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46th INTERNATIONAL EMMY® AWARDS SEMI-FINAL ROUND OF JUDGING

Tokyo, Japan--Fuji Television is proud to announce another successful semi-final round of judging of the International Emmy Awards that took place on June 29, 2018. This is Fuji TV's sixth consecutive year to host the prestigious event, this year for the TV Movie/Mini-Series category.

A selected panel of 13 TV experts and industry elites from 5 countries/regions viewed and rated the entries. It took the panel more than 8 hours of intensive judging to evaluate the selected dramas, followed by a dinner party at the Ristorante Mangiare Odaiba, a beautiful Italian restaurant with an outdoor terrace overlooking the majestic night view of Tokyo's city lights.

Comment from Mamiko Maekawa, Executive Officer and Managing Director, Fuji Television International Department:

"We are extremely proud and delighted to, once again and for the sixth consecutive year, participate in an event as prestigious as the International Emmy® Awards, which recognizes excellence in television production. The occasion allows us to recognize superb creativity from around the globe, which in turn is an ideal incentive to further broaden our own perspectives."

Comment from **Jessica Franco, Emmy Judging Manager for the International Academy of Television Arts & Sciences:**

“We are thankful for Fuji’s longstanding support as a Semi-Final Host, these judging events are essential to the competition and we were delighted to be once again in Tokyo with the distinguished jury panel representing the leading players from the region.”

The announcement of nominees for each category will be made on September 27 and the final round will take place in the Fall. The International Academy of Television Arts & Sciences will reveal the winners during the 46th Annual International Emmy® Awards presentation in New York on November 19th.



Complete list of jurors (in alphabetical order):

- Ms. Yasuko Arai—AXN Japan Inc.
- Mr. Casey Chant—PCCW Media/Hong Kong
- Mr. Cellin Gluck—P.I.G.—Protean Image Group/USA
- Ms. Irene Hamberger— The Walt Disney Company (Japan) Ltd./Japan
- Ms. Qiong Fen Kuo--Videoland, Inc./Taiwan
- Mr. Yusuke Kato-- Fuji Television Network, Inc./Japan
- Mr. Sung-chang Kwon—MBC/Korea
- Mr. Dong-yun Lee—MBC/Korea
- Mr. Kai-cheong Lee-TVB/Hong Kong
- Ms. Rieko Miyamoto—Fuji Television Network, Inc./Japan
- Ms. Yoko Narahashi-- United Performers Studio/USA
- Mr. Mitsuru Oda--Warner Bros. Japan LLC/Japan
- Ms. Kyoko Sekine—HJ Holdings, Inc./Japan

THE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF TELEVISION ARTS & SCIENCES

The International Academy of Television Arts & Sciences is a membership based organization comprised of leading media and entertainment figures from over 60 countries and 500 companies from all sectors of television including internet, mobile and technology. The Academy's yearly schedule of events includes the prestigious International Emmy® Awards held in New York, The International Emmy® Kids Awards at MIPTV and a series of industry events such as Academy Day, The International Emmy® World Television Festival and Panels on substantive industry topics. The International Academy of Television Arts & Sciences recognizes excellence in television produced outside of the United States, as well as US Primetime programs produced in languages other than English, with the prestigious Emmy® Award. Currently celebrating programming across varied areas including: Arts Programming, Current Affairs, Comedy, Documentary, Drama Series, News, Non-Scripted Entertainment, Telenovela, and TV Movie/Mini-Series, it also recognizes excellence in Performances, Kids programming and Digital.

For more information, please visit: www.iemmys.tv

THE INTERNATIONAL EMMY® AWARDS

Every November, the Academy presents the International Emmy World Television Festival and the International Emmy Awards Gala in New York City and the International Emmy Kids Awards at MIPTV, in Cannes, France. The Festival screens the current year's nominated programs and features unique producers and directors who speak about their work. Every year, this black-tie event attracts over 1,000 major figures in broadcast, entertainment and media from around the world.

About FUJI TV

Fuji Television (=Fuji TV) continues to maintain its status as an innovative leader in Japan's television industry since its establishment in 1959. Fuji TV provides high quality programs in all genres, from drama, variety shows, infotainment, sports and news. From 2004 to 2012, Fuji TV led Japan's ratings race in all dayparts (prime, golden, all-day), and secured first place in sales above all commercial broadcasters for thirty-one consecutive years.

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