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**THE HIP HOP FILM FESTIVAL ANNOUNCES LIST OF WINNERS AND NOMINEES  
FROM THE 2019 EDITION**

NEW YORK, August 5<sup>th</sup> - The Harlem based Hip Hop Film Festival's (HHFF) comprehensive list of winners and nominees from the 2019 festival.

**BEST OF THE FEST**

**WINNER:** Pas Honteux

**Nominees:**

Kasala!

Outgrown

Underdogs

The Closet B.I.T.C.H.

**BEST FEATURE**

**WINNER:** Contents Under Pressure

**Nominees:**

Scam Republique

Regret

Kasala!

**BEST DOCUMENTARY**

**WINNER:** Underdogs

**Nominees:**

We Are Hip Hop

Nowhere Bastards

The Process

The Killing of the Fifth Element

Shadows In The Box

**BEST SHORT**

**WINNER:** Pas Honteux

**Nominees:**

God Bless You

The Hip Hop Kid

**BEST WEB SERIES**

**WINNER:** The Closet B.I.T.C.H.

**Nominees:**

#Washed

Bad Web Series

Basic Lee

Sauce

**BEST MUSIC VIDEO**

**WINNER:** El Chapo

**Nominees:**

The Process presents Rasheed Cambell

OG Bobby

Rebirth of Slick

Know Me So Well

**BEST DIRECTOR**

**WINNER:** Jamal Hodge – A Happy Divorce

**Nominees:**

Michael Pickney – Blue Flame

Teo Frank – Underdogs

John Tucker – Pas Honteux

**BEST CINEMATOGRAPHY**

**WINNER:** To The Madness

**Nominees:**

Nana's Room

Sauce

The Hip Hop Kid

**BEST SFX/EDITING**

**WINNER:** The Closet B.I.T.C.H.

**Nominees:**

I am Hero  
The Process Presents Rashad Cambell  
Loose Lips

**BEST SCREENPLAY**

**WINNER:** God Bless You

**Nominees:**

Existenital Donut

Winston

Keep It Movin

How to Cash Your Life Insurance In 30 Days

**BEST COMEDY**

**WINNER:** Bad Web Series

**Nominees:**

To The Madness

FAM Club

Rhonda Mitchell MD

**BEST ACTRESS**

**WINNER:** Shana Solomon – The Closet B.I.T.C.H.

**Nominees:**

Samantha Lopez – Me 3.769

Mitch Roberson – Nana’s Room

Regine Mont Louis – How To Cash Your Life Insurance in 30 Days

Erica Bowman – Basic Lee

**BEST ACTOR**

**WINNER:** Kyvon Edwin – Winston

**Nominees:**

Travis LaBranch – Pas Honteux

Philip E. Walker – The Hip Hop Kid

Guyviad Joseph – God Bless You

Dimitri Carter – Showtime

**BEST SOCIAL JUSTICE FILM**

**WINNER:** Causalties of WAR

**Nominees:**

Four Points

The Color of Skin

The Interview  
Pride Is Costly

**BEST COSTUME DESIGN**

WINNER: Mr. & Mrs. Jackson

Nominees:

Outgrown

Blue Flame

Sauce

**BEST ORIGINAL SCORE / SOUNDTRACK**

WINNER: Nana's Room

Nominees:

#Washed

Keep It Movin

Pas Honteux

Lionel Fantom

**BEST OF THE FEST INTERNATIONAL**

WINNER: Kasala!

Nominees:

1 World Under A Groove

Kangol: Hip hop University

Scam Republique

**BEST OF THE FEST – AUDIENCE FAVORITE**

WINNER: #Washed

Nominees:

The Closet B.I.T.C.H.

Keep It Movin

Bad Web Series

FAM Club

**BEST OF THE FEST – SCREENWRITER'S COMPETITION**

WINNER: Prospect Park

Nominees:

The Actor

Still Got The Juice

Toyz On Demand

BEST OF THE FEST – NEW JACK WINNER :

Shawn Antione II – Showtime

BOSS PITCH WINNER : PROSPECT PARK

**About the Hip Hop Film Festival NYC**

Out of over 5,000 festivals in the world, the Hip-Hop Film Festival is the only festival to focus on writers, directors and producers who grew up in the global culture of Hip Hop. This season the festival hosts over 100 directors, producers and screenwriters from the United States, France, Brazil, Saudi Arabia, Canada, the UK, Russia, Switzerland, South Africa, India, Japan, Portugal, Argentina and more. The Hip Hop Film Festival features every genre (mystery, sci-fi, horror, action, romance, etc.) of story from filmmakers who live across the world. It is also the only film festival that seeks to share the profits from the festival with the filmmakers selected to participate.