



# Black British Theatre Awards

Illuminating achievement in the Performing Arts

## **CREATIVES GROUP**

### **BEST PRODUCER**

*Chuchu Nwagu, Red Pitch, Soho Place*  
*Jade Samuels, The Architect, Greenwich and Docklands International Festival*  
*Landé Belo, Ain't I A Woman?, The Tower Theatre*

### **BEST DIRECTOR**

*Dermot Daly, Bullring Techno Makeout Jamz, Royal Court Theatre*  
*Landé Belo, Ain't I A Woman?, The Tower Theatre*  
*Nancy Medina, Choir Boy, Bristol Old Vic*

### **BEST MUSICAL DIRECTOR**

*CeCelia Wickham-Anderson, Jamaica Love, Trafalgar Theatre & Tour*  
*Hannah Ledwidge, No More Mr Nice Guy, Birmingham Rep*  
*Sean Green, MJ The Musical, Prince Edward Theatre*

### **BEST CHOREOGRAPHER OR MOVEMENT DIRECTOR**

*Christopher Tendai, Closer To Heaven, The Turbine Theatre*  
*Lanre Malaolu, Now, I See, Stratford East Theatre*  
*Mthuthuzeli November, The Waiting Game, Ballet Black*

### **BEST DANCE PRODUCTION OR PERFORMER**

*Cycles, Boy Blue, The Barbican Theatre*  
*Ebony Thomas, The Waiting Game, Ballet Black*  
*Monique Jonas, Romeo and Juliet, Sadler's Wells Theatre*

## **RECOGNITION GROUP (BODY OF WORK) AWARDS**

### **BEST LIGHTING DESIGN**

*Joshie Harriette*  
*Ryan Day*  
*Simisola Majekodunmi*

### **BEST SOUND DESIGN**

*Khalil Madovi*  
*Tony Gayle*  
*Xana*

**THEATRE DESIGN**

*Debbie Duru*  
*Georgia Wilmot*  
*Jessica Cabassa*

**BOOK AND LYRICS**

*Anoushka Lucas*  
*DK Fashola*  
*Lady Lykez*

**BEST PLAYWRIGHT**

*Lucie Lutte*  
*Siana Bangura*  
*Tobi King Bakare*

**BEST CASTING DIRECTOR**

*Selma Nicholls*  
*Heather Basten*  
*Isabella Odoffin*

**PLAY AWARDS**

**BEST MALE LEAD ACTOR IN A PLAY**

*Christopher Mbaki, Before I Go, Brixton House*  
*Neil Reidman, Without, The Omnibus Theatre Courtyard Theatre*  
*Terique Jarrett, Choir Boy, Bristol Old Vic*

**BEST FEMALE LEAD ACTOR IN A PLAY**

*Ellena Vincent, The Book of Grace, Arcola Theatre*  
*Francesca Amewudah-Rivers, Romeo & Juliet, The Duke of York's Theatre*  
*Tiwa Lade, My Father's Fable, The Bush Theatre*

**BEST SUPPORTING MALE ACTOR IN A PLAY**

*Branden Cook, Skeleton Crew, Donmar Warehouse*  
*Frank Skully, Kiss, Marry, Kill, Dante or Die - Tour*  
*Joshua-Alexander Williams, Romeo & Juliet, The Duke of York's Theatre*

**BEST SUPPORTING FEMALE ACTOR IN A PLAY**

*Adele James, Underdog: The Other Other Brontë, The National Theatre*  
*Freema Agyeman, Romeo & Juliet, The Duke of York's Theatre*  
*Mia Jerome, Romeo & Juliet, The Duke of York's Theatre*

**BEST PRODUCTION - PLAY**

*Ain't I A Woman?, The Tower Theatre*  
*Choir Boy, Bristol Old Vic*  
*Swim, Aunty, Swim!, Belgrade Theatre*

**MUSICAL AWARDS**

**BEST MALE LEAD ACTOR IN A MUSICAL**

*Ivano Turco, Everybody's Talking About Jamie, Tour*  
*Layton Williams, Cabaret, The Kit Kat Club*  
*Owen Chaponda, The Lion King, The Lyceum*

**BEST FEMALE LEAD ACTOR IN A MUSICAL**

*Jenny Fitzpatrick, Oliver, Leeds Playhouse*

*Karis Anderson, TINA - The Tina Turner Musical, The Aldwych Theatre*

*Rhianne-Louise McCaulsky, Cruel Intentions - The '90s Musical, The Other Palace*

**BEST SUPPORTING MALE ACTOR IN A MUSICAL**

*Ashley Campbell, Just For One Day, The Old Vic*

*Marley Fenton, The Wizard of Oz, Norwich Theatre Royal*

*Michael Ahomka-Lindsay, Cabaret, The Kit Kat Club*

**BEST SUPPORTING FEMALE ACTOR IN A MUSICAL**

*Elèna Gyasi, Mean Girls, Savoy Theatre*

*Phebe Edwards, MJ The Musical, Prince Edward Theatre*

*Raphaella Philbert, The Lion King, The Lyceum*

**BEST MUSICAL PRODUCTION**

*Jamaica Love, UK Tour*

*MJ The Musical, Prince Edward Theatre*

*TINA - The Tina Turner Musical, The Aldwych Theatre*

**CHAMPION AWARDS**

**BEST CHILD PERFORMER (UNDER 16)**

*Dylan Trigger, MJ the Musical, Prince Edward Theatre*

*Janai Bartlett, TINA - The Tina Turner Musical, The Aldwych Theatre*

*Mia-Nicole Alexander, The Lion King, The Lyceum*

**BEST NON BINARY PERFORMER**

*Claudia Kariuki*

*Phoebe Campbell*

*Sam Crerar*

**LGBTQIA+ CHAMPION**

*Ivano Turco*

*Layton Williams*

**DISABILITY CHAMPION**

*Chris Fonseca*

*Linseigh Green*

*Matilda Feyişayọ Ibini*

**ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS**

**BEST TEACHER**

*Dannika Dudfield, Soar Performance Academy*

*Kamara Gray, Artistry Youth Dance*

*Nadine Kennedy Wood, NDC College*

**BEST GRADUATE**

*Joshua Alexander-Williams, Romeo & Juliet, ArtsEd*

*Kwamé Kandekore, MJ The Musical, Emil Dale Academy*

*Sedona Sky, Heathers the Musical, ArtsEd*

**LORD Michael Hastings of Scarisbrick AWARD**

*Shanay Holmes and Chris Steward, West End Musical Productions*

**FOUNDERS CHOICE AWARD**

*Danny Sapani, King Lear, Almeida Theatre*

**LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**

*Namron OBE*