



*Gerald R. Ford*  
Presidential Foundation

## Annual Journalism Prize Competition

### Winners of the Gerald R. Ford Prize for Distinguished Reporting on the Presidency

1987 Lou Cannon, *The Washington Post*  
1988 David Hoffman, *The Washington Post*  
1989 Gerald Seib, *The Wall Street Journal*  
1990 Susan Page, *Newsday*  
1991 Burt Solomon, *National Journal*  
1992 Kenneth Walsh, *U.S. News*  
1993 Ann Devroy, *The Washington Post*  
1994 Michael Duffy, *Time Magazine*  
1995 John Farrell, *The Boston Globe*  
1996 Eric Pooley, *Time Magazine*  
1997 Kenneth Walsh, *U.S. News*  
1998 Michael Isikoff, *Newsweek*  
1999 Carl Cannon, *National Journal*  
2000 John Harris, *The Washington Post*  
2001 Susan Page, *USA Today*  
2002 Bob Woodward and Dan Balz, *The W.P.*  
2003 James Carney, *Time Magazine*  
2004 Jackie Calmes, *The Wall Street Journal*  
2005 Tom DeFrank, *New York Daily News*  
2006 Charlie Savage, *The Boston Globe*  
2007 Peter Baker, *The Washington Post*  
2008 Kenneth Walsh, *U.S. News & World Report*  
2009 Ben Feller, *The Associated Press*  
2010 Steven Thomma, *The McClatchy Newspapers*  
2011 Scott Wilson, *The Washington Post*  
2012 John Dickerson, *Slate*  
2013 Glenn Thrush, *POLITICO*  
2014 Peter Baker, *The New York Times*  
2015 Greg Jaffe, *The Washington Post*  
2016 Gregory Korte, *USA Today*  
2017 Ashley Parker & Philip Rucker, *The Washington Post*

### Winners of the Gerald R. Ford Prize for Distinguished Reporting on National Defense

1987 Charles Cordry, *The Baltimore Sun*  
1988 Richard Halloran, *The New York Times*  
1989 Debra Lynn Polsky, *Defense News*  
1990 James Kitfield, *Government Executive*  
1991 Douglas Jehl, *Los Angeles Times*  
1992 David Morrison, *National Journal*  
1993 Barton Gellman, *The Washington Post*  
1994 Genevieve Anton, *Gazette Telegraph*  
1995 James Kitfield, *National Journal*  
1996 Rick Newman, *U.S. News*  
1997 David Wood, *Newhouse News Service*  
1998 Robert Holzer, *Defense News*  
1999 Russell Carollo, *Dayton Daily News*  
2000 Dana Priest, *The Washington Post*  
2001 Dave Moniz, *USA Today*  
2002 Greg Jaffe, *The Wall Street Journal*  
2003 Mark Thompson and Michael Duffy, *Time*  
2004 Linda Robinson, *U.S. News & World Report*  
2005 Mark Mazzetti, *The New York Times*  
2006 James Astill, *The Economist*  
2007 Rick Atkinson, *The Washington Post*  
2008 James Kitfield, *National Journal*  
2009 Greg Jaffe, *The Washington Post*  
2010 Shane Harris, *The Washingtonian*  
2011 Corinne Reilly, *The Virginian-Pilot*  
2012 Hal Bernton, *The Seattle Times*  
2013 David Philipps, *The Gazette*  
2014 W. J. Hennigan and Ralph Vartabedian, *Los Angeles Times*  
2015 Andrew deGrandpre, *Military Times*  
2016 David Martin & Mary Walsh, *CBS News*  
2017 JJ Green, *WTOP Radio*

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Dear Journalist,

I am pleased to announce the *32nd Annual Gerald R. Ford Journalism Prizes*, a competition for distinguished reporting in 2018.

**DISTINGUISHED REPORTING  
ON  
THE PRESIDENCY**

*or*

**DISTINGUISHED REPORTING  
ON  
NATIONAL DEFENSE**

In 1988, the Gerald R. Ford Presidential Foundation established the Journalism Prize Competition. With this annual award, President Ford wanted to recognize and encourage thoughtful, insightful, and enterprising work by journalists covering the presidency and national defense. The Foundation is proud to continue this tradition. Again this year, the Foundation will award two \$5,000 prizes, one for distinguished achievement in reporting on the presidency and another on national defense during the calendar year 2018.

We are proud of our list of winners and look forward to receiving this year's entries. Please see the attachment for the nomination process, deadline, and selection of winner's criteria. The awards will be presented in Washington, D.C. in June 2019.

***Submissions from online and broadcast journalists are welcome.***

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Sincerely,

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