



A KALEIDOSCOPE OF CHAOS & CONNECTION





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We used to think our industry changed fast.

Ha.

Welcome to our new way of life

where the shifting never stops.

Robots. Socials. Endless creation platforms.

New voices. Surreal. Spinning.

Our question is always this:

what can we make of it?

We look on with optimism because we are the innovation.

We are the ones who find the

alignment and the breakthroughs.

Imaginative and celebratory is the lens

through which we eternally gaze

Seeing colors where others don't.

As a creative community, we are kaleidoscopes

within this big, wild kaleidoscope world.

We live the shift

chasing that beautiful, eerie eclipse moment when everything just

aligns.

It only happens every once in a while.

And no one else can appreciate it like a fellow creative.

So tonight, just tonight,

**Everything stops** 

We peer with wonder at what we've created

and we drink it all in.









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# FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Dear Fellow Creative Leaders,

This past year, your imagination, resilience, and passion for the craft have been nothing short of inspiring. As we gather to celebrate the 2025 ADDYs, we are reminded that great ideas don't just tell stories—they shape our world. Despite obstacles and challenges, you, the heartbeat of Cincinnati's advertising and marketing community, have continued to push boundaries, create unforgettable work, and elevate the art of communication.

Tonight, we celebrate not just the work but the vibrant community that makes it all possible—our talented entrants, insightful judges, dedicated members, generous sponsors, and steadfast supporters. You are the driving force behind the Greater Cincinnati creative spirit, and AdClub is proud to stand beside you.

We extend our deepest gratitude to our individual and corporate members, as well as our incredible sponsors. Your continued partnership, involvement, and support make this organization possible. Because of you, we can provide access to resources, mentorship, and opportunities that help our creative community thrive.

At the Cincinnati AdClub, we remain committed to elevating our programming—bringing you relevant content, meaningful connections, and opportunities that enrich your career. This is a value our members have come to rely on, and we will continue to deliver.

Let's continue to be a force of opportunity and resilience, as we, together, nurture and develop our collective creative community, curating a better, more beautiful tomorrow.

Creatively Yours,

Katy Martinez President, AdClub Cincinnati





# **EDDIE SUN**

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# TOM O'BRIEN

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# JAN ZISLIN

**Executive Producer, Havas** 

He is a multifaceted creative with a strong design background and a passion for making. With over 15 years of experience in the industry, he has worked in both US and international markets across a wide range of sectors, including consumer packaged goods, home care, SAS, food and beverage, and more. Prior to joining GoDaddy, he refined his expertise at leading agencies, focusing on user interface design and digital campaigns for countless products found in homes everywhere.

A prolific and perception writer, Colleen's super-power is her ability to project herself into her consumer's mindset. Listening to and processing what people say and do is fast-track to breakthrough work. Her career includes long stints at Grey and Havas, working on all sorts of products from Sargento to Cover Girl to Downy. Her unique experience in skincare, both in the beauty and pharma arenas, led to a year-long yet fruitful stint at FCB Health where she helmed the launch of Litfulo, the Pfizer alopecia areata treatment

As an award-winning creative and strategic leader, my talents have contributed to the success of many Fortune 500 accounts, including Marriott, TJMaxx, MaybellineNY, L'Oreal, RedLobster, Olive Garden, Advil/Pfizer, 3M, Allergan, Kmart, Bridgestone/Firestone, Ethan Allen, General Mills, Playtex, Procter & Gamble among many. In addition to leading large teams, Ron has participated in client-facing efforts with Grey Global which resulted in over \$80MM in new and organic growth. Other agency experience includes creative directorships at Saatchi & Saatchi Worldwide, McCann Erickson, and Young & Rubicam.

Tom O'Brien is a global advertising executive and managing partner of the international creative agency, Lovebite S.L., in Barcelona, Spain. He has has helped develop iconic brands for many of the world's most demanding marketers like Unilever, Procter & Gamble, Burger King, Mattel and Coca-Cola. He was Global Business Director at LOLA MullenLowe's Madrid office and before that, he was Global Executive Vice President and head of operations for Europe at WPP's GREY group. With GREY, Tom held international account management & strategic positions in New York, Mexico City, Brussels, Paris and Madrid. Tom began his career in New York and Boston at McCann and Hill, Holliday. He will always be a New Jersey shore boy at heart, but he is completely "enganchado" by life in Spain where he has made his home for the last 20 years

Producing is my passion, my craft, my life. Throughout my career as an Executive Producer and Producer, I've managed numerous clients, including UPMC (University of Pittsburgh Medical Center), Pfizer, Domino's Pizza, 3M, GSK, Eli Lilly, ConAgra, Kraft Foods, Unilever, Boehringer Ingelheim, Procter & Gamble, Darden Restaurants, Parker Brothers, and Kmart. My deep industry and institutional knowledge, coupled with my ability to deliver complex projects on time and on budget while maintaining each project's creative integrity, makes me a "go to" producer among my peers and clients.

# SPECIAL THANKS TO:

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The American Advertising Awards is the advertising industry's largest and most representative competition, attracting nearly 35,000 entries each year in local American Advertising Federation competitions.

The AAF's annual local tier is the first of a three-tier, national competition. Concurrently, across the country, local entrants vie to receive an ADDY Award—recognition as the very best in their market. At the second tier, local winners compete against winners from other local clubs in one of 15 district competitions. District winners are then forwarded to the third tier, the national stage of the American Advertising Awards.

Entering the American Advertising Awards supports the entire advertising industry, because the AAF and its local and district affiliates use the proceeds to enhance advertising through programs such as public service, internships, advocacy groups, advertising education, and consumer awareness.

The mission of the American Advertising Awards is to recognize and reward the creative spirit of excellence in the art of advertising.



# WINNERS



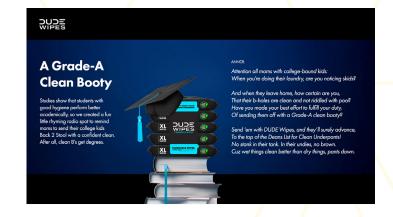
**Dude Wipes Back 2 School Radio**Advertiser: **Dude Wipes** 

Film, Video, & Sound > Audio/Radio Advertising > 030 - Audio/Radio Advertising - Regional/National > 030A - Single Spot :30 seconds or less

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Matt Cragnolin, Group Creative Director
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Kelly Kinane, VP Client Partnership
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## **Harris Media Co**

When We Got the Call

Advertiser: LifeCenter Organ Donor Network

Corporate Social Responsibility > Film, Video & Sound > 075 - Corporate Social Responsibility Film, Video & Sound

#### Credits:

Rudy Harris, Director
Lindsey Hopkins, Editor
Shane Harrison, Director of Photography
Lindsey Brunner, Executive Producer
Siri Imani, Writer + Spoken Word Artist



#### Harris Media Co

This Little Light

Advertiser: NewPath Child and Family Solutions

Elements of Advertising > Sound > 057 - Music > 057B - Music With Lyrics—Single

#### Credits:

Rudy Harris, Director Ryan Neltner, Creative Director Lindsey Hopkins, Editor, Colorist, and VFX Jake Motz, Producer Shane Harrison, Production Coordinator



#### **Content House**

Gillette - Right vs. Left Armpit Advertiser: Gillette Deodorant

Film, Video, & Sound > Audio/Radio Advertising > 030 - Audio/Radio Advertising -Regional/National > 030C - Campaign

#### Credits:

Will Adam, Executive Creative Director



# Curiosity

Dingle Bells Audio Spot Advertiser: Dude Wipes

Film, Video, & Sound > Audio/Radio Advertising > 030 - Audio/Radio Advertising - Regional/National > 030A - Single Spot :30 seconds or less

#### **Credits:**

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## **Grey Midwest**

Hoffman, Hoffman, Hoffman & Hoffman Advertiser: PracticePanther

Elements of Advertising > Visual > 053 - Art Direction > 053A - Art Direction—Single

#### Credits:

Adam Kahn, Chief Creative Officer Christopher Reintz, Chief Client Officer Kathy Liu, Chief Strategy Officer Peter Herbert, Associate Creative Director Mark Van Patten, Associate Creative Director Lindsey Mai, Sr. Project Manager Gabriel Schmitt, Global Chief Creative Officer Diego Medvedocky, Global Creative Partner Maru Sokolowski, Global Head of Creative Excellence Thiago Cruz, Chief Creative Officer James McPherson, Chief Production Officer Sheri Lutz, VP/Head of Production Operations Tim Hamilton, Director Karen Tameanko, Executive Producer David Cea, Editor Ryan Spalazzi, SVP/Head of Creative Content Rick Hoffman, Principal Talent Mayowa Oyebadejo, VP of Marketing Sam Alkoubey, Director of Sales



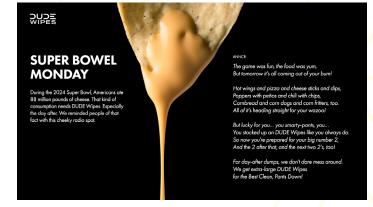
# Curiosity

**Dude Wipes Super Bowl Radio** Advertiser: **Dude Wipes** 

Film, Video, & Sound > Audio/Radio Advertising > 030 - Audio/Radio Advertising - Regional/National > 030A - Single Spot :30 seconds or less

#### Credits:

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Shiny Hiney Christmas Audio Camp. Advertiser: Dude Wipes

Film, Video, & Sound > Audio/Radio Advertising > 030 - Audio/Radio Advertising -Regional/National > 030C - Campaign

#### Credits:

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Tate Webb, Editor



# Curiosity

Play Audio, Audio

Up in Your Bumhole Audio Spot Advertiser: Dude Wipes

Elements of Advertising > Copywriting > 048 - Copywriting

#### **Credits:**

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Matt Cragnolin, Group Creative Director
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Laura Matthews, VP Client Partnership
Leah Zimmer, Associate Director, Client
Partnership
Maya Stoffer, Associate Project Manager
Mandy Russell, Program Supervisor
Tate Webb, Editor
Play Audio, Audio



## **Harris Media Co**

When We Got the Call

Advertiser: LifeCenter Organ Donor Network

Elements of Advertising > Film & Video > 056 - Video Editing

#### Credits:

Rudy Harris, Director
Lindsey Hopkins, Editor
Shane Harrison, Director of Photography
Lindsey Brunner, Executive Producer
Siri Imani, Writer + Spoken Word Artist



#### Harris Media Co

This Little Light
Advertiser: NewPath Child and Family
Solutions

Film, Video, & Sound > Branded Content & Entertainment > 038 - Branded Content & Entertainment - Non-Broadcast

#### Credits:

Rudy Harris, Director Ryan Neltner, Creative Director Lindsey Hopkins, Editor, Colorist, and VFX Jake Motz, Producer Shane Harrison, Production Coordinator



# Kroger

**Tiny Kitchen** Advertiser: **Kroger** 

Online/Interactive > Social Media > 022 - Social Media > 022B - Campaign

#### Credits

Leroy Groh, Executive Creative Director Emily Howard, Social Media Lead David Rhodenbaugh, Copy Director Emmalee Smith, Social Media Specialist Stephanie Weingartner, Creative Director Howard Kennedy, Senior Producer



# Curiosity

Up in Your Bumhole Audio Spot Advertiser: Dude Wipes

Film, Video, & Sound > Audio/Radio Advertising > 030 - Audio/Radio Advertising - Regional/National > 030A - Single Spot :30 seconds or less

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Matt Cragnolin, Group Creative Director
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Laura Matthews, VP Client Partnership
Leah Zimmer, Associate Director, Client
Partnership
Maya Stoffer, Associate Project Manager
Mandy Russell, Program Supervisor
Tate Webb, Editor
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**Deck the Stalls Audio Spot** Advertiser: **Dude Wipes** 

Film, Video, & Sound > Audio/Radio Advertising > 030 - Audio/Radio Advertising - Regional/National > 030A - Single Spot :30 seconds or less

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Matt Cragnolin, Group Creative Director
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Laura Matthews, VP Client Partnership
Leah Zimmer, Associate Director, Client
Partnership
Maya Stoffer, Associate Project Manager

Mandy Russell, Program Supervisor

Tate Webb, Editor Play Audio, Audio



# **PLAY Audio Agency**

PLAY IT: Doscher's Candies Advertiser: PLAY Audio Agency

Advertising/Media Industry Self-Promotion > Film, Video & Sound > 102 - Advertising Industry Self-Promotion Film, Video & Sound

#### Credits:

Dan Carruthers, CEO & Executive Producer Ann Driscoll, Project Director Drew Marcum, Composer & Sound Design Adam Pleiman, Creative Director Brian Jasin, Videographer



Dingle Bells Audio Spot Advertiser: Dude Wipes

Elements of Advertising > Copywriting > 048 - Copywriting

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
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#### **OddBeast**

AdClub - Addys 2024 Opening Film Advertiser: AdClub Cincinnati

Film, Video, & Sound > Online Film, Video, and Sound > 033 - Internet Commercial > 033A -Single Spot – Any Length

#### Credits

Kevin Gautraud, Director and Animation Michael Brookbank, Senior Producer Liam Conway, Animator Play Audio Agency, Sound Design



# Kroger

This Is Zero Hunger | Zero Waste Advertiser: Kroger

Corporate Social Responsibility > Film, Video & Sound > 075 - Corporate Social Responsibility Film, Video & Sound

#### Credits:

Leroy Groh, Executive Creative Director Chris Willig, Director/Producer Dan Roark, Cinematographer Andrew Brown, Cinematographer Matt Holwick, Cinematographer Matt Wade, Assistant Camera Jonathan Marasco, Editor Tanner Segbers, Field Audio Nick Donnelly, Music Kate Mosure, Assistant Brand Manager Karrie Pukstas, Senior Brand Manager Jonathan Adams, Art Director Emily Keough, Copy Director Lauren Wolverton, Production Director Lea Artz, Senior Producer Chris Rice, Creative Director Julie Pattersonholland, Head of Production



#### Harris Media Co

This Little Light

Advertiser: NewPath Child and Family Solutions

Elements of Advertising > Film & Video > 056 - Video Editing

#### Credits:

Rudy Harris, Director Ryan Neltner, Creative Director Lindsey Hopkins, Editor, Colorist, and VFX Jake Motz, Producer Shane Harrison, Production Coordinator



**Buzzed Driving is Drunk Driving** Advertiser: **NHTSA & Ad Council** 

Public Service > Film, Video & Sound > 088 - Public Service Campaign

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Jane Manchester, Creative Director
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Stefanie Spiegel, Producer
Sam Huerkamp, Director, Client Partnership
Daniel Patton, Client Partnership
Jane Tsivitse, Director Program Management
Matt Bieler, Director
Magna Studios, Production
Barking Owl - Elizabeth McClanahan, Sound
Design



#### **Harris Media Co**

Our City Saves Lives
Advertiser: LifeCenter Organ Donor Network

Public Service > Film, Video & Sound > 088 - Public Service Campaign

#### Credits:

Shane Harrison, Director/Director of Photgraphy Max Vanden Enyden, Editor Lindsey Brunner, Executive Producer Jake Motz, Producer



Mini Pooper

Advertiser: Dude Wipes

Out-of-Home & Ambient Media > Ambient Media > 015 - Guerrilla Marketing

#### Credits

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Matt Cragnolin, Group Creative Director
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Anthony Trimpe, Creative Director, Social
Danielle Schuster, Photo/Video
Kelly Kinane, Group Director, Client
Partnership
Leah Zimmer, Associate Director, Client
Partnership

Mandy Russell, Program Supervisor
Maya Stoffer, Associate Project Manager



# Curiosity

**Deck the Stalls Audio Spot** Advertiser: **Dude Wipes** 

Elements of Advertising > Copywriting > 048 - Copywriting

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
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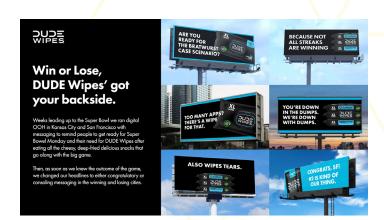
**Dude Wipes Super Bowl OOH** Advertiser: **Dude Wipes** 

Out-of-Home & Ambient Media > Out-of-Home > 019 - Outdoor Board > 019D - Outdoor Board Campaign

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
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Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Kelly Kinane, VP Client Partnership
Leah Zimmer, Associate Director, Client
Partnership

Maya Stoffer, Associate Project Manager Mandy Russell, Program Supervisor Tricia Wolfer, Director Direct Partnerships



#### Harris Media Co

Care Is Real Advertiser: Kroger

Film, Video, & Sound > Branded Content & Entertainment > 039 - Branded Content & Entertainment Campaign

#### Credits:

Colleen Lindholz, President, Kroger Health Jane Dierkers, Senior Brand Innovation Manager Yvonne Starkey-Posey, Senior Brand Manager Andrew Yunker, Brand Building Coordinator Emily Howard, Social Lead, Kroger Emmalee Smith, Social Media Specialist Leroy Groh, Executive Creative Director Raymond Elfers, Creative Director Chris Flanary, Art Director Jonathan Adams, Art Director Emily Keough, Copy Director Adam Easterling, Copywriter Lauren Wolverton, Production Director Maureen Nelson, Senior Producer Brent Faria, Creative Coordinator Rudy Harris, Director Ryan Neltner, Creative Director Lindsey Brunner, Executive Producer Lindsey Hopkins, Editor



#### **Content House**

Secret Deodorant Olympic Rugby Team Advertiser: Secret Deodorant

Film, Video, & Sound > Branded Content & Entertainment > 039 - Branded Content & Entertainment Campaign

#### Credits:

Will Adam, Executive Creative Director



# **Black Tent, LLC**

Hózhó (Walking in Beauty) Advertiser: Procter & Gamble

Elements of Advertising > Film & Video > 056 - Video Editing

#### Credits:

Steve Kirschner, Creative Director Flint Wenstrup, Director of Photography Adam Kirk, Cinematagrapher Stacie Whitaker, Producer



#### Harris Media Co

Care Is Real Advertiser: Kroger

Film, Video, & Sound > Online Film, Video, and Sound > 035 - Webisode(s) > 035B - Series

#### Credits

Colleen Lindholz, President, Kroger Health Jane Dierkers, Senior Brand Innovation Manager Yvonne Starkey-Posey, Senior Brand Manager Andrew Yunker, Brand Building Coordinator Emily Howard, Social Lead, Kroger Emmalee Smith, Social Media Specialist Leroy Groh, Executive Creative Director Raymond Elfers, Creative Director Chris Flanary, Art Director Jonathan Adams, Art Director Emily Keough, Copy Director Adam Easterling, Copywriter Lauren Wolverton, Production Director Maureen Nelson, Senior Producer Brent Faria, Creative Coordinator Rudy Harris, Director Ryan Neltner, Creative Director Lindsey Brunner, Executive Producer Lindsey Hopkins, Editor



# **Harris Media Co**

This Little Light

Advertiser: NewPath Child and Family Solutions

Elements of Advertising > Film & Video > 054 - Cinematography > 054A - Cinematography— Single

#### Credits:

Rudy Harris, Director Ryan Neltner, Creative Director Lindsey Hopkins, Editor, Colorist, and VFX Jake Motz, Producer Shane Harrison, Production Coordinator











# **Grey Midwest**

Hoffman, Hoffman, Hoffman & Hoffman Advertiser: PracticePanther

Film, Video, & Sound > Online Film, Video, and Sound > 033 - Internet Commercial > 033A -Single Spot – Any Length

#### Credits:

Adam Kahn, Chief Creative Officer Christopher Reintz, Chief Client Officer Kathy Liu, Chief Strategy Officer Peter Herbert, Associate Creative Director Mark Van Patten, Associate Creative Director Lindsey Mai, Sr. Project Manager Gabriel Schmitt, Global Chief Creative Officer Diego Medvedocky, Global Creative Partner Maru Sokolowski, Global Head of Creative Excellence Thiago Cruz, Chief Creative Officer James McPherson, Chief Production Officer Sheri Lutz, VP/Head of Production Operations Tim Hamilton, Director Karen Tameanko, Executive Producer David Cea, Editor Ryan Spalazzi, SVP/Head of Creative Content Rick Hoffman, Principal Talent

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## Lightborne

BLINK Music Hall: The Elision Advertiser: Cincinnati USA Regional Chamber

Out-of-Home & Ambient Media > Ambient Media > 017 - Events > 017A - Single Event

#### Credits:

Ryan McAllister, Executive Creative Director
Jared Ziegler, Senior Designer/Animator
Rob Engel, Senior Designer/Animator
Lee Hoffman, Senior Designer/Technical Director
Andy Erb, Designer/Animator
Bryan Johnson, Designer/Animator
Austin Wydra, Designer/Animator
Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, Original
Musical Composition
Kayla Josey, Lead Music Producer
Austin Winters, Producer



# **Grey Midwest**

Hoffman, Hoffman, Hoffman & Hoffman Advertiser: PracticePanther

Elements of Advertising > Copywriting > 048 - Copywriting

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## **OddBeast**

Hello Sunday + Sephora Collab Advertiser: Hello Sunday

Online/Interactive > Social Media > 022 - Social Media > 022A - Single Execution

#### Credits:

**Kevin Gautraud,** Animator **Ronny Young,** EP



# **Grey Midwest**

Hoffman, Hoffman, Hoffman & Hoffman Advertiser: PracticePanther

Film, Video, & Sound > Online Film, Video, and Sound > 033 - Internet Commercial > 033B - Campaign

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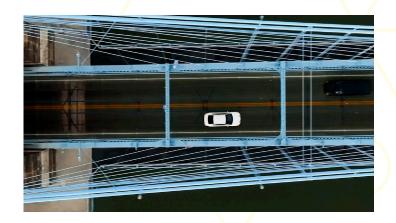
#### PLAY IT:

Advertiser: PLAY Audio Agency

Advertising/Media Industry Self-Promotion > Campaigns > 104 - Advertising Industry Self-Promotion Campaigns > 104A - Single-Medium Campaign

#### **Credits:**

Dan Carruthers, CEO // Executive Producer Ann Driscoll, Project Director Drew Marcum, Composer & Sound Design Adam Pleiman, Creative Director Brian Jasin, Videographer



# **Grey Midwest**

Hoffman, Hoffman, Hoffman & Hoffman Advertiser: PracticePanther

Elements of Advertising > Film & Video > 056 - Video Editing

#### **Credits:**

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Advertiser: PLAY Audio Agency

Advertising/Media Industry Self-Promotion > Film, Video & Sound > 102 - Advertising Industry Self-Promotion Film, Video & Sound

#### Credits:

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# Curiosity

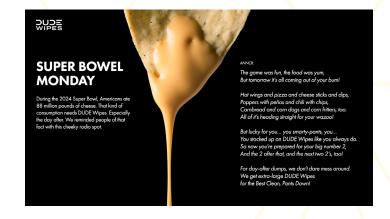
**Dude Wipes Super Bowl Radio** Advertiser: **Dude Wipes** 

Elements of Advertising > Copywriting > 048 - Copywritingt

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Mandy Russell, Program Supervisor

Tricia Wolfer, Director Direct Partnerships



#### **SnellBeast**

Kings from Queens:The Run DMC Story Advertiser: Peacock

Elements of Advertising > Film & Video > 055 - Animation, Special Effects, Motion Graphics, or CGI > 055A - Animation, Special Effects or Motion Graphics

#### Credits:

Jason Snell, Art Direction & Creative Production



# Lightborne

Newfields "Harvest Nights"

Advertiser: Newfields/Indianapolis Museum of Art

Out-of-Home & Ambient Media > Ambient Media > 016 - Installations > 016B - Multiple Installations

#### Credits:

Scott Durban, Executive Producer Ryan McAllister, Executive Creative Director Justin Lee, Senior Designer/Technical Director Kurt Koch, Associate Creative Director **Duncan Friend, Associate Creative Director** Rob Engel, Senior Designer/Animator Jared Ziegler, Senior Designer/Animator Andy Erb, Designer/Animator Erica Lombardo, Designer/Animator Austin Lutz, Designer/Animator Nathan Mysona, Designer/Animator Gregor Zimmermann, Designer/Animator Riann Wiggins, Head of Production Austin Winters, Producer Elizabeth Carrigan, Associate Producer Brad Grawe, Senior Editor Ryan Elliott, DP/Colorist Jonathan Kilberg, Assistant Editor



Shiny Hiney Christmas Advertiser: Dude Wipes

Film, Video, & Sound > Branded Content & Entertainment > 036 - Branded Content & Entertainment For Online Film, Video & Sound > 036B - Single entry – more than :60 seconds

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
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# Curiosity

Shiny Hiney Christmas Campaign Advertiser: Dude Wipes

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Matt Cragnolin, Group Creative Director

Film, Video, & Sound > Branded Content & Entertainment > 039 - Branded Content & Entertainment Campaign

#### Credits:

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Tate Webb, Editor
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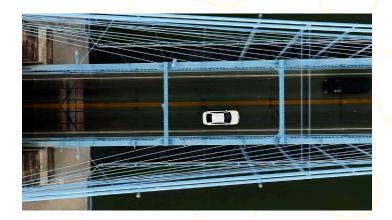
# **PLAY Audio Agency**

PLAY IT: Roebling Suspension Bridge Advertiser: PLAY Audio Agency

Advertising/Media Industry Self-Promotion > Film, Video & Sound > 102 - Advertising Industry Self-Promotion Film, Video & Sound

#### Credits:

Dan Carruthers, CEO & Executive Producer Ann Driscoll, Project Director Drew Marcum, Composer & Sound Design Adam Pleiman, Creative Director Brian Jasin, Videographer



# **Black Tent, LLC**

Hózhó (Walking in Beauty)
Advertiser: Procter & Gamble

Public Service > Film, Video & Sound > 086 - Public Service Online Film, Video & Sound

#### **Credits:**

Steve Kirschner, Creative Director Flint Wenstrup, Director of Photography Adam Kirk, Cinematagrapher Stacie Whitaker, Producer



**Dude Wipes Side-By-Side Demo Series** Advertiser: **Dude Wipes** 

Film, Video, & Sound > Online Film, Video, and Sound > 033 - Internet Commercial > 033B -Campaign

#### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Matt Cragnolin, Group Creative Director
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Kelly Kinane, VP Client Partnership
Leah Zimmer, Associate Director Client
Partnership
Maya Stoffer, Associate Project Manager
Mandy Russell, Program Supervisor
Tricia Wolfer, Director Direct Partnerships
Drive Media House, Production
Jeff Barklage, Director
Sara Kinney, Producer



#### **Drive Media House**

2025 Demo Reel

Advertiser: Drive Media House

Advertising/Media Industry Self-Promotion > Film, Video & Sound > 102 - Advertising Industry Self-Promotion Film, Video & Sound

#### Credits:

Morgan Chamberlain, Editor Stephen Sargent, Producer Brando Triantafillou, Sound Design/Mix Jack Blair, Sound Mix Dave McMuray, Executive Producer



### **PLAY Audio Agency**

### A New World

Advertiser: American Advertising Federation

Elements of Advertising > Sound > 059 -Sound Design > 059A - Sound Design—Single

### Credits:

Dan Carruthers, CEO & Executive Producer Ann Driscoll, Project Director Adam Pleiman, Creative Director Drew Marcum, Sound Designer



### **Black Tent, LLC**

Hózhó (Walking in Beauty) Advertiser: Procter & Gamble

Film, Video, & Sound > Online Film, Video, and Sound > 033 - Internet Commercial > 033A -Single Spot – Any Length

### Credits:

Steve Kirschner, Creative Director Flint Wenstrup, Director of Photography Adam Kirk, Cinematagrapher Stacie Whitaker, Producer



### Lightborne

Welcome Home

Advertiser: Film Cincinnati

Advertising/Media Industry Self-Promotion > Film, Video & Sound > 102 - Advertising Industry Self-Promotion Film, Video & Sound

Credits:

**Kristen Schlotman,** President/CEO of Film Cincinnati

Scott Durban, President, Lightborne
Riann Wiggins, Head of Production, Lightborne
Ryan Elliott, Director/DP, Lightborne
Brad Grawe, Senior Editor, Lightborne
Jonathan Kilberg, Assistant Editor, Lightborne
Laurent Che, Copywriter and Spoken Word Artist



### **Black Tent, LLC**

Hózhó (Walking in Beauty) Advertiser: Procter & Gamble

Online/Interactive > Social Media > 022 - Social Media > 022A - Single Execution

### Credits:

Steve Kirschner, Creative Director Flint Wenstrup, Director of Photography Adam Kirk, Cinematagrapher Stacie Whitaker, Producer



### Curiosity

Love & Hearts for Your Lady Parts Advertiser: PhD

Film, Video, & Sound > Television Advertising > 032 - Television Advertising - Regional/ National > 032B - Campaign

### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Katie Gerdes, VP, Creative
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Gail Kreimer, Designer
Danielle Schuster, Visual Engineer
Mike White, Senior Production Designer
Kathy Love, Producer
Sam Huerkamp, Director, Client Partnership
Danielle Patton, Manager, Client Partnership
Katie Hurier, Senior Project Manager
B-Reel Films, Production Company
Magnus Hardner, Director
Nicolina Knapp, Director



### Black Tent, LLC

Hózhó (Walking in Beauty) Advertiser: Procter & Gamble

Corporate Social Responsibility > Film, Video & Sound > 076 - Corporate Social Responsibility Non-Broadcast Audio/Visual

### Credits:

Steve Kirschner, Creative Director Flint Wenstrup, Director of Photography Adam Kirk, Cinematagrapher Stacie Whitaker, Producer



### **Grey Midwest**

Hoffman, Hoffman, Hoffman & Hoffman Advertiser: PracticePanther

Elements of Advertising > Visual > 053 - Art Direction > 053B - Art Direction—Campaign

### Credits:

Adam Kahn, Chief Creative Officer Christopher Reintz, Chief Client Officer Kathy Liu, Chief Strategy Officer Peter Herbert, Associate Creative Director Mark Van Patten, Associate Creative Director Lindsey Mai, Sr. Project Manager Gabriel Schmitt, Global Chief Creative Officer Diego Medvedocky, Global Creative Partner Maru Sokolowski, Global Head of Creative Excellence Thiago Cruz, Chief Creative Officer James McPherson, Chief Production Officer Sheri Lutz, VP/Head of Production Operations Tim Hamilton, Director Karen Tameanko, Executive Producer David Cea, Editor Ryan Spalazzi, SVP/Head of Creative Content Rick Hoffman, Principal Talent Mayowa Oyebadejo, VP of Marketing Sam Alkoubey, Director of Sales



### EarlyBird Films, LLC

**BGSU Thompson Scholarship**Advertiser: **Bowling Green State University** 

Public Service > Film, Video & Sound > 088 - Public Service Campaign



### **Black Tent, LLC**

Hózhó (Walking in Beauty) Advertiser: Procter & Gamble

Elements of Advertising > Film & Video > 054 -Cinematography > 054A - Cinematography— Single

### Credits:

Steve Kirschner, Creative Director Flint Wenstrup, Director of Photography Adam Kirk, Cinematagrapher Stacie Whitaker, Producer



### Curiosity

Love & Hearts for Your Lady Parts Advertiser: PhD

Film, Video, & Sound > Television Advertising > 032 - Television Advertising - Regional/ National > 032A - Single Spot - Up to 2:00

### Credits:

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Katie Gerdes, VP, Creative
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Gail Kreimer, Designer
Danielle Schuster, Visual Engineer
Mike White, Senior Production Designer
Kathy Love, Producer
Sam Huerkamp, Director, Client Patnership
Danielle Patton, Manager, Client Partnership
Katie Hurier, Senior Project Manager
B-Reel Films, Production Company
Magnus Hardner, Director
Nicolina Knapp, Director





# JULIE F. S. WINNERS

### Lightborne

Newfield's Harvest Night Advertiser: Newfields/Indianapolis Museum of Art Out-of-Home & Ambient Media > Ambient Media > 016 - Installations > 016B - Multiple Installations

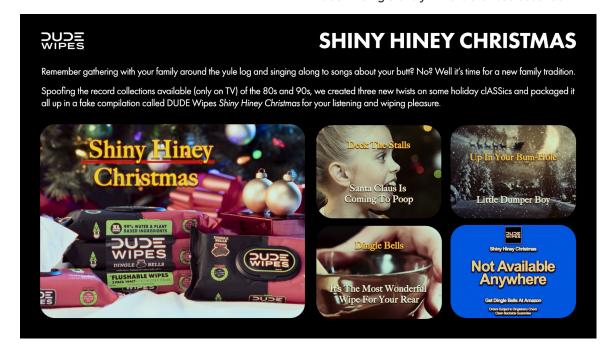


### **Credits:**

Scott Durban, Executive Producer Ryan McAllister, Executive Creative Director Justin Lee, Senior Designer/Technical Director Kurt Koch, Associate Creative Director Duncan Friend, Associate Creative Director Rob Engel, Senior Designer/Animator Jared Ziegler, Senior Designer/Animator Andy Erb, Designer/Animator Erica Lombardo, Designer/Animator Austin Lutz, Designer/Animator Nathan Mysona, Designer/Animator Gregor Zimmermann, Designer/Animator Riann Wiggins, Head of Production Austin Winters, Producer Elizabeth Carrigan, Associate Producer Brad Grawe, Senior Editor Ryan Elliott, DP/Colorist Jonathan Kilberg, Assistant Editor

### Curiosity

Shiny Hiney Christmas Advertiser: Dude Wipes Film, Video, & Sound > Branded Content & Entertainment > 036 - Branded Content & Entertainment For Online Film, Video & Sound > 036B - Single entry - more than :60 seconds



### **Credits:**

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Matt Cragnolin, Group Creative Director
Pam Fraser, Creative Director
Laura Matthews, VP Client Partnership
Leah Zimmer, Associate Director, Client Partnership
Maya Stoffer, Associate Project Manager
Mandy Russell, Program Supervisor
Tate Webb, Editor
Play Audio, Audio

### **PPS Group**

Buried at Work Advertiser: Paycor Film, Video, & Sound > Television Advertising > 032 - Television Advertising - Regional/ National > 032A - Single Spot - Up to 2:00

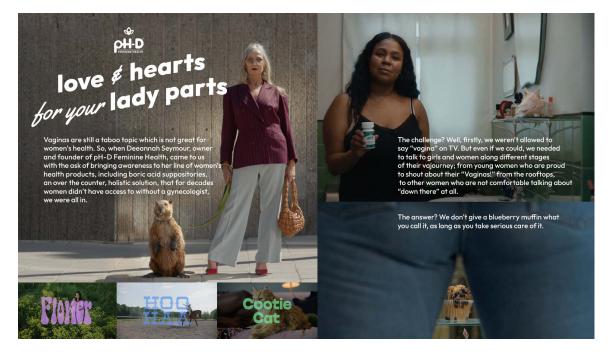


### **Credits:**

Laura Gels, Director, Design - Paycor Matt Bergantino, Senior Director, Copy - Paycor Max Sollisch, Creative - PPS Mike Kohlbecker, Creative - PPS Deb Price, Executive Producer Robert Boocheck, Director Trent Pekkala, Director of Photography Stacy Holbrook, Producer Preston Price, Editor Grant Kattman, Sound Design Laura Linville, Art Direction/Set Design Tiffany Sieve, VP Marketing - Paycor Shawn Travers, Senior Designer - Paycor Mikala Howard, Senior Designer - Paycor Alison Poweleit, Senior Designer - Paycor Kaitlyn Blount, Brand Community Manager - Paycor

### Curiosity

Love Your Lady Parts Advertiser: PhD Film, Video, & Sound > Television Advertising > 032 - Television Advertising - Regional/National > 032B - Campaign



### **Credits:**

Jeff Warman, Chief Creative Officer
Katie Gerdes, VP, Creative
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Nicolina Knapp, Director



# BESTOF WINNER



### **Grey Midwest**

Hoffman, Hoffman & Hoffman Advertiser: PracticePanther

Film, Video, & Sound > Online Film, Video, and Sound > 033 - Internet Commercial > 033A -Single Spot – Any Length



### **Credits:**

Christopher Reintz, Chief Client Officer / Grey Midwest
Kathy Liu, Chief Strategy Officer / Grey Midwest
Peter Herbert, Associate Creative Director / Grey Midwest
Mark Van Patten, Associate Creative Director / Grey Midwest
Lindsey Mai, Sr. Project Manager / Grey Midwest
Gabriel Schmitt, Global Chief Creative Officer / Grey Group
Diego Medvedocky, Global Creative Partner / Grey Group
Maru Sokolowski, Global Head of Creative Excellence / Grey Group
Thiago Cruz, Chief Creative Officer / Grey New York
James McPherson, Chief Production Officer / Townhouse
Sheri Lutz, VP/Head of Production Operations

Adam Kahn, Chief Creative Officer / Grey Midwest

Tim Hamilton, Director / Circle Productions
Karen Tameanko, Executive Producer / Circle Productions
David Cea, Editor / Hogarth Studios
Ryan Spalazzi, SVP/Head of Creative Content / Hogarth Studios
Rick Hoffman, Principal Talent
Mayowa Oyebadejo, VP of Marketing / PracticePanther
Sam Alkoubey, Director of Sales / PracticePanther







### MOSAIC AWARD

Creating a diverse industry begins with examining diversity, inclusion, and equity in the workplace and developing best practices. Only then can we showcase the diversity of thought and cultural identity, inclusive decision- making, and equitable opportunities for all. Each year, AdClubs/AAF Chapters across the country present a Mosaic Award to an organization or company in their community that exhibits a commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion through their creative work.

### Harris Media Co

When We Got the Call

Advertiser: LifeCenter Organ Donor Network

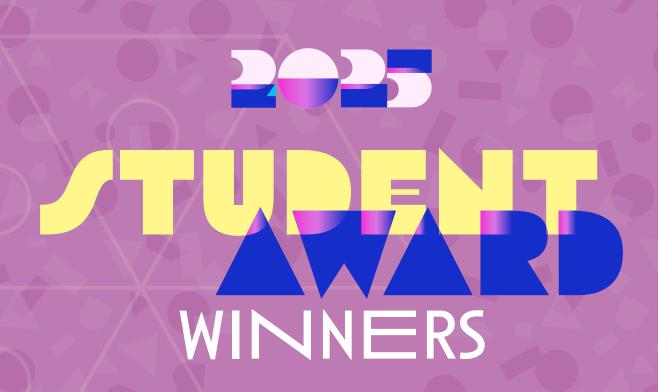
Corporate Social Responsibility > Film, Video & Sound



### **Credits:**

Rudy Harris, Director
Lindsey Hopkins, Editor
Shane Harrison, Director of Photography
Lindsey Brunner, Executive Producer
Siri Imani, Writer + Spoken Word Artist









### **Brittani Booker**

### Nectai

Educational Institution: Cincinnati State Technical and Community College

Sales Promotion > S01 - Product or Service Sales Promotion > S01A - Packaging

### Credits:

Brittani Booker, Designer





### **Alana Blankenship**

### Bodoni

Educational Institution: Cincinnati State Technical and Community College

Out-Of-Home > S09 - Poster > S09A - Single

### Credits:

Alana Blankenship, Designer



### **Yulia Wimp**

Alley Cat Rescue
Educational Institution: Cincinnati State
Technical and Community College

Elements Of Advertising- Visual > S24A -Logo Design

### Credits:

Yulia Wimp, Designer















### **Yulia Wimp**

### **Rustic Bakery**

Educational Institution: Cincinnati State Technical and Community College

OuVisual > S24A - Logo Design

### Credits:

Yulia Wimp, Designer





### **Peyton Clawson**

### Metamorphosis

Educational Institution: Cincinnati State Technical and Community College

Sales & Marketing > Collateral Material > S05 - Publication Design > S05E - Book Design

### Credits:

Peyton Clawson, Designer





### **Yulia Wimp**

Mahler • Symphony No. 1
Educational Institution: Cincinnati State
Technical and Community College

Out-Of-Home > S09 - Poster > S09A - Single

### Credits:

Yulia Wimp, Designer



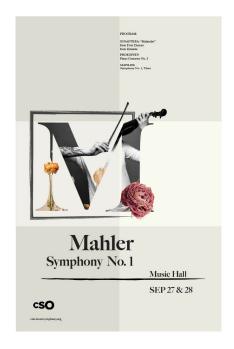




### **Yulia Wimp**

Mahler • Symphony No. 1
Educational Institution: Cincinnati State
Technical and Community College

Out-Of-Home > S09 - Poster > S09A - Single





### **Credits:**

Yulia Wimp, Designer





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### TONI BLOOM

Silver Medal Winner 2025

As part of the 2025 Cincinnati American Advertising Awards, we are proud to present one of the most prestigious honors to bestowed by the American Advertising Federation: The Silver Medal Award.

Every year, each local AAF club selects one individual to receive this coveted award, recognizing their lifetime achievement within the local advertising community.

The award recognizes men and women who have made contributions to the advertising industry and advanced the industry's standard for creative excellence and responsibility in area of social concern. Nominations for the award are solicited from members of the AdClub and voted on by a panel of judges composed of past Siler Medalist and AdClub members at large.

Nominees for this award are evaluated based on four criteria:

- 1. Contribution to their company
- 2. Creative ability, defined as a high degree of original thinking in their field
- 3. Contributions to the general advance of advertising
- 4. Contributions to their community.

Our 2025 Silver Medal Winner is Toni Bloom. Toni Bloom has left an indelible mark on greater Cincinnati's advertising community. Starting her career as a designer, she worked on memorable and impactful campaigns at Richardson and Associates, Holland Advertising, and Daymark. From there, she took her talents and passion to Gateway Community and Technical College, teaching and inspiring a generation of designers who have gone on to create award-winning work and start notable agencies across the city. Beyond the office and classroom, Toni served as AdClub President in 2010 and is a board member for the Boone County Arboretum. In addition, she is very active in the horse world and the Quarter Horse Congress.

### Past AAF Cincinnati Silver Medalists

- 1960 Jesse Joseph<sup>3</sup> 1961 Karl T. Finn 1962 Bill McCarthy\*# 1962 William Savage<sup>3</sup> 1963 Jerry Hurter\* 1963 Bill Northlich\*# 1964 W.J. "Bud" Janszen\* 1964 Charlie Reesev\*# 1965 Ruth Lyons\* 1965 Glenn Ulfers\*# 1966 John E. Hennegan\* 1966 Sam Schindler\*# 1967 Joseph Baarlear\* Bill Grindrod\*# 1968 Bill McFee\*# 1968 Ran West\* 1969 Robert Berkshire\* 1970 Martin Spicer\* 1971 Ed Hodgetts\*# 1971 Richard Kuck 1972 Shelby Howard\*# 1972 John Wolf\* 1973 Edward Dollriehs' 1974 Russ Kelly\*# Edward Young 1976 Janet Block\* 1976 Jack Nolan\*# 1977 Robert Gordon 1977 Alex Stolley\*# 1978 Wil F. Caldwell\* 1979 David Ferriss\* 1979 Barry Raut# 1980 George Hay\*# 1980 William Keating 1981 Walter Bartlett\* 1982 1983 Charles Mechem 1984 Elizabeth Stilz-Mills\* 1985 Charles E. Scripps\* 1986 Vincent J. Backley, Jr. 1987 Robert Ott 1988 Ronald R. Brill 1989 Leonard Sive+ 1991 Robert P. Temmen\* 1992 Jim Scott Judy Thompson 1994 William M. LaWarre 1995 Charles W. Powers James A. Jacobs\* 1998 Laura Pulfer Charles K. Murdock\*
- 1990 William H. Over\*
- 1996 Dale P. Brown
- 1997
- 1999 2000 William G. Moll
- 2001 Mary Beth Price
- 2002 Mark Serrianne 2003 Tim Gibson 2004
- 2005 Dick Kountz'
- 2006 Tom Norton 2007 Jerry Malsh
- 2008 Pam Gibson+ 2009 Bonnie White
- 2010 Mike Dektas 2011 Jack Streitmarter
- 2012 Gene Fischer\*
- 2013 Earl Holland+ 2014 Bill Price
- 2015 Michel Keidel
- 2016 Rick Segal
- 2017 Dave Siegel 2018 Donna Eby\*
- 2019 Nick Vehr 2020-2021 Steve Kissing
- 2022-2023 Dr. Steven Reece, Sr. 2024 Matt Fischer 2025 Toni Bloom
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# CALLING EVERYONE TO JOIN A COMMITTEE

Your AdClub is only as strong as the involvement of its members. We need you! There are lots of ways to get involved and make a difference. We encourage you — no, we invite you — OK, if necessary, we beg you: Please get involved. Here are some of the committees you could choose to join:

### The ADDYs Committee

This committee oversees the annual creative awards event as the first step in the three-part American Advertising Awards competition. From crafting a theme to securing the judges to creating the event, this group makes sure that AdClub Cincinnati honors and celebrates Cincinnati's most creative achievements of the past year.

### **Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee**

Formed to support a more inclusive and diverse advertising community at every level of an organization to ensure everyone feels valued for who they are and the work they do. We serve as a support for existing or establishing DE&I initiatives. The community shares resources, information and best practices as well as helps define what DE&I can and should look like within a company. Want to be a part of change? Come join our DE&I committee.

### **Programs Committee**

If you want to be at the core of the ongoing excitement of the AdClub, the Programs Committee is for you. Help to strategize, coordinate and manage agency programs, from monthly programs featuring speakers to special club social events to educational endeavors. If you are social and like making things happen, this is your committee.

### **The Technology Committee**

The AdClub relies on technology to house and manage member information, to communicate, to present itself (via our website) and to facilitate club activities. If you have digital design, web, CRM or other tech backgrounds, this may be the committee for you. Help us to maximize our technology to benefit all members.

### **Membership Committee**

Our club revolves around a robust corporate and individual membership roster. This committee helps us with membership drives, renewal reminders and reaching out to the community to build our membership. If you like meeting new people and have a little sales swagger, this committee might be the perfect place for you to pitch in!

### **Communications Committee**

This is where design and copy intersect with AdClub efforts. The Communications Committee manages our social media channels, designs our program and event announcements for email and other channels, and supports our web page creative and other communication needs.

### **Student Engagement Committee**

We have a focus on reaching out to the advertising, media and marketing leaders of tomorrow. From student engagement activities with colleges and design schools to providing college scholarships to deserving students, this is an exciting committee all about giving back and paying forward.

### **Finance Committee**

Numbers, numbers, numbers. Every organization has to be fiscally responsible, and that is what our Finance Committee does for AdClub Cincinnati. Doing everything from financial filings to working with our club accountants, this committee oversees club finances to make sure we are fiscally responsible to our members. If this floats your boat, this may be the right place for you.

### **Specialized Activities**

These ad hoc committees are formed for specific and unique purposes, such as the annual Media Auction, The Silver Medal Awards program and ceremony, and other specialized needs of the AdClub.

Please reach out to info@aafcincinnati.org with your name and the committee you are interested in joining, and a committee chair will get back in touch with you to answer questions and discuss next steps for engagement.



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