

Chairman's Award Gala Past Honorees

2018

The Works of August Wilson - Legacy Award
David Yazbek - Creative Achievement Award
Citi - 40th Anniversary Corporate Leadership Award
Jennifer Bielstein, Chazz Palminteri, and Danny Burstein - Award Presenters

2017

Glenn Close - Theatre Artist Award
Roe Green – Leadership in Theatre Award
Center Theatre Group – Achievement in Theatre Award on their 50th Anniversary
Jason Robert Brown, Quiara Alegria Hudes, and the cast of Sunset Boulevard – Award Presenters

2016

John Cariani- Master of Ceremonies
Jesse Tyler Ferguson - Theatre Artist Award
John R. Dutt – Theatre Forward Leadership Award
Hannah Elless, Martha Plimpton – Award Presenters

2015

Bryce Pinkham & Elisabeth Moss - Masters of Ceremonies
Jolyon Stern & Dewitt Stern - Corporate Leadership Award
Michael C. Hall - Theatre Artist Award
Long Wharf Theatre - 50 Years of Achievement in Theatre Award
Will Eno, Clive Gillinson, Judith Ivey- Awards Presenters

2014

Edgerton Foundation - Leadership in Theatre Award
Kristin Chenoweth - Theatre Artist Award
Benjamin Moore - NCTF Leadership Special Recognition
Robert Harling, Kathy Najimy, Diane Paulus, Lily Tomlin - Awards Presenters

2013

George Takei - Master of Ceremonies
American Express, Timothy J. McClimon - Corporate Leadership Award
Vanessa Williams - Theatre Artist Award
Actors Theatre of Louisville, Guthrie Theater, Hartford Stage, Seattle Repertory Theatre, Trinity
Repertory Company - 50 Years of Achievement in Theatre Award
Richard Thomas, Diane Paulus, Luis A. Ubiñas, James Lapine - Awards Presenters

2012

David Alan Grier- Master of Ceremonies
Cleveland Clinic, Toby M. Cosgrove, M.D. – Institutional Leadership Award
Harry Connick, Jr. - Theatre Artist Award
Cleveland Play House, Michael Bloom & Kevin Moore- Achievement in Theatre Award
James S. Turley- NCTF Leadership Award
Joe Dowling, Mariska Hargitay, David Henry Hwang, Kate Mulgrew - Awards Presenters

2011

Lewis Black- Master of Ceremonies
BNY Mellon, Gerald L. Hassell - Corporate Honoree Award
Joey Grey - Theatre Artist Award
Charles Dillingham - Achievement in Theatre Award
Kathleen Marshall, Benjamin Moore, Anika Noni Rose, Richard Thomas, Ben Vereen - Awards Presenters