

Pacific media awards

PINA Pacific Media Award winners at the 1995 convention were:

Pacific Information Freedom Award: Anna Solomon, editor-in-chief, *Saturday Independent* (formerly *The Times of PNG*).

Newspaper Design Award: *Fiji Times*.

Television News Journalist of the Year: Jerry Ginua, Papua New Guinea; EM TV.

Newspaper Journalist: Peter Niesi, Papua New Guinea; *Post-Courier*.

Magazine Journalist: Ulafala Aiavao, Western Samoa; *Islands Business*.

Photographer: Asaeli Lave, *Fiji Times*.

Radio News Journalist: Sandhya Narayan, Fiji; FM96/Navtarang.

Young Television News Journalist: Richard Broadbridge, Fiji; Fiji One.

Young Print News Journalist: Sophie Foster; *Fiji Times*.

Young Radio News Journalist: Ofa Kaukimoce, Radio Fiji.

South Pacific Forum Fellowship for Young Journalists: Ofa Kaukimoce, Radio Fiji.

Special awards by the PINA PNG Organising Committee:

Community/Student Newspaper of the Year: *Uni Tavor*, University of PNG.

Television Cameraman: Gerry Kuasi, Papua New Guinea, EM TV.



Theresa Bossin ...
editor of *Uni Tavor*



Pacific Investigative Journalism Award 1995

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and Information in Development, UPNG

Prize: K500 and a certificate.

Criteria:

• An investigative article, television or radio report that has made a significant contribution to Pacific regional public awareness, or changed the public agenda in an individual Pacific nation over an important issue.

• The report must have been published or broadcast in the news media of a South Pacific Forum nation or the French territories, eg New Caledonia and Polynesia, in the 12 months ending February 29, 1996.

• The individual reporter or crew/team must be residents of the above nations or territories.

• Send a cutting of the article, audio cassette or VHS/PAL cassette of the TV report with a statement explaining the investigative circumstances, and a supporting letter from the news broadcaster/publisher editor.

• Judging will be by an investigative panel from the Australian Centre for Independent Journalism, Sydney University of Technology.

• No journalists participating in SPCenCIID's 1995 Investigative Journalism course, or SPCenCIID staff, will be eligible to enter.

Closing date for entries: March 29, 1996.

Send entries to: Pacific Investigative Journalism Award, SPCenCIID, Box 13, Uni PO, NCD, PNG. Tel/Fax: (675) 3267191. Official entry forms available.

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