



ALUMNI OF THE SPADA SCREEN INDUSTRY AWARDS

(as at 29 September 2025)

New Filmmaker of the Year

1998	Jason Stutter
1999	Vanessa Alexander
2000	Hamish Rothwell
2001	Karl Zohrab
2002	Gregory King
2003	Tom Reilly
2004	Florian Habicht
2005	Roseanne Liang
2006	The Simmonds Brothers
2007	Summer Agnew
2008	Sam Kelly
2009	Zia Mandviwalla
2010	Briar March
2011	Zoe McIntosh
2012	Mike Wallis
2013	Jackie van Beek
2014	James Napier Robertson
2015	Alyx Duncan
2016	Yamin Tun
2017	The Candle Wasters
2018	Kyan Krumdieck
2019	Matasila Freshwater
2020	Abba-Rose Dinah Vaiaoga-Ioasa and Becs Arahanga
2021	<i>Awards cancelled due to COVID</i>
2022	Mia Maramara
2023	Harry Wynn

[2024 - Award changed to 'Emerging Producer of the Year']

2024	Jason Taylor (Runner-Up Joyce Wong)
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Independent Producer of the Year

2004	Trevor Haysom
2005	Elizabeth Mitchell
2006	Julie Christie
2007	Phil Smith and Rachel Gardner
2008	Melanie Rakena and Jane Andrews
2009	Richard Fletcher
2010	Ainsley Gardiner and Cliff Curtis
2011	Catherine Fitzgerald
2012	Peter Young
2013	Matthew Metcalfe
2014	Taika Waititi and Chelsea Winstanley
2015	Philly de Lacey
2016	Carthew Neal
2017	Kerry Warkia and Kiel McNaughton
2018	Desray Armstrong
2019	Orlando Stewart
2020	Julian Arahanga
2021	<i>Awards cancelled due to COVID</i>
2022	Georgina Conder
2023	Fiona Copland
2024	Angela Cudd

Industry Champion of the Year

1999	Arthur Baysting
2000	Lindsay Shelton
2001	Sir Peter Jackson and Dame Fran Walsh
2002	John Barnett (ONZM)
2003	John McRae
2004	Diana Rowan
2005	Dave Gibson
2006	Mladen Ivancic
2007	Dick Reade
2008	Caterina De Nave
2009	Michael Stedman
2010	Rob Tapert
2011	John Harris
2012	Vincent Burke
2013	Anna Cahill (awarded posthumously)
2014	Matt Emery
2015	Chris Bailey
2016	Dame Gaylene Preston
2017	Richard Fletcher
2018	Jennifer Ward-Lealand (CNZM)
2019	Bill Gosden
2020	Grant Baker
2021	Awards cancelled due to COVID
2022	Adrian "Wookie" Hebron
2023	Robin Scholes
2024	Andrew Shaw