwood & Co
- Natalie Pronin nominated by GPJ Australia
- Clare Dawson nominated by Forum Group Events & Marketing

Small Event Management Company of the Year
WINNER: Wingman Events & Brand Activation

- Team Lacey Consultancy
- CIS Event Management
- Wrapped Creations

Event Management Company of the Year

- *WINNER: Belle Laide Events*
- Rizer
- GPJ Australia
- Event Planet

2017 Results

Australia's Favourite Event
- *WINNER: Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience*
- Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2017
- Splendour in the Grass 2016
- Wharf4Ward 2016

Norwest Productions Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: The Sun-Herald City2Surf 2016 Presented By Westpac, Fairfax Media Events*
- Santos Tour Down Under 2017
- The Perth Scorchers BBL|06 Home Season 2016/2017 including the Big Final
- Supercheap Auto Bathurst 1000 2016

State and Territory Winners
QLD and VIC: Polo in the City 2016, George P. Johnson
SA: Santos Tour Down Under 2017
WA: The Perth Scorchers BBL|06 Home Season 2016/2017 including the Big Final

Visit Sunshine Coast Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: Vivid Sydney 2017, Destination NSW*
- Santos Tour Down Under 2017
- Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2017
- 28th Annual Byron Bay Bluesfest 2017

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2017
SA: Santos Tour Down Under 2017
TAS: Salamanca Market in 2016/2017
VIC: Christmas in July 2016 - Winter Wonderlights, Sovereign Hill
WA: Margaret River Gourmet Escape presented by Audi 2016, IMG Culinary

Sold Out National Event Management Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: The 3rd International Conference on Asbestos Awareness and Management 2016, Asbestos Safety and Eradication Agency*
- World Environment Day Festival 2017, Sunshine Coast Environment Council
- Wharf4Ward 2016, Sony Foundation
- Hawaiian Ride for Youth 2017, Youth Focus

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Wharf4Ward 2016, Sony Foundation
NT: Youngcare Simpson Desert Challenge 2017
QLD: World Environment Day Festival 2017, Sunshine Coast Environment Council
VIC: La Dolce Italia Presents A Night With Susan Sarandon 2016, Eventcepts
WA: Hawaiian Ride for Youth 2017, Youth Focus

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference
- *WINNER: TEDxSydney 2017, Belle Laide Events*
- Non-Surgical Symposium 2017, The Production House Events
- Australian Cyber Security Centre Conference 2017, Australian Cyber Security Centre
- Mumbrella360 2017

State and Territory Winners
ACT: Australian Cyber Security Centre Conference 2017, Australian Cyber Security Centre
QLD: Non-Surgical Symposium 2017, The Production House Events

EVENTelec Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER: Vivid Sydney 2017, Destination NSW*
- White Night Ballarat 2017, David Atkins Enterprises
- Splendour in the Grass 2016
- 28th Annual Byron Bay Bluesfest 2017

State and Territory Winners
SA: WOMADelaide 2017
VIC: White Night Ballarat 2017, David Atkins Enterprises
WA: Kaleidoscope Festival 2016, City of Joondalup

Haycom Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: Salesforce World Tour 2017, Revolution360*
- Bayer Australia: Journey Of Life Experience 2017, Sussex Australasia
- Westpac Bicentennial Program 2017, Imagination Australia
- Australia Day Lunch 2017, NSW Department of Premier and Cabinet
- Amway China Leadership Summit 2016/2017, TurningPoint Solutions

State and Territory Winners
ACT, NT, QLD, SA, TAS, VIC, WA: Westpac Bicentennial Program 2017, Imagination Australia

TFH Hire Services Best Exhibition
- *WINNER: Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience 2016/2017, Imagination Australia*
- Sydney Morning Herald - TEDx 2017 Exhibition Stand, This Space Events
- Salesforce World Tour 2017, Revolution360
- Westpac Bicentennial Exhibition 2017, Imagination Australia

State and Territory Winners
SA: Westpac Bicentennial Exhibition 2017, Imagination Australia

Coates Hire Best Community Event

- *WINNER: Bowral Classic 2016, Yaffa Media*
- White Night Melbourne 2017, David Atkins Enterprises
- Sydney Royal Easter Show 2017, Royal Agricultural Society of NSW
- Blayney Hay Bale Art Challenge 2017, Blayney Shire Council

State and Territory Winners
ACT, QLD, SA, TAS, WA: Australian Olympic Team National Welcome Home Celebrations 2016, Sold Out National Event Management
VIC: White Night Melbourne 2017, David Atkins Enterprises

Aggreko Best New Event

- *WINNER: Bowral Classic 2016, Yaffa Media*
- Nitro Athletics 2017, Sold Out National Event Management
- Daikin North Queensland Elite Rodeo
- Kidtopia 2016 Presented By Qantas Assure, Fairfax Media Events

State and Territory Winners
ACT, SA, NT: Confluence: Festival of India in Australia 2016, Gandhi Creations and Teamwork Arts
QLD: Daikin North Queensland Elite Rodeo
VIC: Nitro Athletics 2017, Sold Out National Event Management
WA: Kaleidoscope Festival 2016, City of Joondalup

Local Tickets Best Regional Event

- *WINNER: 28th Annual Byron Bay Bluesfest 2017*
- Splendour in the Grass 2016
- Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2017
- Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2016 presented by Audi

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2017
TAS: Shimano Enduro Tasmania Round 2 2017 Enduro World Series, Event Management Solutions Australia
VIC: White Night Ballarat 2017, David Atkins Enterprises
WA: Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2016 presented by Audi

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming

- *WINNER: Imagination Australia for their work on Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience 2016/2017*
- David Atkins Enterprises for their work on White Night Ballarat 2017
- David Atkins Enterprises for their work on White Night Melbourne 2017
- Imagination Australia for their work on Westpac Bicentennial Program (Ball & Exhibition) 2017

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship

- *WINNER: Tourism Australia for their work on The World's 50 Best Restaurants 2017*
- Imagination Australia for their work on Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience 2016/2017
- Yaffa Media for their work on Bowral Classic 2016

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation

- *WINNER: Imagination Australia for their work on Freedom Of Movement (Ford Australia at Vivid Sydney 2017)*
- Laservision Mega Media for their work on "IMAGINE" Dubai Festival City 2016/2017
- Innovative Production Services for their work on TEDxSydney 2017
- Imagination Australia for their work on Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience 2016/2017

Best Achievement in Venue Management

- *WINNER: Melbourne Cricket Club for their work at the MCG*
- Australian Grand Prix Corporation for their work on Albert Park Formula 1 Grand Prix Circuit 2017
- Venues Canberra for their work at Exhibition Park in Canberra
- Roads & Maritime Services for their work on New Year's Eve on the Cahill Expressway 2016

Best Product or Service

- *WINNER: Venuemob*
- Local Tickets for their ticketing platform
- Eventeamwork for their work in Event Volunteer Management
- PBM Safety for their work in Event Safety, Risk and Emergency Management Services

Best Education or Training Program

- *WINNER: TAFE Queensland, East Coast Region for their Diploma of Event Management*
- The Star Entertainment Group for The Star Culinary Institute
- Venue Management Association (Asia and Pacific), Venue Management School
- Holmesglen Institute for their Diploma of Event Management / Certificate III in Live Production Services

Best Achievement in Entertainment

- *WINNER: Laservision Mega Media for their work on "IMAGINE" Dubai Festival City 2016/2017*
- A.P.E Entertainment & Events for their work on Daihatsu Conference and Gala Dinner 2017
- Splendour in the Grass for their 2016 event
- NSW Department of Premier and Cabinet for their work on Djäpana: Sunset Dreaming at the Australia Day 2017 Live at the Sydney Opera House

2016 Results

Young Achiever of the Year
- *WINNER: Aaron Sunderland Goff nominated by Events Fantastic Australia*

Event Producer of the Year
- *WINNER: David Atkins nominated by David Atkins Enterprises*
- Bethany Fitzpatrick nominated by City of Parramatta Council
- Chris Toward nominated by Walking Events Worldwide
- Hailey Mason nominated by SORTED. Projects, Events & Sponsorship

eps Australia Event Management Company of the Year
- *WINNER: Rizer*
- David Atkins Enterprises
- Sold Out National Event Management
- Kat & Co

The 2017 State or Territory Award
- *WINNER: New South Wales*

Lifetime Achievement Award
- *Ignatius Jones*

Australia's Favourite Event
- *WINNER: Birdsville Big Red Bash*
- Be The Light for the Wild, Centenary Light Walk at Taronga Zoo, Vivid Sydney 2016
- Deni Ute Muster
- The Gibb Challenge

Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: Santos Tour Down Under 2016*
- The Adelaide Commonwealth Bank Day-Night Test, Cricket Australia
- International Champions Cup Australia 2015 at the MCG, Melbourne Cricket Club, TLA Worldwide and TEG Live
- Nutri-Grain IronMan / IronWoman Series 2015/2016, Sold Out National Event Management

State and Territory Winners
NSW & QLD: Nutri-Grain IronMan / IronWoman Series 2015/2016, Sold Out National Event Management
VIC: International Champions Cup Australia 2015 at the MCG, Melbourne Cricket Club, TLA Worldwide and TEG Live

Visit Sunshine Coast Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2015, IMG Culinary*
- Santos Tour Down Under 2016
- Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival
- Byron Bay Bluesfest 2016

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Byron Bay Bluesfest 2016
QLD: Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival
SA: Santos Tour Down Under 2016
VIC: Springvale Snow Fest 2015, City of Greater Dandenong

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: Youngcare Simpson Desert Challenge 2016*
- Melbourne Reclink Community Cup
- Wharf4Ward 2015, Sony Foundation
- The Gibb Challenge, Karunjie Event Management

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Wharf4Ward 2015, Sony Foundation
VIC: Melbourne Reclink Community Cup
WA: The Gibb Challenge, Karunjie Event Management

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference
- *WINNER: Mumbrella360*
- Asia Pacific Cities Summit 2015, Carillon Conference Management
- Advance Queensland Innovation and Investment Summit and Startup Festival, Department of the Premier and Cabinet and Cre8ion
- ASFA Conference 2015

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Asia Pacific Cities Summit 2015, Carillon Conference Management
VIC: Telstra Vantage 2015, Imagination

EVENTelec Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER: Handa Opera on Sydney Harbour - Turandot, Opera Australia*
- Barangaroo Welcome Celebration
- WOMADelaide 2016
- Byron Bay Bluesfest 2016

State and Territory Winners
SA: WOMADelaide 2016
VIC: Victorian Dance Festival

Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: Dreamtime 2015 Business Session and Dinner, Belle Laide Events*
- Qatar Airways Sydney Launch Event, DG Global
- Emirates Marquee (The) - Melbourne Cup 2015 - Hello Tomorrow, Kat & Co
- Salesforce World Tour 2016

State and Territory Winners
ACT: Property Leaders Summit 2016, Property Council of Australia
NSW: Qatar Airways Sydney Launch Event, DG Global
QLD: Riviera Festival of Boating
VIC: The Emirates Marquee - Melbourne Cup 2015 - Hello Tomorrow, Kat & Co

Best Exhibition
- *WINNER: Hair Expo Australia 2016, Reed Exhibitions*
- Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience, Imagination
- Be The Light for the Wild, Centenary Light Walk at Taronga Zoo, Vivid Sydney 2016, Ample Projects and Taronga Zoo
- Gold Coast International Marine Expo

State and Territory Winners
NSW, QLD, SA & TAS: Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience, Imagination

Coates Hire Best Community Event
- *WINNER: Parramatta Lanes 2015, City of Parramatta*
- 7 Sunshine Coast Marathon & Community Run Festival
- Clubs & Community Awards, This Space Events & ClubsNSW
- Summerset Arts Festival 2016, City of Stirling

State and Territory Winners
QLD: 7 Sunshine Coast Marathon & Community Run Festival
SA: Campbelltown Moonlight Markets, Campbelltown City Council
VIC: Australia Day Festival 2016, City of Greater Dandenong
WA: Summerset Arts Festival 2016, City of Stirling

Best New Event
- *WINNER: Water Polo by the Sea, Sold Out National Event Management*
- The Adelaide Commonwealth Bank Day-Night Test, Cricket Australia
- Barangaroo Welcome Celebration
- NSW Regional Events Conference, King Events

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Advance Queensland Innovation and Investment Summit and Startup Festival, Department of the Premier and Cabinet and Cre8ion
SA: The Adelaide Commonwealth Bank Day-Night Test, Cricket Australia
VIC: McKayos, Falls Creek Resort Management

Best Regional Event
- *WINNER: Byron Bay Bluesfest 2016*
- Deni Ute Muster
- Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival
- Birdsville Big Red Bash, Big Run Events

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival
SA: Port to Port Boston Bay Broadcast, illuminart
WA: Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2015, IMG Culinary

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming
- *WINNER: Ample Projects for their work on Be The Light For The Wild, Centenary Light Walk at Taronga Zoo, Vivid Sydney 2016*
- Imagination for their work on Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience
- The Electric Canvas for their work on Vivid Sydney at Chatswood 2016
- Kat & Co for their work on The Emirates Marquee - Melbourne Cup 2015 - Hello Tomorrow

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship
- *WINNER: Zadro for their work on Hotel Career Expo 2016*
- The Star Sydney for their work on Holden State of Origin, Game One
- Daniel Morcombe Foundation for their work on Day for Daniel 2015
- Sunshine Coast Council and Visit Sunshine Coast for their work on the World is Coming Campaign

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation
- *WINNER: Imagination for their work on Spirit of Anzac Centenary Experience*
- Artists in Motion for their work on Hong Kong Pulse 3D Light Show - Winterfest 2015
- Backdrops Fantastic Australia for their work on Connect Conference 2015
- Staging Rentals & Construction for their work on Turandot, Handa Opera on Sydney Harbour

Best Achievement in Venue Management
- *WINNER: Sydney Showground*
- Etihad Stadium
- SCG Events
- Luna Park Sydney Venues

2015 Results

Best Product or Service
- *WINNER: Botanic Gardens Restaurant Adelaide*
- EVENTelec

Best Education or Training Program
- *WINNER: Holmesglen Institute*
- William Angliss Institute

Best Achievement in Entertainment
- *WINNER: Shane International Events & Entertainment for their work on The Magical Gift of Mother Earth at the 2015 Royal Adelaide Show*
- A.P.E for their work on The A&P Superband
- Red Thread Solutions for their work on LEGO Ninjago: The Realm of Shadows

Young Achiever of the Year
- *WINNER: Tara Whitfield, nominated by HUMM*
- Emma Brown, nominated by Gold Coast International Marine Expo
- Thomas Staunton, nominated by Sold Out National Event Management
- Ashley Hayes, nominated by Merlin Entertainments

Event Producer of the Year
- *WINNER: Abbie McCrisken, nominated by DG Global*
- Vanessa Baranovsky, nominated by Event Mafia
- Hailey Mason, nominated by SORTED. Projects, Events & Sponsorship

Event Management Company of the Year
- *WINNER: DG Global*
- King Performance Events
- Sold Out National Event Management
- Kat & Co
- Event Planet

The 2016 State or Territory Award
- *WINNER: South Australia*

Lifetime Achievement Award
- *Peter Jones*

Australia's Favourite Event
- *WINNER: Tottenham Hotspur FC International Football Tour, ANZ Stadium & Destination NSW*
- Chelsea FC v Sydney FC - International Football Friendly, ANZ Stadium & Destination NSW
- Perth International Arts Festival Presents The Giants
- 50th Anniversary of the 1965 Freedom Ride, The University of Sydney

Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: Chelsea FC v Sydney FC - International Football Friendly, ANZ Stadium & Destination NSW*
- Australian Open 2015, Tennis Australia
- Santos Tour Down Under 2015
- Medibank Wave Warriors Junior Challenge

State and Territory Winners
QLD & WA: Medibank Wave Warriors Junior Challenge
SA: Santos Tour Down Under 2015
VIC: Australian Open 2015, Tennis Australia

Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: Vivid Sydney 2015, Destination NSW*
- Tottenham Hotspur FC International Football Tour, ANZ Stadium & Destination NSW
- Santos Tour Down Under 2015
- Byron Bay Bluesfest 2015

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Cairns Amateurs Carnival, Far North Queensland Amateur Turf Club
SA: Santos Tour Down Under 2015
WA: Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2014, Brand Events Australia

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event

- *WINNER: Hawaiian Ride for Youth 2015, Youth Focus*
- Emerald Ball for Kids Rehab at The Children's Hospital at Westmead
- SA Hiking Challenge, The Jodi Lee Foundation
- River4Ward, *Sony Foundation*

  ### *State and Territory Winners*
  ACT, QLD & TAS: Cord Blood Day, Inner Wheel Australia
  NSW: Emerald Ball for Kids Rehab at The Children's Hospital at Westmead
  SA: SA Hiking Challenge, The Jodi Lee Foundation
  VIC: River4Ward, Sony Foundation

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference

- *WINNER: International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN) World Parks Congress 2014*
- Ocean of Wisdom Retreat by His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama, Fairmont Resort Blue Mountains
- Cisco Live 2015, Australia
- Mumbrella360 & Mumbrella Awards, Focal Attractions

  ### *State and Territory Winners*
  NT: TIO Territory Insurance Conference
  QLD & WA: Better Business Summit, Sterling Publishing
  SA: Frontliners Forum 2014, helloworld
  VIC: Cisco Live 2015, Australia

EVENTelec Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event

- *WINNER: WOMADelaide 2015*
- Vivid Sydney 2015, Destination NSW
- Perth International Arts Festival Presents The Giants
- Handa Opera on Sydney Harbour: Aida, Opera Australia

State and Territory Winners
ACT: National Folk Festival
NSW: Vivid Sydney 2015, Destination NSW
QLD: Opera in the Reservoir, The Underground Opera Company
VIC: Melbourne International Jazz Festival 2015
WA: Perth International Arts Festival Presents The Giants

Doltone House Best Corporate Event

- *WINNER: Creative Innovation Asia Pacific 2015, Tania de Jong AM and Creative Universe*
- Grow by ANZ: The Keith Urban Experience & Jam Slam, Belle Laide Events
- 10th Anniversary of the Prix de Marie Claire Fashion & Beauty Awards 2015, Kat & Co
- Westinghouse Launch 2015, BORNCURIOUS Events
- Toyota Oh What A Feeling! Live, George P. Johnson Australia

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Prix de Marie Claire Fashion & Beauty Awards 2015 (10th Anniversary), Kat & Co
NT & SA: Toyota Oh What A Feeling! Live, George P. Johnson
QLD: Westinghouse Launch 2015, BORNCURIOUS Events
WA: St John Experience 2014, St John Ambulance Western Australia

Best Exhibition

- *WINNER: Gold Coast International Marine Expo*
- Australasian Gaming Expo, Gaming Technologies Association
- Taste of Sydney 2015, Brand Events Australia
- PAX Australia

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Taste of Sydney 2015, Brand Events Australia
VIC: Pax Australia

Coates Hire Best Community Event

- *WINNER: Adelaide Writers' Week*
- 50th Anniversary of the 1965 Freedom Ride, The University of Sydney
- The Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society of South Australia's 175th Gala Celebration
- Double Shot Coffee Fiesta 2015, City of Unley

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Freedom Ride 1965 (50th Anniversary), The University of Sydney
NT: City of Darwin's Community Commemoration Events for the 40th Anniversary of Cyclone Tracy
QLD: Cairns Amateurs Carnival, Far North Queensland Amateur Turf Club VIC: Wodonga Children's Fair 2014, Wodonga City Council
WA: Joondalup Festival 2015, City of Joondalup

Best New Event

- *WINNER: Glow Winter Arts Festival, City of Stonnington*
- La Dolce Italia, Eventcepts
- generationYOU
- Buskers by the Creek

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Cultural Diversity and Inclusion Day 2015, Gandhi Creations
QLD: Buskers by the Creek

Best Regional Event

- *WINNER: Argyle Diamonds Ord Valley Muster, Ord Valley Events*
- Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival
- The Falls Music & Arts Festival, Marion Bay
- Byron Bay Bluesfest 2015

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Byron Bay Bluesfest 2015
NT: Dundee Beach Charity Golf Day, Creative Territory
QLD: Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival
SA: SA Hiking Challenge, The Jodi Lee Foundation
TAS: Falls Music & Arts Festival (The), Marion Bay
VIC: Diversitat Pako Festa: A Celebration of Cultural Diversity, Geelong Ethnic Communities Council

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming

- *WINNER: Kat & Co for their work on the 10th Anniversary of the Prix de Marie Claire Fashion & Beauty Awards 2015*
- Yakusan for their work on The Hendrick's Gin "Parlour of Curiosities" at Spectrum Now Festival & Dark MOFO Festival 2015
- Ample Projects for their work on Aquatic Wonderland
- The Electric Canvas for their work on Winter Wonderlights, Sovereign Hill's Christmas in July 2014

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship

- *WINNER: ANZ Stadium & Destination NSW for their work on Tottenham Hotspur FC v Sydney FC - International Football Friendly*
- Fairfax Media for their work on Good Food Month presented by Citi
- George P. Johnson Australia for their work on Toyota Oh What A Feeling! Live National Marketing & Community Engagement Campaign
- OzParty Events for their work on The Ultimate Race - Sydney

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation

- *WINNER: Technick for their work on Baku 2015 European Games Opening & Closing Ceremonies*
- TDC - Technical Direction Company for their work on Vivid 2015
- PCC Event Services for their work on The Falls Music & Arts Festival, Lorne 2014
- The P.A. People for their work on Baku 2015 European Games Opening & Closing Ceremonies

Best Achievement in Venue Management

- *WINNER: Luna Park Sydney*
- SCG Events
- Curzon Hall - Navarra Venues
- Sydney Showground

Best Product or Service

- *WINNER: Blanco Food and Events for their work on Black Tie Barefoot BBQ*
- Perth Stadium Management
- Event Workforce
- The Venue Concierge

Best Education or Training Program

- *WINNER: Sydney TAFE*
- Sunshine Coast Council
- William Angliss Institute
- College of Event Management

Best Achievement in Entertainment

- *WINNER: David Atkins Enterprises for their work on the Ceremonies & Competition Concert Series for Qatar 2015, Men's Handball World Championship*
- Ding Productions

Young Achiever of the Year

- *WINNER: Monique O'Callaghan, nominated by Event Planet*
- Whitney Mitchell, nominated by Crowne Plaza Surfers Paradise
- Patrick Gent, nominated by Westpac Group
- Emma Milne, nominated by Gold Coast International Marine Expo

Event Manager of the Year

- *WINNER: Dani Potter, nominated by Surf Life Saving Australia*
- Jodi Pfitzner, nominated by Event Managers Australia
- Clare Alexander, nominated by Property Council of Australia
- Imogen Broomhead, nominated by Macquarie University

Event Management Company of the Year

- *WINNER: Kat & Co*
- George P. Johnson Australia
- Brand Events Australia
- Event Planet

The 2015 State or Territory Award

- *WINNER: South Australia*

Lifetime Achievement Award

- *Ron Walker AC CBE*
- *Meri Took*

2014 Results

Australia's Favourite Event
- *WINNER: Ballarat Begonia Festival*
- Australian Billy Cart Championships
- Bendigo Easter Festival
- Blues on Broadbeach Blues Festival
- Byron Bay Bluesfest
- Club Marine Southern 80 Water Ski Race
- Grace Gala 2014
- Royal Australian Navy International Fleet Review
- Santos Tour Down Under 2014
- Vivid Sydney

Australian Event of the Year
- *WINNER: Major League Baseball Opening Series Sydney, 2014*

Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: Major League Baseball Opening Series Sydney, 2014*
- Liverpool FC Versus Melbourne Victory at MCG, Melbourne Cricket Club
- Santos Tour Down Under 2014
- Sun-Herald City2Surf presented by Westpac, Fairfax Events

State and Territory Winners
SA: Santos Tour Down Under 2014
VIC: Liverpool FC Versus Melbourne Victory at MCG, Melbourne Cricket Club
QLD & WA: Medibank Wave Warriors Junior Challenge

Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: Vivid Sydney 2014, Destination NSW*
- Santos Tour Down Under 2014
- Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2013
- Byron Bay Bluesfest 2014

State and Territory Winners
QLD: The Cairns Amateurs Carnival
SA: Santos Tour Down Under 2014
WA: Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2013

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: Optus RockCorps*
- Ford Smart Drives For The National Breast Cancer Foundation, Imagination
- Grace Gala 2014, Cerebral Palsy Alliance Research Foundation, CHW and Vanilla Bean Events
- Sony Foundation Wharf4Ward

State and Territory Winners
SA & WA: Ford Smart Drives For The National Breast Cancer Foundation, Imagination

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference
- *WINNER: 15th World Conference on Lung Cancer, Sydney 2013*
- Buunji: 2013 National Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Education Conference, NSW Government - Education and Communities and Scope Productions
- Mumbrella360/the Mumbrella Awards
- Capital Markets Leaders Summit 2014, Property Council of Australia

State and Territory Winners
ACT: Capital Markets Leaders Summit 2014, Property Council of Australia
QLD: Interactive Minds Digital Summit, Bright Conferences
SA, VIC & WA: Better Business Conference, Sterling Publishing

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER: Byron Bay Bluesfest 2014*
- Vivid Sydney 2014, Destination NSW
- Garrmalang Festival, Darwin Entertainment Centre
- Handa Opera on Sydney Harbour: Madama Butterfly, Opera Australia

State and Territory Winners
NT: Garrmalang Festival, Darwin Entertainment Centre
QLD: Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2014
VIC: Mountain to Mouth (M~M2014), City of Greater Geelong

Doltone House Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: Australian Tourism Exchange 2014 Farewell Event, Belle-Laide Events*
- The Gumtree Garden Pop-up Bar, Chieftain Communications, Gumtree/eBay & Edelman Public Relations
- Royal Randwick Grandstand Launch, Australian Turf Club and Rizer
- Bulgari 130th Anniversary Gala Dinner - Asia Pacific Region, Rizer

State and Territory Winners
ACT: Capital Markets Leaders Summit 2014, Property Council of Australia
NSW: Gumtree Garden Pop-up Bar (The), Chieftain Communications, Gumtree/eBay & Edelman Public Relations
WA: Industry Event Of The Year, Phenomenon Creative Event Services

Best Exhibition
- *WINNER: Asia-Pacific Incentives & Meetings Expo (AIME), Reed Exhibitions*
- Australian Tourism Exchange 2014, Tourism Australia
- Taste of Sydney 2013, Taste Festivals
- PAX Australia

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Taste of Sydney 2013, Taste Festivals
QLD: Australian Tourism Exchange 2014, Tourism Australia

Coates Hire Best Community Event
- *WINNER: M~M2014: Mountain to Mouth, City of Greater Geelong*
- Newtown Festival
- The Light in Winter, Fed Square
- Wodonga Children's Fair 2013, Wodonga City Council

State and Territory Winners
NSW: Newtown Festival
QLD: Cairns Amateurs
SA: Adelaide's New Year's Eve 2013, Adelaide City Council
WA: Joondalup Festival 2014, City of Joondalup

Best New Event
- *WINNER: Major League Baseball Opening Series Sydney, 2014*
- La Lune: Energy Producing Art, Warringah Council
- Springvale Snow Fest 2013, City of Greater Dandenong
- Boomerang Festival

State and Territory Winners
QLD: Opera on the Beach, Opera Australia
SA: Double Shot Coffee Fiesta, City of Unley
VIC: Springvale Snow Fest 2013, City of Greater Dandenong
WA: The Adviser Better Business Summit, Sterling Publishing

Best Regional Event
- *WINNER: Deni Ute Muster, Deni Play on the Plains Festival*
- Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2014
- Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2013
- Byron Bay Bluesfest 2014

State and Territory Winners
ACT: Canberra Area Theatre Awards
QLD: Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2014
VIC: Ballarat Begonia Festival, City of Ballarat
WA: Margaret River Gourmet Escape 2013

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming
- *WINNER: Imagination for their work on Royal Australian Navy International Fleet Review Spectacular*
- Funktionality for their work on Mad Max 'Beyond Thunderdome'
- Décor It Events for their work on Masquerade
- Ample Projects for their work on Vivid Sydney 2014
- Imagination for their work on the City of Sydney New Year's Eve 2013

Best Achievement in Catering
- *WINNER: Tropical Catering & Events for their work on Australian Tourism Exchange 2014*

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship
- *WINNER: The Royal Botanic Garden, Sydney for their work on Tomato Festival Sydney 2014*
- The TEDxSydney Partnerships Team for their work on TEDxSydney 2014
- Fairfax Events for their work on 'The One to Run' Series
- Imagination for their work with Telstra on Sydney New Year's Eve 2013

Best Achievement in Sustainability
- *WINNER*: Ash Sounds for their work on The Falls Music & Arts Festival, Lorne
- Warringah Council for their work on La Lune: Energy Producing Art

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation

- *WINNER: Imagination for their work on Royal Australian Navy International Fleet Review Spectacular*
- Staging Connections for their work on Rotary International Convention Sydney 2014
- Oracle Attractions for their work on Santos GLNG City Of Lights at the Brisbane Festival 2013
- Australian Trucking Association for their work on ATA Foundation Sponsors Gala Awards Dinner

Best Achievement in Entertainment

- *WINNER: Brand Events for their work on the Top Gear Festival Sydney*
- Apples & Pears Entertainment and Events for their work with The A&P Superband & The Voice Contestants
- Soul Mystique for their 2013/14 Charity and Corporate Entertainment
- The Groove Academy for their 2013/14 Corporate Entertainment

Best Venue

- *WINNER: Sydney Showground, Sydney Olympic Park for their 2013/14 Exhibitions and Events*
- The Event Centre at The Star, Sydney, NSW for their 2013/14 Events
- Le Montage – Navarra Venues, Sydney, NSW for their 2013/14 Events
- RACV City Club, Melbourne, VIC for their 2013/14 Events

Best Product or Service

- *WINNER: Eventeamwork for their work on 2013/14 Events including Sydney Festival & Vivid Sydney*
- Vintage Photobooths for their 2013/14 Events and Festivals
- Onstage Entertainment for their work on #SenseUs
- Pure Chica for their work on 2013/14 Corporate Events & Carnivals

Best Education or Training Program

- *WINNER: TasTAFE Drysdale for their Cert. III Events, Dip. of Events & Adv. Dip. Hospitality & Tourism Mgt*
- TAFE NSW - South Western Sydney Institute for their Events Train Work Practice Program
- William Angliss Institute for their Certificate, Diploma + Advanced Diploma of Events
- Central Institute of Technology for their Diploma of Events

Best International Achievement in Events

- *WINNER: H2O Events for their work on Chimelong Ocean Kingdom's spectacular show over Hengqin City, China*
- Production Technologies for their work on the 59th Eurovision Song Contest

Young Achiever of the Year

- *WINNER: Simon Wilson nominated by Brand Events Australia*
- Nicola Goldrick, nominated by Belle-Laide Events
- Katie Johnson, nominated by City-Bay Fun Run Committee
- Lauren Hayward, nominated by Forum Group Events

Event Organiser of the Year

- *WINNER: Rizer for their work on 2013/14 Launch, Award and Special Events*
- Naomi Wilson - Brand Events Australia
- Denise Jinks - Focal Attractions for her work on BeFest, CommsCon, SAGE, Mumbrella360 & the Mumbrella Awards
- Event Planet for their work on 2013/14 Events and Carnivals

Best Event State or Territory

- *WINNER: New South Wales*

Judges' Special Award

- *Royal Australian Navy International Fleet Review 2013 Celebrating the centenary of the first Royal Australian Navy fleet entry on 4 October 1913*

Lifetime Achievement Award

- *John Trevillian*
- *David Grant*

2013 Results

Australia's Favourite Event
- *WINNER: Summernats Car Festival*
- Blues on Broadbeach
- Gold Coast Airport Marathon
- Mali in the City
- RSPCA Million Paws Walk
- South Australian Wooden Boat Festival
- Southern 80 Ski Race
- Sprung Festival
- Top Gear Festival Sydney
- Vivid Sydney

Australian Event of the Year
- *WINNER*: Vivid Sydney 2013; Destination NSW

Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: Santos Tour Down Under 2013*
- ASICS Victor Harbor Triathlons & Fun Run
- Hyundai Hopman Cup 2013
- Paspaley Polo in the City; Event Planet Pty Ltd

   ### State and Territory Winners
   WA: Hyundai Hopman Cup 2013
   NSW, QLD & VIC: Paspaley Polo in the City; Event Planet

Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: Vivid Sydney 2013; Destination NSW*
- Australian Tourism Exchange 2013 – Tourism Australia
- Byron Bay Bluesfest
- Santos Tour Down Under 2013

State and Territory Winners
SA: Santos Tour Down Under 2013
QLD: The Cairns Amateurs
TAS: Taste Festival 2012/2013, The Taste of Tasmania
WA: Margaret River Gourmet Escape, Brand Events Australia Pty Ltd
VIC: AIME 2013 Welcome Reception, Melbourne Convention Bureau

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: Optus RockCorps; RockCorps Pty Ltd*
- HBF Run for a Reason
- Mali in the City - Melbourne Zoo's 150th Birthday; Melbourne Zoo
- Starlight Five Chefs Dinner; Starlight Children's Foundation

   ### State and Territory Winners
   WA: HBF Run for a Reason

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference
- *WINNER: 34th International Geological Congress; Carillon Conference Management Pty Limited*
- Carlings Incentive 2013 - Thunder Down Under; AZBcreative
- Mumbrella360 & The Mumbrella Awards; Focal Attractions Pty Ltd
- Woolworths Limited National Conference 2012; cievents

   ### State and Territory Winners
   NSW: Mumbrella 360 & The Mumbrella Awards; Focal Attractions Pty Ltd

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER: 18th Biennale of Sydney: All Our Relations*
- Byron Bay Bluesfest
- TEDxSydney 2013
- Vivid Sydney 2013; Destination NSW

State and Territory Winners
VIC: Stonnington Jazz 2013; City of Stonnington
SA: Adelaide Festival
QLD: 2013 Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival, Broadbeach Alliance Limited

Doltone House Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: AGL 175th Gala Celebration; This Space + Events [v] Companies*
- Australian Tourism Exchange Welcome Event 2013; Belle-Laide Events
- Ford Go Further at the 2012 Australian International Motor Show; IMAGINATION
- National NAIDOC Awards 2012; cievents
- Trucking Australia 2013; Australian Trucking Association

   ### State and Territory Winners
   QLD: Trucking Australia 2013; Australian Trucking Association
   TAS: National NAIDOC Awards 2012; cievent
   VIC: 12.12.12, Melbourne & Olympic Parks
   WA: South African Tourism Roadshow, Forum Group Events

Best Exhibition
- *WINNER: Taste of Sydney; Brand Events Australia Pty Ltd*
- Asia-Pacific Incentives & Meetings Expo (AIME)
- Australian Fitness & Health Exhibition
- Dog Lovers Show
- Queensland Mining & Engineering Exhibition 2012; Reed Exhibitions Australia

   ### State and Territory Winners
   QLD: Queensland Mining & Engineering Exhibition 2012; Reed Exhibitions Australia
   VIC: Asia-Pacific Incentives & Meetings Expo (AIME)

Coates Hire Best Community Event

- *WINNER: Yarrabah The Musical; Opera Australia*
- HBF Run for a Reason; HBF
- Wodonga Children's Fair 2012; Wodonga City Council
- The Light In Winter; Federation Square Pty Ltd

State and Territory Winners
SA: Channel 7 Brighton Jetty Classic, Robyn Parsons
ACT: Canberra's 100th Birthday Celebration, Centenary of Canberra
WA: HBF Run for a Reason
NSW: The Premier's Harmony Dinner 2013, Gandhi Creations & Community Relations Commission NSW
VIC: Wodonga Children's Fair 2012; Wodonga City Council
TAS: Port Arthur Memories Revisited, Port Arthur Historic Site Management Authority

Best New Event

- *WINNER: Margaret River Gourmet Escape ; Brand Events Australia Pty Ltd*
- AGL 175th Gala Celebration; This Space + Events
- The Rocks Windmill; Sydney Harbour Foreshore Authority
- Top Gear Festival Sydney; Brand Events Australia Pty Ltd

State and Territory Winners
VIC: Santa's Magical Kingdom
NSW: AGL 175th Gala Celebration; This Space + Events

Best Regional Event

- *WINNER: Byron Bay Bluesfest*
- Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival 2013; Broadbeach Alliance Limited
- South Australian Wooden Boat Festival
- Ten Days on the Island

State and Territory Winners
VIC: 2012 AirAsia Australian Motorcycle Grand Prix , Natalie Cerny
SA: South Australian Wooden Boat Festival
WA: Margaret River Gourmet Escape, Brand Events Australia Pty Ltd
QLD: 2013 Blues on Broadbeach Music Festival, Broadbeach Alliance Limited
TAS: Ten Days on the Island

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming

- *WINNER: The Electric Canvas for their work on White Night Melbourne*
- Georgeous for their work on Adelene and Jiaheng's Wedding
- IMAGINATION for their work on the 2012 Australian International Motor Show
- The Monkey's Cobbler for their work on the 2012 Media Federation Awards

Best Achievement in Catering

- *WINNER: ARIA Catering for their work on TEDxSydney 2013*
- Merivale for their work on 2013 March into Merivale Launch Party
- Trippas White Group for their work on AGL 175th Gala Celebration
- VictorsFood for their work on Property Council of Australia Property Congress 2012

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship*

- *WINNER: Felicity Fellows and Kate Dezarnaulds for their work on TEDxSydney Sponsorship*
- Adelaide Festival Centre for their work on Adelaide Cabaret Festival
- Barbara R W Hines for her work on LEADit 2012
- Launch Group for their work on the TEDxSydney Communications Campaign

Best Achievement in Sustainability

- *WINNER: The Royal Botanic Gardens and Domain Trust for their work on Harbourlights - New Year's Eve*
- GreenShoot Pacific – Sustainability Services for their body of work 2012/2013
- Randwick City Council for their work on Randwick's Eco-living Fair
- This Space + Events for their work on the AGL 175 Regional Roadshow

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation

- *WINNER: Auditoria for their work on* London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games Ceremonies
- 32 Hundred Lighting for their work on Colour the Bridge - Vivid 2013
- CMS Australasia for their work on the Volvo Dealership Network V40 Reveal
- The P.A. People for their work on 2012 Sydney New Year's Eve

Best Venue

- *WINNER: Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre*
- Allianz Stadium - Moore Park, NSW
- Doltone House - Pyrmont, NSW
- RACV City Club - Melbourne, VIC
- Sydney Showground - Sydney Olympic Park, NSW

Best Product or Service

- *WINNER: Global Traffic Management System by Global IT*
- Audience Response System by IML Worldwide
- Framelock Crowd Control Barrier System by Colin West
- Volunteer Management by Eventeamwork

2012 Results

Best Education or Training Program
- *WINNER: William Angliss Institute Events Certificate, Diploma and Advanced Diploma of Events*
- Certificate III in Live Production, Theatre and Events (Technical Operations); Staging Connections
- Diploma of Events; Sunshine Coast TAFE
- TasTAFE Cert III Events: The Tasmanian Event Exchange

Best Export
- *WINNER: Auditoria for their work in London, Mersin, Sochi and Dubai*
- Laservision for their work in Singapore and Macau
- MI Associates for their work in London and Doha

Young Achiever of the Year
- *WINNER: Lauren Hayward nominated by Forum Group Events*
- Camilla Williams nominated by Eventify
- Grace Rowe nominated by Our Friends Electric Pty Ltd
- Ivana Deng nominated by City of Wanneroo

Entertainer of the Year
- *WINNER: Matt Hollywood - Master of Comedy, Magic and Illusions*
- Dani Quayle - Acoustic Performer and DJ

Event Manager of the Year
- *WINNER: Event Planet Pty Ltd*
- Focal Attractions Pty Ltd
- Humm Pty Ltd
- j2 ideas & events

Lifetime Achievement Award
- *Di Henry AM*
- *Sandy Hollway AO*
- *Mary Lopez AM*

Australian Event of the Year
- *WINNER: Handa Opera on Sydney Harbour - Opera Australia*

Sydney Olympic Park Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: 2012 Santos Tour Down Under - Events South Australia*
- Apia International Sydney 2012 - Tennis Australia
- Paspaley Polo in the City - Event Planet Pty Ltd

Best Tourism Event*
- *WINNER: 2012 Santos Tour Down Under - Events South Australia*

*only one entry scored above the minimum average raw score to become a finalist

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: Hawaiian Ride for Youth 2012 – Youth Focus Incorporated*
- Camp Quality Supper Club - Camp Quality
- Mother's Day Classic 2012 - Women in Super

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference
- *WINNER: Mumbrella360 - Focal Attractions Pty Ltd*
- Cisco Live 2012 - Cisco Systems Australia Pty Ltd
- Events with Moore & Gluepot Productions

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER: Handa Opera on Sydney Harbour - Opera Australia*
- Outpost 2011 - Sydney Harbour Federation Trust
- The 23rd Annual Bluesfest Byron Bay - Bluesfest Pty Ltd

Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: By Design Group Corporate Showcase - Atlantic Group [v] Companies*
- AIME Welcome Reception - Melbourne Convention + Visitors Bureau
- Wintergarden Launch Event - LOUD events

Best Exhibition
- *WINNER: Asia- Pacific's International Mining Exhibition 2011 - Reed Exhibitions Australia*
- Asia-Pacific Incentives & Meetings Expo (AIME) - Melbourne Convention + Visitors Bureau
- MasterChef LIVE 2011 - Brand Events Pty Ltd

Coates Hire Best Community Event
- *WINNER: The Light in Winter- Fed Square Pty Ltd*
- Autumn Vibes (SMH Autumn of the Arts) - The Royal Botanic Gardens & Domain Trust
- Moomba 2012 - City of Melbourne

Academy of Wedding Planners Best Private Event
- WINNER: *Nadine and Elie's Wedding - Staging Connections*
- Belinda & Andrew's Wedding - Decor It
- Luke & Jenn's Melbourne Wedding - Georgeous

Best New Event
- *WINNER: Outpost 2011 - Sydney Harbour Federation Trust*
- Toy and Game Expo - O2C Pty Ltd
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Best Regional Event
- *WINNER: Ulysses AGM Event Mildura 2012 - Mildura Rural City Council*
- Clicquot in the Snow (Veuve Clicquot Australia) - Event Planet Pty Ltd
- Wodonga Children's Fair - Wodonga City Council

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming
- *WINNER: The Electric Canvas for their work on Vivid Sydney*
- George P Johnson Pty Ltd for their work on Emirates Melbourne Cup Birdcage Marquee 2011
- Imagination Australia Pty Ltd for their work on 2011 Sydney New Year's Eve

Best Achievement in Catering
- *WINNER: Belinda Franks Catering for their work on Paspaley Polo in the City 2011*
- Blanco Food and Events for their work on Penfolds Magill Estate - Trade Consumer Master Class

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship*
- *WINNER: Sydney Harbour Federation Trust for their work on Outpost 2011*

Best Achievement in Sustainability
- *WINNER: Kogarah City Council for their Major Events and Citizenship Ceremonies*
- The 23rd Annual Bluesfest Byron Bay - Bluesfest Pty Ltd

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation
- *WINNER: Global Entries Online for their work on Equestrian Events*
- Norwest Productions Pty Ltd for their work on Handa Opera on the Harbour - La Traviata
- SOTA Creative for their work on Subaru Australia Dealer Principle Launch Event of the MY12 Impreza and XV

Best Venue
- *WINNER: Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre*
- RACV City Club
- Sydney Showground

Best Product or Service

- *WINNER: Bespoke Luxury Bathroom Module - Splashdown Event Services Pty Ltd*
- Eventfinder.com.au - Peer Group Media
- Global Entries Online - Global Internet Technologies Australia Pty Ltd

Best Education or Training Program
- *WINNER: William Angliss Institute Events Certificate, Diploma and Advanced Diploma of Events*
- Sunshine Coast Events Network - Sunshine Coast Council
- Technical Performance Operations and Skills (TOPS) Traineeship - Staging Connections

Best Export
- *WINNER: David Atkins Enterprises*
- Song Division Pty Ltd
- The Electric Canvas

Young Achiever of the Year
- *WINNER: Laura Sage - Event Planet Pty Ltd*
- Belinda Ancora - The Three Piece Suit
- Brigitte Jonas - Out There Productions Australia Pty Ltd

Entertainer of the Year
- *WINNER: Harmony and Darryl Lovegrove*
- Soul Mystique
- The Leading Men

Event Manager of the Year
- *WINNER: Event Planet Pty Ltd*
- George P Johnson Pty Ltd
- Humm Pty Ltd

Lifetime Achievement Award
- *Mary Lopez AM*
- *Lena Malouf CSEP AIFD*
- *John Allen AM*

2011 Results

Australian Event of the Year
- *WINNER: 2011 Santos Tour Down Under, Events South Australia*

Sydney Olympic Park Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: Australian Open 2011*
- 2011 Santos Tour Down Under
- 2010 UCI Road World Championships, City of Greater Geelong

Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: 2011 Santos Tour Down Under, Events South Australia*
- Oprah's Ultimate Australian Adventure, ID Australia
- 2011 Formula 1™ Qantas Australian Grand Prix, Australian Grand Prix Corporation

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: Mother's Day Classic 2011*
- Eat Street, Sofitel Melbourne on Collins
- Emerald Ball for Kids Rehab at The Children's Hospital at Westmead

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference
- *WINNER: 35th International Trumpet Guild Conference, Conexion Event Management*
- Mint Directors Conference XXVI, This Space Event Studio Pty Ltd
- Mumbrella360

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER: Sydney Festival 2011*
- Ten Days on the Island
- Melbourne Festival
- L'Oreal Melbourne Fashion Festival 'FASHION FULL STOP' 2011, a-live

Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: Ford Ranger Global Launch Event, Imagination*
- Oprah's Ultimate Australian Adventure Welcome Party, Cambridge Events
- WynnsDay 2010, a-live

Best Exhibition supported by the EEAA
- *WINNER: Queensland Mining and Engineering Exhibition 2010, Reed Exhibitions Australia*
- Taste of Sydney, Brand Events
- 2011 Central Coast Buy Local Festival with a Twist, Events with a Twist

Best Community Event
- *WINNER: Tropfest 2011, Splendid Communications*
- 2010 Fun4Kids Festival
- NRL All Stars Bumehla Festival, Out There Productions
- 2010 New Year's Eve Family Festival, City of Melbourne Academy of Wedding Planners

Best Private Event
- *WINNER: Kuvesh and Vyda Wedding, Staging Connections*
- Arabian Nights 40th Birthday Party, Eventify
- Nikki and Alex's Wedding, Georgeous

Best New Event
- *WINNER: Melbourne Music, City of Melbourne*
- MasterChef Live 2010, Brand Events
- NRL All Stars Bumehla Festival, Out There Productions

Best Regional Event
- *WINNER: Ten Days on the Island*
- 2010 Fun4Kids Festival
- Bluesfest Byron Bay 2011

Best Achievement in Design, Look or Theming
- *WINNER: IMAGINATION for their work on the Ford stand at the Australian International Motor Show Sydney 2010*
- 2Fish Brand Experience Creators for their work on Formula 1, Australian Grand Prix 2011
- Decorative Events & Exhibitions for their work on Paspaley Polo in the City
- Splendid Communications for their work on Ketel One Commission

Best Achievement in Catering
- *WINNER: Blanco Food and Events for their work on The Cook & the Chef (& the Winemaker)*
- Pinctada Cable Beach Resort & Spa for their work on Paspaley Beach Polo 2011
- Bayleaf Catering for their work on Australian Tourism Exchange 2011

Best Achievement in Marketing, Communication or Sponsorship
- *WINNER: Adelaide Festival Centre's OZAsia Festival*
- Royal Agricultural Society of NSW for their work on Sydney Royal Easter Show
- 2Fish Brand Experience Creators for their work on Australian Open 2011

Best Achievement in Sustainability
- *WINNER: Turnstile 21 for their work on Midsumma Carnival*
- Bluesfest Byron Bay 2011
- WOMADelaide 2011

Best Technical Achievement or Innovation
- *WINNER: 2Fish Brand Experience Creators for their work on Hot Wheels Secret Race Battle: Customs House, Circular Quay, Sydney Australia*
- t7 event solutions for their work on B & T Awards
- Mandylights for their work on Floriade NightFest 2010

Best Venue
- *WINNER: Sydney Showground*
- Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre
- AAMI Park

Best Product or Service
- *WINNER: A LIST Guide*
- Decorative Events & Exhibitions
- Design Sport Overlay Design

Best Education or Training Program
- *WINNER: Australian Centre for Event Management Professional Development Program*
- Bachelor of Business (Event Management Specialisation), Victoria University
- SIT50207 Diploma of Events, Brisbane North Institute of TAFE

Best Export
- *WINNER: Laservison Mega~Media*
- Diane Bernstein Design
- DesignSport

Young Achiever of the Year
- *WINNER: Tara Whitfield*
- Melissa Park

2010 Results

Entertainer of the Year
- *WINNER: Brad Blaze*
- Mr. Percival
- The Leading Men
- Soul Mystique

Event Manager of the Year
- *WINNER: Out There Productions*
- The Events Melbourne Team
- Belle-Laide Events
- HHO Events

Lifetime Achievement Award
- *Peter Rix*

Australian Event of the Year
- *WINNER: 21st Bluesfest Byron Bay 2010*

Sydney Olympic Park Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: Sydney 2009 World Masters Games, Sydney 2009 World Masters Games Organising Committee*
- Australian Open 2010, Tennis Australia
- 2009 UCI Mountain Bike and Trials World Championships, Earlybird Marketing and Events / ACT Government

Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: 2010 Santos Tour Down Under, Events South Australia*
- Sydney New Year's Eve, City Of Sydney
- Sydney 2009 World Masters Games, Sydney 2009 World Masters Games Organising Committee

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: Million Paws Walk, RSPCA Australia*
- Play for a Cure Celebrity Poker Challenge, Save Our Sons / Scope Productions Pty Ltd
- Sydney Schoolgirls' Breakfast with the Stars, The Forum Group

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference
- *WINNER: Microsoft Tech.Ed 2009, Microsoft Australia*
- Industrial Manufacturing Technical Conference, G1 Productions
- 68th National Scientific Congress of the Australian Society of Anaesthetists, SAPMEA

Best Cultural or Arts Event
- *WINNER: 21st Bluesfest Byron Bay 2010*
- 17th Biennale of Sydney | The Beauty of Distance: Songs of Survival in a Precarious Age, Biennale of Sydney
- WOMADelaide 2010, WOMADelaide Foundation

Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: Newmont Boddington Gold Official Opening, Bright Communications & Rovis Media*
- FOXTEL Next Generation Launch, Cambridge Events
- CPA Congress 2009, CPA Australia

I-SEC Group Best Community Event
- *WINNER: Fun4Kids Festival, Warrnambool City Council*
- Sydney International FIFA Fan Fest, NSW Department of Premier and Cabinet, Community Engagement and Events Division
- Kickstarters Gascoyne Dash, Gascoyne Offroad Racing Club
- St Kilda Festival, City of Port Phillip

Best New Event
- *WINNER: Sydney Harbour Island Hopping (part of Crave Sydney), Cambridge Events*
- Macquarie Visions, AGB Events
- Lance Armstrong Adelaide Twitter Ride, City of Holdfast Bay Event Management Business Unit

Best Achievement in Technical Production
- *WINNER: The Electric Canvas for their work on Macquarie Visions*
- AV1 Audiovisual Production for their work on Highlights of Macbeth
- The Electric Canvas for their work on Vivid Live

Best Achievement in Design

- *WINNER: The Electric Canvas for their work on Macquarie Visions*
- 2Fish for their work on The PURE Oasis
- Cre8ion for their work on 2009 Sydney New Year's Eve

Most Innovative Use of Technology

- *WINNER: The P.A. People for their work on Sydney Festival*
- G1 Productions for their work on Industrial Manufacturing Technical Conference
- Microsoft Australia for their work on Tech.Ed 2009

Best Achievement in Catering

- *WINNER: Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre for their work on 2010 Good Food & Wine Show*
- Atlantic Group [v] for their work on ANZ Christmas Party
- Belinda Franks Catering for their work on AGL Hydro-Electric Power Station Opening

SPICE Best Venue

- *WINNER: Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre*
- Doltone House Darling Island Wharf
- Flames of the Forest

Best Product or Service

- *WINNER: SPLnet, The P.A. People*
- Decorative Events & Exhibitions
- The Three Waiters International, Mardar Entertainment

Best Education or Training Program

- *WINNER: Bachelor of Business (Event Management), Victoria University, School of Hospitality, Tourism & Marketing*
- TAFE SA Tourism, Events & Languages, TAFE SA
- Tourism and Event Management, School of Management, UniSA

Best Export

- *WINNER: David Atkins Enterprises*
- FACTOR168 Creative Event Company
- Maxxam International

Best Marketing Campaign

- *WINNER: Sydney Royal Easter Show, Royal Agricultural Society of NSW*
- AC/DC Black Ice Tour, a-live for Garry Van Egmond
- Fun4Kids Festival, GenR8

Young Achiever of the Year

- *WINNER: Melissa Park*
- Renee Jolly
- Shannon Hocking

Best Achievement in Sustainability

- *WINNER: Peats Ridge Festival*
- 21st Bluesfest Byron Bay 2010
- Grassroots Productions and ECO-Buy Limited for their work on ECO-Buy Awards for Excellence in Green Purchasing

Event Manager of the Year

- *WINNER: Iain Morrison - Humm Pty Ltd*
- Belle-Laide Events
- DET Programs and Events Team, Corporate Communications and Marketing

Lifetime Achievement Award

- *David Atkins*
- *David Churches*

Highly Commended

- NSW Caravan, Camping, RV & Holiday Supershow 2010, Caravan and Camping Industry Association NSW (Highly Commended – Best Exhibition)
- Saturday In Design, Indesign (Highly Commended – Best Exhibition)
- The "Paper Wedding", Simply Georgeous Occasions (Highly Commended – Best Private Event)
- Mirabella Wedding, Décor It (Highly Commended – Best Private Event)
- The Leading Men for their work on the Franklin Annual Awards 2009 (Highly Commended – Best Achievement in Entertainment)
- Harcourts Group Australia for their work on Harcourts Conference Launch 2010 (Highly Commended – Best Achievement in Entertainment)
- Adelaide Fringe Inc and BankSA, Adelaide Fringe 2010 (Highly Commended - Best Partnership by a Business or Media Outlet)
- Adelaide Fringe Inc and Nova 919, Adelaide Fringe 2010 (Highly Commended - Best Partnership by a Business or Media Outlet)

2009 Results

Australian Event of the Year
- *WINNER: 16th Biennale of Sydney: 'Revolutions – Forms That Turn',Biennale of Sydney Ltd*

Sydney Olympic Park Best Sporting Event
- *WINNER: Australian Open 2009, Tennis Australia*
- Anaconda Adventure Race, Rapid Ascent Pty Ltd
- Rolex Sydney Hobart Yacht Race 2008, Cruising Yacht Club of Australia
- Whereis Australian Surf Life Saving Championships, Surf Life Saving Australia

Best Tourism Event
- *WINNER: Tour Down Under, UCI Pro Tour event, South Australian Tourism Commission*
- Fun4Kids Festival, Warrnambool City Council
- Live Event for The Best Job In The World, Wonderment

Best Charity or Cause-Related Event
- *WINNER: Carols By Candlelight, Carols by Candlelight SA Inc*
- Variety – the Children's Charity Christmas Party, Lehman & Associates
- Give it a Go, a great little event company Pty Limited

CIM Magazine Best Meeting or Conference
- *WINNER: Trans-Tasman Endodontic Conference, Conexion Event Management Pty Ltd*
- GOLD09 Online Human Lactation Conference, Health e-Learning
- Tech.Ed 2008, Microsoft Australia / Jack Morton Worldwide

Best Cultural, Arts or Music Event
- *WINNER: 16th Biennale of Sydney: 'Revolutions – Forms That Turn', Biennale of Sydney Ltd*
- Adelaide Fringe 2009, Adelaide Fringe Incorporated
- Sydney Festival 2009, Sydney Festival Limited
- Bluesfest, Bluesfest Pty Ltd

Best Corporate Event
- *WINNER: Atlantic On Site Launch, Atlantic Group*
- Global Harvey Norman Electrical Franchisee Conference 2009, HI Event Management
- The Chivas Studio, Yakusan

Best Community Event
- *WINNER: Fun4Kids Festival, Warrnambool City Council*
- 2008 City of Sydney Spring Cycle, Bicycle NSW
- MatchWorks Pako Festa, Diversitat
- Moomba Waterfest, City of Melbourne

Best Achievement in Technical Production
- *WINNER: Auditoria Pty Ltd for their work on World Youth Day 2008*
- Health e-Learning for their work on GOLD09 Online Human Lactation Conference
- G1 Productions for their work on Conference Game Show

Best Achievement in Design
- *WINNER: 2Fish Management for their work on The Lacoste Palace*
- Iceworks Design Pty Ltd for their work on Financial Conference for ABT
- TRIA for their work on World Youth Day 2008

Best Achievement in Catering
- *WINNER: Avocado Group for their work on Elizabeth Bay House Showcase*
- Culinary Edge for their work on Emirates Autumn Racing Carnival Hospitality Marquee & Events
- Bayleaf Catering & Edible Solutions for their work on Steve Waugh "Forever Green" Charity Dinner

SPICE Best Venue
- *WINNER: Doltone House*
- Federation Square
- Flames of the Forest

Best Product or Service
- *WINNER: Decorative Events and Exhibitions, Decorative Events Pty Ltd*
- The Three Waiters International, Mardar Entertainment Pty Ltd
- RiskSense, Reliance Risk Pty Limited

Best Education Program
- *WINNER: School of Management, University of South Australia*
- Kenvale College
- Tourism and Hotel Management Centre, Canberra Institute of Technology

Best Export
- *WINNER: Maxxam International*
- The Three Waiters International, Mardar Entertainment Pty Ltd
- TAFE NSW
- Team Australia Business Events Educational, Business Events Australia, Tourism Australia

Best Poster or Flyer

- *WINNER: Creative Generation 2009 - State Schools Onstage, Queensland Department of Education and Training*
- Australian Open 2009, Tennis Australia
- 2009 Harbour IT Coonamble Rodeo & Campdraft, Coonamble Rodeo Association

Best Marketing Campaign

- *WINNER: Asia Pacific Screen Awards, Asia Pacific Screen Awards Ltd*
- Creative Generation - State Schools Onstage, Queensland Department of Education and Training
- Australian Open 2009, Tennis Australia

Best Partnership by a Business or Media Outlet

- *WINNER: Adelaide Fringe 2009, Adelaide Fringe Incorporated and BankSA*
- Creative Generation 2009 - State Schools Onstage 2009, Queensland Department of Education and Training and Network 10
- Asia Pacific Screen Awards, Asia Pacific Screen Awards Ltd and CNN International

Young Achiever of the Year

- *WINNER: Katerina Pitsikas*
- Melissa Park
- Daniel Sekers

Best Achievement in Sustainability

- *WINNER: Peats Ridge Sustainable Arts and Music Festival, Peats Ridge Festival Pty Ltd*
- Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers, Toowoomba Regional Council
- Spring Into Gardening 2008, City of Stonnington

Event Manager of the Year

- *WINNER: Shani Wood, SW Events*
- HHO Events
- Rhumbline Marketing Pty Ltd