



64<sup>e</sup> FESTIVAL DE TELEVISION  
DE MONTE-CARLO

#MonteCarloTVFestival

**64TH MONTE-CARLO TELEVISION FESTIVAL  
ANNOUNCES GOLDEN NYMPH AWARD JURY MEMBERS,  
EXTENSIVE RANGE OF NOMINATIONS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE  
FOR THE GOLDEN NYMPH AWARDS  
AND REVEALS FESTIVAL PROGRAM**

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**Festival Executive Director, Cécile Menoni** has today confirmed the Jury Presidents and Members for this year's prestigious Golden Nymph Awards at the **64<sup>th</sup> Monte-Carlo Television Festival**, which takes place **13-17 June at the Grimaldi Forum**.

**Judith Light**, known for her extensive body of work onstage, as well as in television and film will preside as **President of the Fiction Jury**. She will be joined by jury members **Rachel Griffiths** – Australian actress renowned for the diversity of her career in both film and television, **Sarah Rafferty** – Emmy-nominated actress best known for her starring role as the iconic Donna Paulson in *Suits*, **Gabrielle Lazure** – theatre, film and television actress and singer and songwriter, **Eriq Ebouaney** – renowned film and television actor currently performing in *Edmond* by Alexis Michalik, **Brendan Fitzgerald** – CEO of Secuoya Studios in Spain and **John Reardon** – Canadian actor well known for his role as Blake Lavolette in *Arctic Air*.

Journalist, director, presenter and producer **Mireille Dumas** is **President of the News and Documentaries Jury**. Members of this jury include **Ross Kemp** – BAFTA award-winning documentary maker, actor and author, **Mohammed Al-Hamadi** – Manager of Documentaries in Aljazeera English in charge of the strands Witness and Aljazeera World, **Dr. Gabi Biesinger** – UK-correspondent for national German Broadcaster ARD, **Daniel Karslake** – award-winning American film, theatre and television writer/director/producer and **Diego Buñuel** – French journalist best known for his documentary series *Don't Tell My Mother I'm In...*

### Jury Members

<https://www.tvfestival.com/en/competition/juries>

Both juries will be presented on stage to **H.S.H. Prince Albert II of Monaco** and an invited audience at the Festival's Opening Ceremony on Friday 13 June. They will begin screening the Official Selection of **18 programs from 12 countries** — including **four world premieres, seven international premieres** and **two french premieres** — with their decision on the ultimate winners taking place in real time in Monaco. Laureates will be presented with their Golden Nymphs on Tuesday 17 June in the Salle des Princes.

### Official Selection

<https://www.tvfestival.com/en/competition/nominees>

A host of immersive public events will take place throughout the 64th edition of the Monte-Carlo Television Festival. From screenings, celebrity meet-and-greets, autograph sessions, and selfies – this year's Festival promises an exciting program.

All nominated programs in the **Fiction Category**, along with the winner of the **Prince Rainier III Special Prize**, will be available for public screening at Monaco's Grimaldi Forum. In addition, special out-of-competition screenings are also scheduled, including the premiere of *Mort sur terre battue*, a French crime drama directed by **Denis Mallevat** and produced by **Jean-Baptiste Neyrac**, in the presence of the two lead actors, **Yannick Noah** and **Florent Peyre**.

A major highlight will be the **exclusive French presentation** of *AKRIS – Fashion With a Heritage*, the new documentary by acclaimed filmmaker **Reiner Holzemer**.

Premiering at the Tribeca Film Festival in New York on June 9, the film follows Akris Creative Director **Albert Kriemler** over a two-year period, offering rare behind-the-scenes access to his creative process. This marks the first time in his four decades at the helm of the family-run fashion house that Kriemler has opened his atelier to cameras.

Fans will also enjoy **autograph sessions** with stars from *Un Si Grand Soleil*, *Demain nous appartient*, hit shows by **Wolf Entertainment** (*Chicago Fire*, *Chicago P.D.*), cast members of the cult series *Teen Wolf*, as well as long-running soaps such as *The Bold and the Beautiful* and *The Young and the Restless*. A special **fan meet-up** will celebrate the 15th anniversary of beloved comedy *Scènes de Ménages* with its iconic couples.

One of the most anticipated moments will be the **launch event for M6's brand-new daily drama, *Nouveau Jour***, featuring a dedicated conference with the lead cast.

Finally, official Festival make-up partner **SLA Paris** will once again host interactive beauty activations for the public on the Grimaldi Forum esplanade, complete with fully equipped make-up stations.

**Festival Executive Director Cécile Menoni** comments, "*We have always made sure that the Monte-Carlo Television Festival evolves as quickly as the incredibly fast-paced international entertainment industry it represents. We're thrilled the phenomenal momentum we have built over the years now makes it one of the 'must-attend' events in the international Festival calendar for everyone - creatives, talent, industry executives and, of course, the public.*"

## Programme

<https://www.tvfestival.com/en/programme>

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### About Monte-Carlo Television Festival

*Originally created by Prince Rainier III of Monaco, and now under the High Patronage of H.S.H. Prince Albert II of Monaco, the Monte-Carlo Television Festival has, for more than sixty years, presented the very best of television from around the world. The Festival has also been at the forefront in showcasing the highly talented professionals associated with many of the most successful programs in the history of the medium.*

*Celebrities, producers, directors, writers and heads of studios, networks and digital platforms gather in June every year to attend series launches, premiere screenings, conferences, press activities, public events, VIP meetings and signing sessions. Culminating with a unique competition, which celebrates and honours fiction, news and current affairs programming with the prestigious Golden Nymph Awards, the Monte-Carlo Television Festival is recognized as one of the finest Festivals in the world, enhanced even further by its location in the magical Principality of Monaco.*

**[Check out the historical press kit of the Monte-Carlo Television Festival](#)**