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**R**EVOLVING DOOR: Tim Weinberger will become the GSM at *The Jim Pattison Broadcast Group* *Medicine Hat* stations: *CHAT/CFMY/CHAT-TV*. Weinberger, the GM/GSM at Newcap's *K-Rock 100.5 Fort McMurray*, is expected to be in Medicine Hat by mid-July. He'll succeed current GSM Ed Lundberg who retires at September's end. Weinberger's background includes *CKRD Red Deer*, *CFRN TV Edmonton* and *ITV Edmonton*... Rob Brignell will retire from his GM position at *CJOS-FM Owen Sound*, effective June 15. Brignell, who moved across the street in March, 2007, to the new *Larche Communications* station, was an 11-year veteran of *Bayshore Broadcasting*... Holly Cangiano is the new GM/GSM at *Rogers Radio North Bay: 102 FM The FOX/100.5 EZ ROCK/AM 600 CKAT*. Her radio career in North Bay spans 19 years, most of it with Rogers. Most recently, she was the Sales Supervisor for the three stations. Cangiano succeeds Peter McKeown who moved to Sudbury to become Rogers' VP, Ontario North... Jackie Rae Greening, who has had the multi-tasks of being PD at *CFCW Camrose*, Station Manager at *CAM-FM (CFCW-FM)* and Station Manager at *W 1440 (CKJR) Westaskawin*, has been promoted to the newly-created position of *Newcap's* Manager, Edmonton Operations... Brian DePoe is no longer PD at *Majic 100/939 BOB FM Ottawa*. He had joined *Bell Media Ottawa* in January, 2011, moving from PD at *Q92 Montreal*. Before that, DePoe was with *Virgin Radio Toronto*... Michael Hennessy, ex Sr. VP at *Telus*, will become President/CEO of the *Canadian Media Production Association* (CMPA) June 18. Hennessy was a regular columnist in *Broadcast Dialogue* magazine when, prior to his move to Telus, he was President/CEO of the *Canadian Cable Telecommunications Association* (CCTA)... Sally Catto has been appointed Executive Director, Commissioned and Scripted Programming at *CBC*. Last year, she jumped from *CBC* to *Cineflix Media* to spearhead a move into Canadian TV dramas and comedies. Catto, who begins June 18 and will be based in Vancouver, was Executive Director, Arts & Entertainment at *CBC* before leaving last year... Chris Shine, Morning Show Host at *KOOL FM Calgary*, is no longer with the station... Trevor Harvey, the former GM/GSM at *Vista's SUN FM Duncan*, has moved to become the company's Senior



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Account Executive based in Nanaimo. Since Vista acquired a minority stake in **CKAY-FM Sechelt**, Harvey is focusing efforts in that direction... **Brian Kenemy**, the one-time GM of the former **940 AM/Q92 Montreal**, will join **CJNT-TV (Metro 14) Montreal** in sales. **Rogers**, which expects to get purchase approval of the station, made the hire... **Carl Karp**, the Area Executive Producer, New Programming Initiatives Prairie Region, has retired. Karp, with the **CBC** and located in Winnipeg, had been with the public broadcaster for 27 years. Filling in for him on an interim basis is **John Bertrand**, Managing Director at **CBC Manitoba**... **Nikki Hawke**, Marketing Director at **Corus Entertainment's Nelvana Enterprises** is no longer with the company. She joined Nelvana two and one-half years ago from **Global Television** where she had been Senior Brand Manager... **David Meikle**, Retail Sales Supervisor/Manager of Interactive Sales at **Corus Hamilton**, is no longer with the cluster. He moved to **CUE Digital Media** in Toronto as the National Digital Account Manager.

**RADIO: Rock 94 (CJSD)/91.5 CKPR/103.5 The Thunder (CFQK) Thunder Bay** raised \$268,217 for victims of flooding that put the northwestern Ontario city under a state of emergency. The money went directly to **The Salvation Army's Thunder Bay Flood Fund**. Over 1,200 homes were damaged, some severely, in the destruction... **BCE** is confident it will win regulatory approval for its \$2.9 billion acquisition of **Astral Media** and that it sees plenty of interest in the radio stations it has to offload as part of the deal. BCE has already said it would sell some of Astral's radio stations so that it doesn't exceed the maximum number of stations a single company can own in a market. **CRTC** Acting Chairman **Len Katz** says the hearing will likely be in late summer or early autumn and that a decision will come 35 days afterwards... The **CRTC** reports that Canada's 669 commercial radio stations earned revenue of \$1.6 billion for the broadcast year ended Aug. 31, 2011, up a bit from \$1.55 billion earned the year before. Expenses, however, also rose; to \$1.26 billion from \$1.21 billion. Thirteen new FM stations came on-line in 2011, bringing the number of stations to 535. They had the bulk of earnings at \$1.3 billion, up from \$1.24 billion the year before. AM properties declined by seven stations in 2011 to 134. Revenue for them increased to \$311 million from \$307 million. The Commission also reported that the private stations employed 10,576 people and paid \$676.3 million in salaries in the 2011 broadcast year, up from 2010 when 10,104 people were employed and paid \$640.7 million... **Newstalk 1010/boom 97.3/99.9 Virgin Radio Toronto** together raised \$1, 825, 132 for the **SickKids Foundation** during a day-long radiothon late last week. Over the past 26 years, the Toronto stations under **Astral** and previous owner, **Standard Broadcasting**, have raised more than \$40 million to support the **Hospital for Sick Children** in Toronto... The **Community Radio Fund of Canada** is awarding \$267,742 to 35 campus and community radio stations across the country. The funds will be distributed under CFRC's **Radio Talent Development Program** and **Youth Internship Program**, both of which are made possible by Canadian Content Development contributions from **Astral Media**... **Profit magazine**, for the second year in a row, has placed **My Broadcasting Corporation** (MBC) in its **PROFIT 200** list which ranks Canada's fastest-growing companies by five-year revenue growth. MBC operates in 12 small markets in Ontario: Renfrew, Pembroke, Arnprior, Gananoque, Greater Napanee, Brighton, St. Thomas, Strathroy, Exeter, Goderich, Kincardine and Port Elgin... On June 1, **CBC Radio One 570 CFWH Whitehorse** became **Radio One 94.5 FM**. AM will remain available through Aug. 31.

**TELEVISION: Global BC's 2012 Miracle Weekend** raised \$17,939,688 in support of **BC Children's Hospital**. This is the 25th annual Miracle Weekend. Since 1998, over \$187 million has been raised through the campaign... Most Canadians aren't yet ready, despite the alternatives, to pull the plug on cable TV connections. Opting out, cablecos will be happy to learn, isn't the threat some would have us believe. The **Ipsos Canadian Inter@ctive Reid Report** says 43% of online Canadians agreed they would cancel their cable TV subscription before they cancelled their Internet service (24% strongly agree with this statement). At the same time, traditional TV screens are the most popular for watching shows and movies, with 88% doing so on a weekly basis. The demographics show younger Canadians much more willing to cut cable subscriptions in favour of Internet access. Among 16-34s, 64% would keep their Internet over cable, while 41% of 35-54s would do the same. Of those who are 55+, only 28% would keep their Internet over cable... **Crossroads Christian Communications**, the operators of **Crossroads Television System** (CTS-TV), celebrated its 50th anniversary June 2. It began at **CHRO-TV Pembroke** when 25-year old **David Mainse** approached the station's GM in hopes of getting some airtime. On June 2, 1962, Mainse began with a 15-minute Christian program on Saturdays following the late newscast... While **Rogers Media** awaits **CRTC** approval for the purchase of **Metro 14 (CJNT-TV) Montreal**, an affiliation agreement began this past Monday... **Hollywood Suite** will be the home of **Sony Movie Channel** and **AXN Movies** in Canada. The two channels will launch Sept. 4 as part of Hollywood Suite's four HD movie channels... In a seemingly strange development, in the midst of a close U.S. presidential campaign, cable television news channels' ratings are in the basement. The numbers for some of **Fox News'** top programs

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declined in May to their lowest levels since the last presidential election year. A number of CNN's prime viewing hours are now attracting the smallest audiences in their history. Ditto **MSNBC**, down 26% from a year ago in the demo of most importance to news channels, viewers 25-54... **Canada's Olympic Broadcast Media Consortium** says it will bring viewers more than 5,500 hours of coverage on the various platforms used to broadcast the 17 days of London 2012. They are **CTV**, **RDS**, **TSN**, **Sportsnet**, and **V...** The line-up for the **CTV** and **CTV Two** 2012/13 prime-time schedules, announced late last week, involve an even ratio of comedy, dramas, and reality programs.

**SIGN-OFFS:** **Angie Nemeth**, 43, after drowning at the entrance to Sechelt Inlet. **The Coast (CKAY) Sechelt** Office Manager, a member of the Coast Guard auxiliary (**Unit 12 - Halfmoon Bay RCM-**

**SAR**), died during a routine search and rescue training exercise. Investigators with the **Transportation Safety Board** are trying to determine what caused the **Royal Canadian Marine Search and Rescue** auxiliary boat to flip... **Hugh Palmer**, 97, in Vancouver. Palmer was the Director of **CBC Television** in British Columbia from 1955 to 1975. When the **British Columbia Institute of Technology** was created in the early 1960s, Palmer, **Hal Davis** from **CKNW** and **John Ansell** from **CKWX** joined as one of the earliest BCIT advisory committees, designing the department and training programs that continue in today's teaching agenda... **Bob Aylward**, 78, in Victoria. The former **CJVI** and **CHEK-TV Victoria** veteran was the first broadcaster inducted into the **Victoria Music Hall of Fame**.

**GENERAL:** **Research In Motion** won a Federal Court case over its use of the **BBM** acronym to describe its BlackBerry Messenger software. **BBM Canada**, which filed the suit, said it traces the BBM trademark back more than 60 years. RIM's BBM software has more than 50 million users worldwide. While the court ruled that the trademark clearly belongs to BBM Canada, it agreed with RIM that the two companies operate in different industries... **Marc Chikinda** has been renewed for a second five-year term as the Dean of the Faculty of Communication Studies at Calgary's **Mount Royal College**... The **Walt Disney Company** says all products advertised on its child-focused TV channels, radio stations and websites must comply with a strict new set of nutritional standards. Disney said that in adopting the new advertising standards it was largely following recommendations proposed last year by U.S. federal regulators. The suggestions were aimed at inducing the food industry to overhaul the way it marketed things like cereal, soda and snacks to children.

**LOOKING:** **92.3 The Dock Owen Sound** - GM/GSM; **Newcap Fort McMurray** - GM/GSM; **Astral Kelowna** - Business Manager; **Astral Calgary** - Creative Writer; **Corus Entertainment Toronto** - Senior Manager, Human Resources; **The River (CKRI FM) Red Deer** - GSM; **The New Hot 89-9 Ottawa** - Evening Announcer; **Rogers Grand Prairie** - Production Manager; **Astral Fort St. John** - Videographer/Reporter, Television and Radio; **CTV Timmins** - Anchor/Photojournalist; **Canada AM Scarborough** - Story Producer; **Bell Media Toronto** - Research Analyst and an Associate Manager, Brand Partnerships; **CBC Montreal** - Director of Programming, RDI; **CBC Toronto** - Product Manager, News and Sites CMS (Digital Operations); **Pelmorex Media Oakville** - Ad Operations Implementation Manager; **Rogers Sportsnet Toronto** - ENG Editor; **APTN Winnipeg** - Technician; **TVO Toronto** - Senior Information Officer; and **Shaw Media Toronto** - Program Scheduler.

**SUPPLYLINES:** Montreal-based **Miranda Technologies** has an agreement with **Belden** for it to offer to purchase all outstanding common shares of Miranda. Miranda and Belden say they will develop an integration plan that best leverages their combined capabilities... **Terry Horbatiuk**, **Panasonic Canada's** National Sales Manager, Professional Imaging Group, has been honoured by the **Society of Broadcast Engineers** for outstanding contributions and years of dedicated service to the SBE Certification program... The **National Screen Institute - Canada** says **William F. White International** is now the exclusive lighting and grip production equipment and technical services sponsor of the **NSI Drama Prize**.

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**R**EVOLVING DOOR: Jean-Pierre Blais, 51, becomes the next Chairman of the **CRTC** Monday, June 18. He succeeds **Konrad von Finckenstein** in the five-year term. Blais is described as more of a conciliation-minded type who would seek compromise rather than strike out independently with initiatives. Sources say the Conservative government signalled to potential candidates that it wanted the CRTC to conduct itself differently from how it functioned under von Finckenstein. Most recently, Blais was at the **Treasury Board**. He has also served at **Canadian Heritage** as Assistant Deputy Minister of cultural affairs, responsible for files including copyright and cultural industries. Before that, Blais was Executive Director of broadcasting at the CRTC as well as General Counsel, Broadcasting... **David Moretta**, the husband of Alberta **Wildrose** leader **Danielle Smith**, has stepped down from his Calgary-based position as a senior editorial executive at **Sun TV**. While there are no known instances of conflicts of interest, it was apparently becoming increasingly difficult for Moretta to do his job under the optics of possible bias... New ND at **CTV Kitchener** is **Kristin Wever**. She moves from CTV in Toronto where she was Senior Assignment Producer at **Canada AM**... **Doug Elliot** is new PD at **949 The Rock (CKGE) Oshawa**. He had been Ops Mgr at **Rogers Radio Kingston**... **Rod Weymark** is the new PD/Morning Host at **977 The Beach Wasaga Beach**. He moves to the **Bayshore** station after almost 10 years at **949 The Rock Oshawa**...

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**Kelly Johnston**, Director of News and Public Affairs at **CTV Calgary**, is no longer with the station. Johnston had joined CTV Calgary from her ND role at **CKY-TV Winnipeg** in 2000. She later was promoted to Managing Editor and in 2008 assumed the role of Director of News & Public Affairs at Calgary... **Chris Coburn** begins on mornings at **Country 107.1 Abbotsford** Monday, June 18. Coburn was with the **Pattison** stations in Vancouver for almost 20 years, 15 at **JRfm 93.7** and, most recently, four years doing mornings at **100.5 The Peak**. He succeeds **Ian Slipp** who moves from Country 107.1 to mornings at **103.1 JACK FM Victoria**. Slipp succeeds **Tarzan Dan**... **90.3 AMP Calgary's** new morning show Host will be **Ryan Lindsay**, now with sister **Newcap** station **Hot 89.9 Ottawa**. It's expected Lindsay will begin in Calgary this summer... While **Q107 Calgary** signed a new morning show earlier this year with **Jeff Brown** and **Sarah Crosbie**, contractual obligations they had with **K-Rock 105.7 Kingston** slowed the process. The pair will begin at Q107 on Monday (June 18).

Meanwhile, the Toronto podcasters and former mainline morning show Hosts – **Humble and Fred** – will be doing mornings at K-Rock. While they will begin on-air in Kingston next week, their podcast will also continue... **Ian March** who left **Bell Media Ottawa** Sept. 19/11 to become PD at **98.3 FLY-FM/98.9 The DRIVE Kingston**, will return to Bell Media Ottawa as Programming Coordinator of **Majic100/93.9 Bob FM**. He's expected there toward month's end... **Rena Montgomerie** has been elevated to the role of Assignment Editor at **Global Saskatoon**. She'd been a Reporter there the past 22 years... **David MacLeod**, Executive Producer of Nova Scotia's **Big Motion Pictures**, is the new Chair of the **Canadian Media Production Association (CMPA)**. He succeeds **Tom Cox (SEVEN24 Films)** who has held the position for the past two years.

**TELEVISION:** Acting **CRTC** Chair **Leonard Katz**, in a speech which was delivered for him to delegates at the **Banff World Media Festival**, said Canadian broadcasters

and producers should change their attitude toward **Netflix** and other over-the-top (OTT) services. Katz, who was not in attendance but whose speech was presented by Alberta/NWT Regional Commissioner **Peter Menzies**, opined that such services "are complementary to the existing system" and don't appear to have led Canadians to cancel or cut back on their cable or satellite subscriptions... **Kevin Crull**, the President of **Bell Media** said– in a separate session at Banff – that **YouTube** and other online video services pose little threat to established TV networks. He doesn't think user-generated content can be as competitive as professional content. **Rogers Media** President **Keith Pelley** disagrees. He warns that television could yet go off the same cliff that ruined the newspaper and music industries... Canadians won't be seeing any 3D coverage of the London Olympics from **Canada's Olympic Broadcast Media Consortium**. Providing 3D coverage, it says, is too expensive in light of the number of Canadians who actually own a 3D TV set. **NBC** plans to air 242 hours of 3D Olympics coverage in the U.S... **Jeanne Beker** received the 2012 **Canadian Award of Distinction** at the **Banff World Media Festival**, joining such previous winners as **Howie Mandel**, **Eric McCormack** and **Kim Cattrall**. Beker was the Host of **Fashion Television** for 27 years. Production ended April 11... **TVO**, Ontario's public broadcaster, has been pulled from most cable and satellite systems outside the province over a carriage dispute. As of last Sept. 1, cable and satellite providers are required to get permission from over-the-air TV stations (of which TVO is one) before distributing them outside their home markets. TVO says that since it is being sold in bundled packages, it should therefore receive compensation but **Bell** has refused... Meanwhile, **TVO** Anchor/Senior Editor **Steve Paikin** was awarded an Honorary Doctorate of Letters at Sudbury's **Laurentian University** as part of the June convocation ceremonies. He addressed graduates in the English, Education and Communication Studies programs... **CNBC** and **Yahoo!** will collaborate on news and analysis content in the latest deal pairing different kinds of media companies. The joint efforts will involve ad revenue sharing. CNBC will become the premier content provider for **Yahoo Finance** in the U.S. while Yahoo Finance journalists will contribute to CNBC's daytime programs... **CTV Ottawa's** annual **CHEO Telethon** raised \$6,448,260 for the **Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario**. The funds will be aimed at pediatric programs, support research, medical and nursing education, buying medical equipment and providing assistance for families in crisis. The



## GENERAL MANAGER / GENERAL SALES MANAGER

**Newcap Radio** is looking for a GM / GSM for **CHFT-FM Fort McMurray**

The position reports to the Vice President of Western Operations. Fort McMurray is about a 4 1/2 hour drive from Edmonton and is the Oil Capital of Canada, with a population of approximately 100,000 people. Fort McMurray is very community-orientated and continues to grow.

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- Grow revenues from existing clients
- Manage all aspects of the client relationship — contracts, billing, & collections
- Operate within the Newcap's sales and operational guidelines
- Demonstrate positive interpersonal relationship skills within the operation
- Contribute to a spirit of cooperation and innovation.

The deadline for submitting applications is 5:00 p.m. June 22, 2012. Newcap Radio values diversity in its work force and is committed to Employment Equity. To explore this opportunity further please forward your resume to:

**Randy Lemay — Vice President, Western Operations**  
c/o **Diane Perreault** at [dperreault@newcap.ca](mailto:dperreault@newcap.ca).

telethon ran 24 hours and began at 7 p.m. Saturday... **Shaw Communications** has wrapped its second national *Fill the Food Banks Campaign*, raising awareness and donations for food banks across the country. Donated were 1.2 million pounds of food and more than \$630,000 to food banks between Victoria and St. John's... **CTV Barrie** has implemented a *News Cottage Traffic App* to help Southern Ontario weekenders beat the traffic jams as they head north. It's a free service using built-in GPS technology on phones and powered by users running the app while they drive. The system also uses historical traffic patterns along with weather, time of day and seasonal information to predict the traffic ahead... In a letter to the editor of the *Winnipeg Free Press*, **John Bertrand**, the Managing Director of **CBC Manitoba** took issue with a recent opinion piece arguing for other ways for the Corporation to save money than by decommissioning over-the-air analog service. He says just 1.7% of Canadians use analog OTA technology. Further, by decommissioning the equipment, \$10 million will go into programming. While CBC empathizes with those who will be affected by the change, he said, the solution is not to continue putting money into an obsolete technology that's being used less and less... The **CBSC** says a segment of *The Source* broadcast by **Sun News Network** Dec. 22 saw host **Ezra Levant** use Spanish coarse language to insult someone, a violation of the **Canadian Association of Broadcasters' Code of Ethics**. In criticizing **Chiquita Banana** for boycotting oil from the Alberta oilsands, he told a Chiquita executive to "chinga tu madre" – an insult that translates to "f\*\*k your mother". Details can be found at [www.cbsc.ca](http://www.cbsc.ca).

**GENERAL:** In a bid to generate revenue to help it cover a multimillion dollar shortfall, **CBC** is leasing unused office space in its buildings across Canada. **CBC/Radio Canada** President/CEO **Hubert Lacroix** hopes to have 74,000 square metres of its available real estate occupied by 2017. But, he said, there is no intention of selling CBC properties. Meantime, **Allied Properties REIT** has signed a deal to lease a portion of CBC's downtown Toronto head office and plans to spend \$30 million to upgrade the property before renting it to technology clients. The 49-year agreement includes 168,000 square feet – a little more than 10% of the space at the *Canadian Broadcast Centre* – with the lease term beginning March 8, 2013.

**SIGN-OFF:** **Glenn Cochrane**, 84, in a Toronto hospital. Cochrane spent 22 years at **CFTO-TV Toronto** as a Reporter, usually profiling the lighter side of the news and focusing on human interest stories.

**RADIO:** The **NBC Sports Radio Network** will launch in September, distributing hourly sports news updates, daily features and full-length shows. The network will also produce local and national coverage using commentators from NBC Sports, NBC Sports Regional Networks and NBC affiliates.

**SUPPLYLINES:** **Oakwood Broadcast** has become a distributor of **Hammond Manufacturing's** line of equipment racks, cabinets and accessories... **Seevibes**, which does social TV audience measurement, says it is about to inaugurate *Seevibes TV Ratings*. It allows users to view the ratings of Canadian TV shows via the experience viewers share on social media. Seevibes offers broadcasters and media professionals data on the TV audience.

**LOOKING:** **Newcap Radio** is looking for a GM/GSM for its Fort McMurray station. For details, see the ad on Page 2... Other jobs we've heard about include: **Rogers Radio Toronto** - Executive Assistant; **Astral Television Networks Toronto** - Affiliate Sales Manager; **Bell Media Toronto** - National Account Executive, Digital Media; **Business News Network Toronto** - Producer; **CBC Saskatoon** - Station Manager; **CBC Toronto** - Account Manager, Digital Sales and a Publicity Officer; **CBC Vancouver** - Associate Producer; **Citytv Toronto** - Assignment Editor; **TVO Toronto** - Director, Marketing & Revenue; **Corus Radio Toronto** - Radio Sales Account Manager; **Rock 101 & 99.3 The Fox Vancouver** - Senior Account Manager; and **Astral Radio Edmonton** - Promotions Coordinator.

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**T**ELEVISION: While **Bell** and **Rogers** have **NHL** consent to partner within **Maple Leaf Sports & Entertainment**, the Board of Governors has also ruled that the two will not be allowed to bid together for the Canadian TV rights which are up in 2014. Rather than a sharing arrangement on broadcasting **Hockey Night in Canada**, they will have to bid separately for the whole enchilada. Both Rogers and Bell say they'll go after the rights which **CBC** fully intends to defend... **Rogers Communications** has applied to the **CRTC** to bring the **MLB Network** baseball channel to Canada. The new channel, it says, would complement the games already broadcast in Canada. MLB Network, launched in the U.S. in 2009 and owned by **Major League Baseball**, offers baseball programming 24/7 and covering all 30 teams... **Corus Entertainment** is selling programming to **Netflix**, offsetting pressure at Corus' pay-TV business created by Netflix. Several animation franchises owned by **Nelvana** have been acquired by Netflix for web-based distribution in the U.S., the UK and other markets. While analysts estimate the foreign distribution deals to be worth no more than a few million dollars annually, the incremental profit is helping to mitigate a slowdown at **Movie Central** and **HBO Canada**... The number of U.S. homes with only over-the-air TVs has risen to about 21 million -- nearly 18% of all American TV households and representing 54 million consumers. **GfK Media**, which did the research, said that it demonstrates, contrary to conventional wisdom, that over-the-air TV viewership is growing, not declining. In reaction, an **NAB** spokesman said the numbers demonstrate that tomorrow's world will be both broadcasting and broadband, and that "local TV stations have an exceedingly bright future"... **Bell Aliant** is taking its first step into community TV programming with the launch of Community One, its new Atlantic region community channel. The channel will serve the company's 85,000 subscribers from Halifax... **PromaxBDA's 2012 Promotion, Marketing and Design Awards** Canadian winners, as awarded in Los Angeles on the weekend, are:

Global Silver	Holiday/Special Event Campaign	MuchMusic MMVA	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Global Bronze	Something for Nothing	MuchMusic	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Global Silver	Stunt Promotion Overall Using Integrated Media	CTV - Pan Am	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Global Bronze	Art Direction & Design: Informational Graphics	MuchMusiv MMVA	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Global Bronze	Logo	CTV: Believe 2012	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	Best Male or Female Voice Over	The Comedy Network	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	Best Male or Female Voice Over	CP24: We Were There	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Silver	Outdoor/Environment/Transit Campaign: Net/Chnl	History: Fall (RBC Domination)	<b>Shaw Media</b>
Bronze	Stunt Promotion for a Special Event	Disney XD Canada launch party	<b>Astral</b>
Gold	Creative Copyrighting - Print	CBC RADIO ONE - DAY 6	<b>CBC</b>
Gold	Action: Full Throttle Saloon		<b>Shaw Media</b>
Bronze	History: Top Gear		<b>Shaw Media</b>
Silver	General Branding/Image - Long Format	The Movie Network	<b>Astral</b>
Silver	Holiday/Special Event Promotion	MuchMusic: MMVA11 LAUNCH	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	News/Information Program Spot	CP24: Breakfast is Served	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	Special News Report or Event Programming	Meltdown: The Secret History of the Global Financial Collapse	<b>Radio-Canada</b>
Silver	Holiday//Special Event Program Campaign	MuchMusic MMVA11	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	Adult Programming Sport	MTV Canada: 1G5G	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	Daytime Program Spot	CP24: Breakfast is Served	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	Theatrical Films Shown on TV Promotion	SPACE: Back to the Future trilogy	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	Daypart/Block of Programs Sport	SPACE: Horror Sundays	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	Stunt Promotion - On-Air Only	Brand New Nick	<b>Corus Entertainment</b>
Bronze	Stunt Promotion - On-Air Only	MTV Canada: MTV Live in 3D	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	Entertainment Programming	MuchMusic: Pretty little liars	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	General Branding/Image	MuchMusic: TMC Midway State	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Silver	General Branding/Image	MuchMusic: My name is Kay	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	On-Screen Services Promotion	MTV Canada: MTV Mobile	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Silver	General Entertainment/Channel	Rookie Blue	<b>Shaw Media</b>
Bronze	Stunt Promotion overall using integrated media	CTV - PAN AM	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>

Silver	Special Project Award	No More Bullies PSA	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	Art Direction & Design: Network/Channel ID	Family Channel - Twistmas	<b>Astral</b>
Bronze	Art Direction & Design: Informational Graphics	MuchMusic - MMVA	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	General Entertainment — Bumper	Johnny Test Show Bumpers	<b>Teletoon Canada Inc</b>
Silver	General Entertainment — Bumper	Chowder Show Bumper	<b>Teletoon Canada Inc</b>
Bronze	Art Direction & Design - News	Canada Votes	<b>CBC</b>
Silver	Art Direction & Design: Special Events Promo - News	Top 20 of 2011	<b>CHANNEL ZERO INC.</b>
Gold	Art Direction & Design: Informational Graphics — News	Decouverte - Marie Curie	<b>Societe Radio-Canada</b>
Bronze	News - Open/Titles	Discovery Channel Canada	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Silver	Art Direction & Design: Image Campaign — Sports	Sportsnet Image Campaign	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	Art Direction & Design: Special Events Promo — Sports	TSN: NHL Draft 2011	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	Sports - Open/Titles	TSN: Figure Skating	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	Sports - Bumper	TSN: Cabbie at the Grey Cup	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Gold	Art Direction & Design: On-Air Illustration	Juicebox - Juicebox Channel Design	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	Consumer Publication Advertising: Image Campaign	TSN Radio 990	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Bronze	Poster Campaign	Sportsnet On -Air Radio Talent	<b>Sportsnet</b>
Bronze	Outdoor - Static Campaign	FX Canada Ooh Campaign	<b>FX CANADA</b>
Gold	Logo	CTV: CTV Two	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Silver	Primary and Secondary Logo	Sportsnet	<b>Sportsnet</b>
Silver	Website: Network/Station or Channel	DisneyXD.CA Launch	<b>Astral Television Networks</b>
Gold	Display	Discovery Channel - Race Track	<b>Bell Media Agency</b>
Silver	Salon de Refus	Diva Movies	<b>Shaw Media Inc.</b>

**GENERAL:** A new study has found that 54% of tablet users prefer free, ad-supported apps over paid ones. Last year it was 40%. At the same time, says the **Online Publishers Association**, 19% of users say they prefer to pay more for apps with no ads, down from 30% last year. And the number of people who use tablets and usage per tablet user is exploding... In related news, tablet ownership popularity continues in Canada while online and mobile TV viewing is also on the rise. **CBC/Radio-Canada's Media Technology Monitor** has put out a new report on Canadian tech trends and – based on 2,000 surveys of anglophone Canadians conducted in March and April – determined that about 21% of those surveyed said they own one. That's up 3.5 times since last spring when just 6% of anglophones owned tablets. About 71% said they watched some type of online video in the past month, up two points in the last six months. Twenty-one percent of Canadians said they're watching TV shows on their devices... Alberta-based blogger **David J. Climenhaga** is critical of what he says was the **Sun News Network's** vulgar response to a June 13 **Canadian Broadcast Standards Council** decision and critical of the Council itself. Following the decision, **Ezra Levant** repeated the offensive phrase (a Spanish profanity universally understood to mean "f\*\*k your mother") in defiance of "the censor" (his description of the CBSC). The original obscenity was found to violate the **CAB's Code of Ethics** and Sun News is now required to read a statement on-air – twice – copping to breaking the rules. Climenhaga wrote "... *this may not seem like much of a punishment for Levant's offensive commentary, but that after all is the point of organizations like the CBSC – to shield their members from the threat of meaningful enforcement of even minimum standards*". Climenhaga is also one of the original complainants to the CBSC on this matter and says he will complain again about the repeat... In another **CBSC** decision, **Sun News Network** is off the hook about an on-air discussion regarding race relations and riots in England. A number of complaints were received after the term "*black thugs*" was used. But the Council concluded that the remark did not violate the **Canadian Association of Broadcasters' Code of Ethics** nor the **Equitable Portrayal Code**. The decision's details can be found at [www.cbsc.ca](http://www.cbsc.ca).

**REVOLVING DOOR:** **Jim Haskins** is the new **Global Maritimes** Station Manager/News Director, beginning this fall. He moves from Edmonton where he was responsible for Alberta sales and marketing of **CBC-TV** and **cbc.ca**. Before that, Haskins was VP/GM of **Craig Media's A-Channel Edmonton** and **A-Channel Calgary**. He began his career as a Reporter/Anchor at **CJIC-TV/CKCY Sault Ste. Marie**... **Malcolm Kirk** is the new President of **The Canadian Press**. Kirk was formerly the Exec VP of Digital Media at **Postmedia Network**. His appointment follows more than a year of restructuring and recovery at the national news agency... **Gary Tredwell** is the new PD at **Evanov Radio Group's** Halifax cluster. Tredwell was most recently the PD at **Newcap's K-Rock (CIJK-FM) Kentville**. Beginning Monday, he'll oversee programming at CHR **Energy 103.5 (CKHZ-FM)** and **Modern Rock Live 105 (CKHY-FM)**... **Irene Weibel** has been appointed VP, Head of **Nelvana Studio**. Weibel, who will be based in both Toronto and Los Angeles, had been VP, International Production and Development for the **Corus Entertainment** company... **Kim Fjellner** will be the new GSM at **Lite 95.7/Hot 107 Edmonton** effective July 1. She moves from her GSM position at sister **Harvard** station **100.7 fm The River Red Deer**... **Ron Polillo**, the PD at the **Jim Pattison Broadcast Group's Prince George** stations – and who also carried an on-air shift at **101.3 The River**, is moving across the hall. After 13 years on The River, Polillo takes over middays at **99.3 The Drive** while retaining his PD duties... **Chris Coghill**, ex of **Alliance Atlantis/Canwest**, is the

new Manager, Technical Production Operations at **TVO** in Toronto... **Ben Mulrone**y has a part-time gig at **ABC's Good Morning America Weekend Edition**. He begins this weekend. Mulrone continues as co-Anchor of **CTV's ETALK**... Former *Kids in the Hall* star **Kevin McDonald** joined **99.9 Bob FM Winnipeg's** morning team as a fill-in



Pat Baranowski

when one of Bob's breakfast hosts, **Kelly Parker** or **Dez**, is on summer holiday. The comedian/actor, who lives in Winnipeg, began this past Monday... Morning Host **Dave Reynolds** at **99.7 The River Campbell River**, at the station for three years, is no longer with the **Vista** operation... **Pat Baranowski** is retiring from **Corus Radio Cornwall** Aug. 31 after 23+ years as the stations' Receptionist. Her work, as is often the case with such frontline radio people, was recognized by **JJ Johnston**, the GM of **Corus Radio Ontario East**, when he said: "Pat, in her time here, has been an amazing ambassador of Corus Radio Cornwall. She has been a housemother, a best friend, and the world's greatest receptionist and all of us will miss her dearly".

**RADIO: Maritime Broadcasting System's** Saint John stations could be hit by a strike come 8 a.m. Monday. The **Canadian Media Guild** has served notice to MBS management that members in Saint John will strike then if no agreement is reached. Affected will be **Big John**, **K-100** and **CFBC**. The guild says some of the employees hired in recent years are earning as much as one-third less than the people who did the jobs before them. The employees voted to form a union a year ago and have been trying to negotiate a first contract... **Sirius XM Canada**, heads into a licence renewal hearing today, wants the **CRTC** to cut 90% from its mandatory contributions and to put it on a more even footing with the over-the-air radio industry. In a pre-hearing filing, the company said it has been losing money at a disturbing rate and that it had paid \$52-million to the Commission in the last seven years – almost \$20-million more, it said, than Canada's 400-plus commercial radio stations paid in total over the same time period. It has had to redirect 5% of its revenue to Canadian content development while traditional broadcasters pay 0.5%... Montreal-based **Cogeco Diffusion** will expand its network of spoken-word radio stations as a direct result of the province's socially boiling atmosphere. **106.9 FM Mauricie**, **107.7 FM Estrie** and **104.7 FM Ottawa** will become a hybrid format of music and spoken format Aug. 20. The stations will maintain their local focus by building on local views, news and sports. The changes will come since the popularity of talk

radio is growing in Quebec... **Capital FM Edmonton** listeners gave just over \$70,000 to support the second annual **Capital Cares Radiothon for Make-A-Wish Northern Alberta**. All of the money raised will go toward granting the wishes of children with life threatening medical conditions... The first annual **KICX For Kids** radiothon at **KICX 91.7 Sudbury** has raised over \$38,000. The contributions go toward three pediatric ventilators for **Health Sciences North Neo Natal Intensive Care Unit**... Plans to close **CBC's** French language **CBEF Windsor** will be on the agenda during a **CRTC** public hearing in November. There has already been a recommendation by the Federal Court to investigate the closure. The Commission will examine budget cuts by CBC when it reviews renewal applications... The door has been slammed on a possible obstacle to **CBC** having to shut down its international short-wave service. The Conservative cabinet quietly changed a rule that could have prevented CBC from following through on its shutdown plan. **Radio Canada International** faces a near fatal 80% budget cut. Heritage Minister **James**

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**Moore** recommended an order in council, approved June 7, that deleted a requirement for RCI to maintain a shortwave service. The RCI cut is one of the measures outlined by CBC in response to the last federal budget. RCI will continue, but the **Voice of Canada** international shortwave service will soon be only an Internet station... The **New York Festivals International Radio Awards**, honouring the world's best radio programs, saw Toronto's **Pirate Group** – for the second consecutive year – earn one of two Grand Trophies. The other winner was **George Washington Global Media Institute**. In accepting, **Terry O'Reilly** said, "Winning a Grand Trophy is simply one of the highest tributes in the radio world because of what it represents: The best programs judged by the most respected radio professionals in a show where 28 countries compete. And to win it two years in a row is just an incredible honour." This year's winners of Gold, Silver and Bronze trophies are:

Gold	<b>Pirate Group</b>	Business Or Consumer Issues
Silver	<b>Pirate Group</b>	Luxury Advertising
Silver	<b>MBM Digital</b>	Culture & The Arts
Bronze	<b>Air Born Prod.</b>	Culture & The Arts
Gold	<b>CBC</b>	Religious Programs
Gold	<b>CBC</b>	Q with Jian Ghomeshi - Best Talk Show Host
Silver	<b>CBC</b>	Best Special Event
Silver	<b>CBC</b>	Culture & The Arts
Silver	<b>CBC</b>	Health/Medical
Silver	<b>CBC</b>	Best News Documentary Or Special
Silver	<b>CBC</b>	Heroes
Bronze	<b>CBC</b>	Best Regularly Scheduled Comedy Program
Bronze	<b>CBC</b>	National Or International Affairs
Bronze	<b>CBC</b>	Best Human Interest Story

**LOOKING:** **Newcap Halifax** - Director of Engineering; **Bell Media Kingston** - PD; **100.3 The Bear/The Team 1260 Edmonton** - Promotions Director; **Bell Media Radio Brockville** - ND/Morning Co-host; **Astral Radio Vancouver** - Promotions Coordinator; **Corus Radio London** - Account Manager; **790 CFCW Edmonton** – Account Manager; **KG Country 95.5 FM/98.9 Zed FM Red Deer** - News Anchor/Reporter; **CBC Toronto** - Producer, Radio Digital Programming, a Manager, Technical Operations (Mobile Division), a Network Account Manager, CBC Revenue Group and a Senior Manager, Publicity; **CBC Winnipeg** - Reporter/Editor; **CBC Vancouver** - Regional Web Developer and a Reporter/Editor; **CBC Ottawa** - Manager, Internal Communications and Client Services; **Channel Zero Toronto/Hamilton** - IT Manager; **Bell Media Toronto** - Account Executive, CTV Specialty Sales; and **CTV Yorkton** - SR Operating Technician.

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**T**ELEVISION: The **CRTC** has approved the **Rogers** deal to buy **Saskatchewan Communications Network** (SCN) for \$3 million from **Bluepoint Investments**. Rogers will relaunch the station as **Citytv Regina** on Canada Day but says it will also maintain all of SCN's educational broadcast obligations and air commercial-free educational content between 6 a.m. and 3 p.m. The Commission, as a condition of sale, requires the station spend 23% of its gross annual revenues in buying Canadian programming from independent producers in Saskatchewan. Further, the CRTC expects Rogers to invest an additional \$1 million on independent production in Saskatchewan over the course of the licence term which expires Aug. 31, 2018... **Sony** says its new Internet-player product will be **Google Play** enabled and available in Canada in August. The big selling point is that the purchase of an Internet-enabled TV set is no longer necessary since Google Play works on existing TVs. It's priced at \$199.99. A Blu-Ray version, at \$329.99, will be available in time for Christmas... The **Bell Media** OTA TV stations have received temporary relief from providing described video and lowered levels of local news and described video during the **CTVNetwork's** coverage of the 2012 Olympic Games. But the **CRTC** also determined that they must make up the time loss over the rest of the calendar year... The **Canadian Film Centre** says the **Slaight Family Music Lab**, supported by **The Slaight Family Foundation**, will launch in Toronto this fall. According to CFC, the Music Lab will encourage the integration of music creators (songwriters and composers) into the onscreen process while offering unique business opportunities to increase Canadian music onscreen.

**R**EVOLVING DOOR: **Craig Oliver** is no longer an Anchor of **CTV's Question Period**. Instead, he'll become a regular on the show's media panel. As well, the 73-year-old Canadian news icon remains as a Parliament Hill Reporter. Succeeding him as Question Period Anchor is **Kevin Newman**, who moved to the show last year... **John Hinnen**, VP of News for **Rogers Radio** and VP/GM of **680News Toronto**, has taken on added responsibilities. He's now VP of News for **Rogers Media** Television and Radio. He continues oversight at 680News and all news content for the 55 Rogers radio stations... **Robert (Bob) Collins**, who began at **Fanshawe College** in London 38 years ago, retires this week from his post as Professor, Radio Broadcasting and Broadcast



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Journalism Program... **K97 Edmonton** Promotions Director **Brent Shelton**, who returned to the station in November, has been given added duties as Assistant PD. He left in the mid 2000s for **SONIC Edmonton**... After 16 years with **880 CKLQ/94.7 Star FM Brandon** – 39 years in the radio industry – ND John **LoRegio** will leave the station cluster July 5. Beginning July 9, he starts with the **Brandon Sun**... **Scott Fox** is back as morning show Host at **Z103.5 Toronto** where he worked from Feb. 13, 2000 to April 29, 2011 before moving to **Kiss 92.5 Toronto**... **Karyn Pugliese** is joining **APTN** July 9 as the Director of News and Current Affairs. Her 15-year broadcast journalism background includes **ichannel**, **VisionTV**, **CBC** and an earlier stint with **APTN**... **SOCAN** has elected **Stan Meissner** as its new President/Chair. He succeeds **Earl Rosen** who held the position since 2009. Meissner was Treasurer of **SOCAN** (2003-2009), President of the **SOCAN Foundation** (2006-2012), President of the **Songwriters Association of Canada** (2000-2006) and a member of the board of directors of the **Canadian Songwriters Hall of Fame** (2000-2006)... The Heritage Minister has appointed **Remi Racine** as Chairperson of the **CBC/Radio-Canada** Board of Directors for a five-year term. He's been a board member for five years.

**RADIO:** Seven employees at the **MBS Radio Saint John** cluster, including on-air personalities at **CFBC**, **K100** and **Big John FM**, went on strike Monday morning. Talks between management and the **Canadian Media Guild** have been ongoing for about a year. The union says MBS took more than \$1 million in profit from the stations last year while many of the employees earn just above minimum wage and are expected to perform unpaid overtime. Further, says the union, there have been no cost-of-living increases for 12 years. MBS brought in replacement workers, including on-air people working remotely from Halifax. The union wants a four-year agreement that would see morning announcers earn \$12 an hour as a starting rate, and work up to \$17.21. MBS, in a statement posted on the Big John FM website, says the union's demands are not realistic or sustainable, and are “out of touch” with the local market. MBS said it offered workers an increase of just over 9% over four years, with a \$1,000 signing bonus... **Apple** might be getting into the in-car infotainment business. At the **World Wide Developers Conference** in San Francisco, it announced that **General Motors**, **Toyota**, **BMW** and a host of other automakers will integrate Apple's vaunted **Siri** concierge service into their cars... Three Calgary ethnic radio stations are asking the federal government to overturn a May **CRTC** decision that saw them passed over for a broadcast licence in favour of an out-of-province ethnic broadcaster – Vancouver-based **Multicultural Broadcasting Corporation** (for the 106.7 frequency). The **Jim Pattison Broadcast Group** was approved for the 95.3 frequency. The three local ethnic operators have submitted a joint petition to the Governor in Council asking for a reversal of the May ruling... The transmission towers outside of Sackville, N.B are no longer broadcasting **Radio Canada International** to the world. After 67 years of service, the international broadcasting service ended its shortwave transmission Sunday night. In April, **CBC** reduced RCI's budget from \$12.3 million annually to \$2.3 million, resulting in dozens of job cuts and the need to end the shortwave service. RCI will continue as an online-only service. **Martin Marcotte**, Director of **CBC Transmission**, said he's now looking to sell the New Brunswick towers and land... **Vista Prince George's** eighth annual **Variety Radiothon** – running over two days on **The Wolf@97FM** and **94X** – raised \$62,648, all going to the northern B.C. city's child **Development Centre**... Comments on **CHOI-FM Quebec City** about welfare recipients did not violate any codes, says the **Canadian Broadcast Standards Council**. A talk show host interviewed an American politician about welfare reform. Following the broadcast, an organization representing people on social assistance complained that the segment contained negative generalizations about that group. Details can be found at [www.cbpsc.ca](http://www.cbpsc.ca)... The **CRTC** has approved a flip of **CHFA Edmonton** to FM. The **CBC's** French-language FM station is held under the same conditions of licence as **CHFA**... **100.3 The Bear Edmonton** is selling “Calgary Sucks” T-shirts to mark 20 years on the air, with proceeds going to charity. Announcer **Yukon Jack** said the shirts are all in good fun: “*The funny thing about this particular feud is it's kind of like your brother or sister where you can dump on them, but as soon as someone else dumps on them, we get instantly defensive as Albertans. Calgary still sucks, don't get me wrong – but it's kind of like our right as Edmontonians to dump on Calgary and we expect the exact same in return. And I think we're all united in our relief at not living in Saskatchewan.*”

**GENERAL:** A combined bid by **Bell Media** and **CBC/Radio-Canada** to bring the **2014 Olympic Winter Games** and the **2016 Olympic Summer Games** to Canadian viewers has been scrapped over money. Bell Media (CTV/TSN) says the International Olympic Committee rejected two joint proposals; one for \$70 million and another that was slightly higher. **CBC** says it still might muster up a solo bid for what is among the world's most-watched sporting events... Gold Medal Award winners at the **Western Association of Broadcasters** annual convention in Banff were **Citytv Calgary** and, for radio, **CHAT 94.5 Medicine Hat**. **Ken**

**Singer of *Fabmar Communications*** is WAB's *Broadcaster of the Year*. And there were two recipients for the new *Leaders of Tomorrow* award: **Patrick Burles** of **Country 95 (CHLB) Lethbridge** and **Adam Wylde** of **Virgin Radio (CIBK-FM) Calgary**... The **Ontario Association of Broadcasters** will hold its annual fall conference Tuesday, Nov. 6, in Toronto at the Westin Bristol Place Hotel, near the airport... **Facebook** is facing a backlash after replacing e-mail addresses listed in members' contacts with those provided by its @facebook.com system. Some users have branded the move as "annoying" and "lame" and publicised instructions on how to display original addresses instead of the Facebook ones... From the **Radio-Television Digital News Association's** (RTDNA) 50th annual convention in Toronto this past weekend, **CKNW Vancouver** ND **Ian Koenigsfest** succeeded **Andy LeBlanc** as association president. National news awards winners were:

Sam Ross Award (Editorial Commentary)-  
 Digital Media Award  
 Use of Sound  
 Trina McQueen Award (News Information Program)  
 Peter Gzowski Award (Best Information Program, Radio)  
 Charlie Edwards Award (Spot News) TV  
 Charlie Edwards Award (Sport News) Radio  
 Hugh Haugland Award (Creative Use of Video)  
 Ron Laidlaw Award (Continuing Coverage) TV  
 Ron Laidlaw Award (Continuing Coverage) Radio  
 Dave Rogers Award (Short Feature Reporting) TV Small Market  
 Dave Rogers Award (Short Feature Reporting) TV Medium Market  
 Dave Rogers Award (Short Feature Reporting) TV Large Market  
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 Dave Rogers Award (Long Feature Reporting) TV Large Market  
 Dave Rogers Award (Long Feature Reporting) Radio Small Market  
 Dave Rogers Award (Long Feature Reporting) Radio Large Market  
 Dan McArthur Award (In-depth/Investigative) TV  
 Dan McArthur Award (In-depth/Investigative) Radio  
 Gord Sinclair Award TV (Live Special Events) TV  
 Gord Sinclair Award TV (Live Special Events) Radio  
 Adrienne Clarkson Award Diversity TV  
 Adrienne Clarkson Award Diversity Radio  
 Bert Cannings Award (Best Newscast Television) Small Market

Bert Cannings Award (Best Newscast Television) Medium Market  
 Bert Cannings Award (Best Newscast Television) Large Market  
 Byron MacGregor Award (Best Newscast Radio) Small Market  
 Byron MacGregor Award (Best Newscast Radio) Medium Market  
 Byron MacGregor Award (Best Newscast Radio) Large Market

**Terry Scott**, the Director of Broadcasting at **The Canadian Press**, received the **RTDNA President's Award** for his outstanding service. Click <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rps3jPXzfdI> for the tribute video.

**NATIONAL RECIPIENTS**

Jon McComb, **CKNW Vancouver**  
**CBC New Brunswick**  
**CBC Radio Vancouver**  
**CTV Saskatchewan**  
**CJAD Montreal**  
**CP24 Toronto**  
**News Talk 650 CKOM Saskatoon**  
**CTV Montreal**  
**CTV Edmonton**  
**CKNW Vancouver**  
**CKPG Prince George**  
**CTV Regina**  
**Global Toronto**  
**CBC North Yellowknife**  
**News95.7 Halifax**  
**CBC Radio Vancouver**  
**Rogers TV Simcoe County**  
**CTV Regina**  
**CTV Montreal**  
**CBC Radio**  
**CBC Radio Toronto 99.1 FM**  
**CTV Montreal**  
**CBC Radio Calgary**  
**CBC Manitoba**  
**CBC Radio**  
**Global Saskatoon**  
**CBC Calgary**  
**CBC North**

**CTV Barrie**  
**CTV Edmonton**  
**MIX 106.5 Owen Sound**  
**News95.7 Halifax**  
**News1130 Radio Vancouver**

**NETWORK RECIPIENTS**

**CBCNews.ca/Shatila**  
**The Canadian Press**  
**CBC**  
**CBC Radio One**  
**CTV News**  
**The Canadian Press**  
**16x9 The Bigger Picture**  
**Global**  
**CBC News**  
**CBC News: The National**  
  
**CBC News**  
  
**16x9 The Bigger Picture**  
  
**CBC Radio One**  
  
**CTV W5**  
**CBC News**  
**Global**  
**CBC News**  
**CBC News: The National**  
**CBC**  
**CTV National News with Lisa LaFlamme**

**LOOKING:** **Q99 Grande Prairie** - Creative Writer/Producer; **Astral Ottawa** - Retail Sales Manager; **boom 99.7 Ottawa** - Morning Show Host; **Star 96 Pembroke** - On Air Personality; **BIG DOG 92-7 Regina** - Account Executive; **Astral Fort St John** - Account Executive; **CBC Radio Corner Brook** - Reporter/Editor; **CKDR Dryden** - Afternoon Drive Announcer; **Lite 95.3 Calgary** - Afternoon Drive Announcer; **Mix 103.7 Fort McMurray** - Broadcast Engineer; **Q99 Grande Prairie** - Creative Writer/Producer; **Astral Television Networks Toronto** - Research Manager; **Shaw Media Toronto** - Production Executive for History Television, TVtropolis and Global TV; **Global Saskatoon** - Reporter/Anchor; **Dougall Media Thunder Bay** - Videojournalist and a Creative Writer; **CBC Vancouver** - Senior Broadcast Technologist and an Editor (Media Operations & Technology); **CBC Toronto** - Senior Application Developer BI and a Senior Application Developer ETL; and **Accessible Media Toronto** - Managing Editor, AMI Audio.

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