



# FILM THE HOUSE AWARDS CEREMONY

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# WE PROUDLY SUPPORT FILM THE HOUSE

21st Century Fox congratulates the winners and participants of the Film The House competition, and thanks Members of Parliament for joining with us to champion education, diversity, and creative expression.





# **FILM THE HOUSE IS A PARLIAMENTARY-BASED FILM AND SCRIPTWRITING COMPETITION FOR STUDENTS AND INDEPENDENT FILMMAKERS BASED IN THE UK.**

Film the House was set up by former MP **Mike Weatherley** to educate Parliamentarians and young people about the importance of the creative industries to the UK economy and the many ways in which we can nurture and protect our creative industries.

This year's competition is sponsored by **Rt Hon Sir Kevin Barron MP**, **Lord Tim Clement-Jones** and **Rt Hon John Whittingdale OBE MP**.

Entries were submitted to MPs, who carried out the first round of judging, thereby giving Parliamentarians an opportunity to engage with a grass-roots creative demographic and providing the creative community with a vehicle through which to communicate their issues to legislators.

Film the House provides a means for the UK creative industries to communicate the importance of protecting their intellectual property rights in a fun manner. It gives a foundation for Parliamentarians to push hard to protect creative output and for MPs' constituents to interact with their local MP (perhaps for the first time).

# THE **FILM THE HOUSE** COMPETITION WAS OPEN TO UK-BASED STUDENTS OR INDEPENDENT FILMMAKERS AND INCLUDED CATEGORIES FOR OVER AND UNDER 16 YEAR OLDS:



Best Original Film Script  
Under 16



Best Original Film Script  
16 and Over



Best Short Film  
Under 16



Best Short Film  
16 and Over

# THE FIRST ROUND OF JUDGING WAS CARRIED OUT BY MPS. ENTRIES WERE RECEIVED FROM THE FOLLOWING MPS' CONSTITUENCIES:

Lucy Allan MP  
Tracy Brabin MP  
Rt Hon James Brokenshire MP  
Fiona Bruce MP  
Karen Buck MP  
Richard Burden MP  
Rt Hon Sir Vince Cable MP  
Rt Hon Alun Cairns MP  
Dan Carden MP  
Joanna Cherry QC MP  
Colin Clark MP  
Rosie Cooper MP  
Rt Hon Jeremy Corbyn MP  
Neil Coyle MP  
Stella Creasy MP  
John Cryer MP  
Rt Hon David Davis MP  
Martyn Day MP

Marsha De Cordova MP  
Stephen Doughty MP  
Angela Eagle MP  
Clive Efford MP  
Vicky Foxcroft MP  
Mike Gapes MP  
Barry Gardiner MP  
Rt Hon David Gauke MP  
Ruth George MP  
Roger Godsiff MP  
Andrew Griffiths MP  
Rt Hon Greg Hands MP  
Helen Hayes MP  
Dr Rupa Huq MP  
Rt Hon Nick Hurd MP  
Rt Hon Sajid Javid MP  
Andrew Jones MP  
Peter Kyle MP

Ben Lake MP  
Rt Hon Mark Lancaster MP  
Dr Phillip Lee MP  
Caroline Lucas MP  
Kit Malthouse MP  
Rachael Maskell MP  
Paul Masterton MP  
Rt Hon Theresa May MP  
Steve McCabe MP  
Siobhain McDonagh MP  
Stewart M McDonald MP  
Conor McGinn MP  
Liz McInnes MP  
Rt Hon Maria Miller MP  
Madeleine Moon MP  
Stephen Morgan MP  
Chi Onwurah MP  
Lucy Powell MP

Will Quince MP  
Jim Shannon MP  
Tommy Sheppard MP  
Tulip Siddiq MP  
Andy Slaughter MP  
Jeff Smith MP  
Laura Smith MP  
Jo Stevens MP  
Iain Stewart MP  
Jamie Stone MP  
Rt Hon Mel Stride MP  
Gareth Thomas MP  
Nick Thomas-Symonds MP  
Ross Thomson MP  
Maggie Throup MP  
Kelly Tolhurst MP  
Chuka Umunna MP  
Catherine West MP

# THE SECOND ROUND OF JUDGING WAS CARRIED OUT BY TWO INDUSTRY PANELS OF EXPERTS:



## THE SCRIPTS

**Jane Lamacraft**, Screenwriter

**Line Langebek**, Screenwriter

**Paul Powell**, Screenwriter

## THE FILMS

**Sean Doyle**, Channel 5

**Jess Moore**, Warner Bros

**Robert O'Sullivan**, Visual Data Media

**Murray Perkins**, BBFC

**Simon Perry**, ACE Producers



**MPA** MOTION PICTURE ASSOCIATION  
EUROPE, MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICA

SUPPORTING CREATORS & THEIR BUSINESS  
PARTNERS FROM SCRIPT TO SCREEN

The MPA would like to congratulate the winners of the 2019 Film The House competition.

Today, the stories that define our lives and shape our world are brought to life by the global creative community. Creators and artists working in the UK film and television industry are a vital part of this community.

Last year, the creative industries contributed over £100 billion to the UK economy, a 7 per cent increase on 2016, with the audio-visual sector alone contributing £20 billion. Employing over 170,000 people, the UK's audio-visual sector is the largest in Europe.

As a major part of the audio-visual sector in the UK, the MPA represents companies that produce and distribute some of the highest quality and most popular creative content. Critical to the creation of that content is copyright, which ensures that creators benefit from their work whilst protecting against piracy.



Shauna Lyons  
Public Affairs & Marketing director  
at the BFI



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# BEST SCRIPT UNDER 16

CHARLIE

But this? is this what you want?  
To be here, right?  
Where you used to come with your  
Mum?  
We can always go back to the  
hospice  
It's all up to you Edwin.

Edwin closes his eyes but holds onto Charlie.

CHARLIE (CONT'D)

Edwin, you know it's going to be  
soon now don't you? I can hold your  
hand you know whenever you need me  
to, if you know that's what you  
want, you won't be alone ok? I  
won't let that happen ok?

WINNER – BEST FILM SCRIPT UNDER 16

**FREYA HANNAN-MILLS**

**THE IRON GROTTO**

Angela Eagle MP

Wallasey



## SHORTLISTED



**Martha Broadbent-Smith** – *The Luxury Pet*

Stephen Morgan MP

Portsmouth South



# BEST SCRIPT 16 AND OVER



WINNER – BEST FILM SCRIPT 16 AND OVER

**LUKE ANDREWS**  
**DEAREST OTTO**

Nick Thomas-Symonds MP  
Torfaen

**EMILY**

Growing up is upheaval. Constant change. And Lord knows, you've been through more than most at your young age. This war... it's destroyed a lot of things. But the you that's been shaped by it all...

She gently points at his chest.

**EMILY**

...is still you. And you're whomever you want yourself to be.

## SHORTLISTED



**Jess Collett** – *Ambition*

John Cryer MP  
Leyton and Wanstead

**Zaid Hassan** – *Dead Endz*

Tracy Brabin MP  
Batley and Spen

**Kelly Holmes** – *The Prescription*

Maggie Throup MP  
Erewash

**Mark Renshaw** – *The Broken Kingdom*

Conor McGinn MP  
St Helens North

# BEST SHORT FILM UNDER 16



WINNER – BEST SHORT FILM UNDER 16

**MORGAN O'CONNELL**

**THE HELP WE NEED**

**Rt Hon Greg Hands MP**

Chelsea and Fulham



## SHORTLISTED

**Luke Allen Haughton** – *The Sixteenth Minute*

Lucy Allan MP

Telford

# BEST SHORT FILM 16 AND OVER



**WINNER – BEST SHORT FILM 16 AND OVER**

**KAREN TURNER**

**THE SILENT**

**Rt Hon Mel Stride MP**

Central Devon



## SHORTLISTED



**Max Blustin** – *Sorceress*

Kelly Tolhurst MP  
Rochester and Strood

**Chris Cronin** – *Oscar's Bell*

Tracy Brabin MP  
Batley and Spen

**Kelly Holmes** – *Family Portrait*

Maggie Throup MP  
Erewash

**Ryan Peebles** – *Still Life*

Chi Onwurah MP  
Newcastle upon Tyne Central

ALCS WOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE  
EVERYONE WHO TOOK PART IN THE  
**FILM THE HOUSE COMPETITION.**

Each year the creative industries contribute over £100 billion to the UK economy and employs over two million people, making it the UK's fastest growing sector.

It is vital that we continue to support the creative industries to ensure all creators are fairly remunerated for their work and that their intellectual property (IP) is valued and protected.

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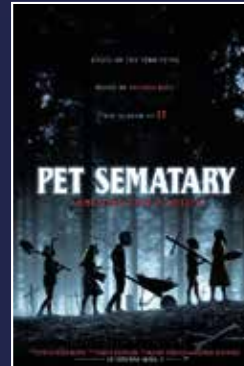
**AUTHORS' LICENSING AND COLLECTING SOCIETY**  
PROTECTING AND PROMOTING AUTHORS' RIGHTS

**WE'D LIKE TO THANK ALL THE  
PARTICIPANTS OF THE FILM  
THE HOUSE COMPETITION  
FOR THEIR ENTRIES. WE LOOK  
FORWARD TO HEARING MORE  
FROM THEM IN THE FUTURE!**



# Paramount Pictures

Congratulates all the winners  
of FILM THE HOUSE



## Sky is proud to sponsor Film the House

Congratulations to all the winners and participants.  
With special thanks to Members of Parliament for joining with us in  
supporting diversity and creativity in UK filmmaking and scriptwriting.



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**Rt Hon Sir Kevin Barron MP:** “As the Chairman of the All Party Parliamentary Film Group, I recognise the importance of intellectual property (IP); it enables filmmakers and scriptwriters to earn recognition or financial benefit from what they create. It is hard to think of a service, product or activity which in some way does not depend on IP.

I believe that the IP system must aim to create an environment in which creativity and innovation can flourish. I would urge you all to enter future **Film the House** competitions, as it is a great way of getting wider exposure for your films.”

**Lord Tim Clement-Jones:** “Intellectual property (IP) is a vital way of making sure that creators are properly rewarded for the artistic works they produce. This is as true for film and other visual media as it is for books, fashion or music.

**Film the House** is designed to highlight the importance we place in Parliament on IP and on good IP protection and enforcement. We hope that for their part, creators will respond by taking part in future **Film the House** competitions and demonstrate the huge audiovisual and writing talent that we have in this country.”

**Rt Hon John Whittingdale OBE MP:** “I am delighted to sponsor the **Film the House 2018** competition, which recognises British scriptwriters and filmmakers who are the creative talent of the future. As tonight proves, writers are a key component of the creative industries and it is essential that they are properly rewarded. The creative industries which contribute so much to the UK depend upon protection of intellectual property rights and I hope that these awards will help get the message across.”



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**The Authors' Licensing and Collecting Society (ALCS)** is a not-for-profit organisation started by writers for the benefit of all types of writers. Owned by its members, ALCS collects money due for secondary uses of writers' work. It is designed to support authors and their creativity, ensure they receive fair payment and see their rights are respected. It promotes and teaches the principles of copyright and campaigns for a fair deal. It represents over 100,000 members, and since 1977 has paid around £500 million to writers ([alcs.co.uk](http://alcs.co.uk)).



**The Motion Picture Association (MPA)** serves as the voice and advocate of the six major international producers and distributors of films, home entertainment and television programmes. We are champions of IP rights, free and fair trade, innovative consumer choices, freedom of expression and the enduring power of movies to enrich people's lives. To do so, we promote and protect the intellectual property rights of our member companies and conduct public awareness programmes to highlight to movie fans around the world the importance of content protection. These activities have helped to transform entire markets benefiting film and television industries in each country including foreign and local filmmakers alike.



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