



WOMEN IN FILM AND TELEVISION ATLANTIC  
FEMMES DU LA CINEMA ET LA TELEVISION ATLANTIQUE

# 2020 WAVE AWARDS

*How to Nominate a Remarkable Woman in  
the Screen Industry for a WAVE Award*



*2019 Wave Award recipients, Teresa Macinnes, Juanita Peters and Ruth Lawrence join Wave Award presenter and Spotlight conversation guest, Tamara Podemski, (Photo by Claire Fraser)*



## Who should be nominated?

The goal of the WAVE Awards is to acknowledge remarkable individuals who identify as women working in film, television, or screen-based media for their:

- Contributions
- Accomplishments
- Emerging Talent
- Vision & Leadership
- Dedication
- Outstanding behind-the-scenes support

There are no specific categories for the WAVE Awards and we welcome you to nominate a woman who you believe to be remarkable and deserving of recognition.

## Women Making Waves Conference

The WAVE Awards will be presented on **Saturday, March 7, 2020** at the Women Making Waves Conference (WMW).

WMW offers networking events, screenings, panels, and workshops tailored to established industry experts as well as emerging creative talent and interested students.

## Nomination Steps

The WAVE Awards are open to any woman working in film, television, or screen-based media in any Atlantic province.

While the awards are intended to recognize the accomplishments of women, both men and women are encouraged to submit nominations. We do not limit the number of submissions by any one person.

To submit a nomination, please include:

1. A nomination pitch write-up (800 words maximum). This document

should convincingly detail why your nominee(s) should be recognized by WIFT-AT.

You may want to consider mentioning any volunteer work, awards, achievements, and accomplishments you feel the person should be recognized for.

2. A résumé and/or filmography of the nominee(s).
3. Contact information for both yourself and the nominee(s).
4. One letter of recommendation is required, an additional letter of support is optional, but please submit no more than two letters of support per nomination.

#### Please Note:

All nominations are kept confidential. Only the award recipients will be announced at the 2020 Women Making Waves Conference.

If you have previously submitted a nomination that was not selected, please consider resubmitting. There is a new selection committee each year.

#### Deadline:

All nominations must be emailed to [karlea@wift-at.com](mailto:karlea@wift-at.com) by **Monday, January 20 2020 at 11:59 PM AST**.

#### Questions about the nomination process?

Contact Karlea Lewis, Communications and Social Media Coordinator at [karlea@wift-at.com](mailto:karlea@wift-at.com).

