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### **Horticultural Media Association Australia Laurel Awards 2018**

The 2018 HMAA Laurel Awards were announced at a prestigious dinner attended by some 125 members and guests in Melbourne on Tuesday March 20, the eve of the Melbourne International Flower & Garden Show. The winners are:

**Book Laurel** - AB Bishop and Angus Stewart for *The Australian Native Garden*

**Blog Laurel** - Tim Entwisle for *Talking Plants*

**Image Laurel** - Penny Woodward for *Bunch of Garlic*

**Magazine Laurel** - Jenny Baldwin for *Gardening Australia*

**Video Laurel** - Adam Woodhams for *How to escape-proof your agapanthus*

**Article Laurel** - Phil Dudman for *Garden Crimes*

**Website Laurel** - Graham Ross for *gardenclinic.com*

**Audio Laurel** - Deryn Thorpe and Steve Wood for *All the Dirt podcasts*

**Television Laurel** - Michael McCoy for *Dream Gardens*

The HMAA also awards Honour Laurels, which celebrate members who have made significant contributions to horticultural media.

**The Anita Boucher Outstanding Achievement Award 2018** was presented to Jennifer Stackhouse



This year, there were two recipients of the **Gold Laurel 'Hall of Fame'**:



Annette McFarlane

AND



Angus Stewart

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