



Puppet Making and Animation Production

Here is a selection of some of our awards from the past few years.

Tim Burton's Corpse Bride

Academy Award Oscar® nomination Best Animated Feature Film 2006

British Animation Awards Best Feature Film 2006

Venice Film Festival Future Film Digital Award 2005

Los Angeles ASIFA Annies: Ub Iwerks Award for Technical Achievement awarded to Mackinnon & Saunders for animated head mechanisms 2006

Fantastic Mr Fox

Academy Award Oscar® nomination Best Animated Feature Film 2010

Los Angeles Film Critics Association Awards Best Animation 2009

New York Film Critics Circle Awards Best Animated Film 2009

Annecy Animation Festival Cristal Award for Best Feature Film 2009

Frankenstein's Cat

Cartoons on the Bay Pulcinella Award Best Kids' TV series 2008 awarded to Mackinnon & Saunders

Bradford Animation Festival Best TV series 2008 awarded to Mackinnon & Saunders

The Sandman

Academy Award Oscar® nomination Best Short Animated Film 1993

Hiroshima Animation Festival Grand Prix 1992

Annecy Animation Festival Best Short Film 1993

Stuttgart Animation Festival Best Short Film 1993

Ottawa Animation Festival Best Animated Film 1994

Espinho Animation Festival Best Animated Film 1994

Bob the Builder

BAFTA Best Animation 2003

The Periwig Maker

Academy Award Oscar® nomination Best Short Animated Film 2001

BAFTA nomination Best Animated Short Film 2000

Ottawa Animation Festival Best First Professional Film 2000

Seattle International Film Festival Short Film Award 2000

Zagreb World Festival of Animated Films Best First Film 2000

The Big Story

BAFTA Best Short Animated Film 1995

Melbourne International Film Festival Best Short Animation 1995

Academy Award Oscar® nomination Best Short Animated Film 1995

Palm Springs International ShortFest Jury Award 1995

Chicken Run

British Animation Awards Best European Feature Film 2002

Evening Standard British Film Awards Peter Sellers Award for Comedy 2001

BAFTA nomination Alexander Korda Award for Best British Film 2001

Golden Globe Awards nomination Best Comedy/Musical

Puffs Tissues “Rhonda” and “Rudy”

Mobius Awards Gold & Silver 2000 awarded to Mackinnon & Saunders

Achilles

Leipzig Golden Dove Award 1995

Animexpo Korea Special Jury Prize 1997

Barcelona Film Festival Audience Prize 1996

Hiroshima Animation Festival Special Jury Prize 1996

Bilbao Silver Medal for Animation 1995

BAFTA nomination Best Short Animated Film 1996

Rigoletto

Treviso Mr Linea Prize for Technical Achievement 1994

Ottawa Animation Festival Special Prize 1994

Cinanima Honourable Mention 1994

Chicago International Film Festival Silver Plaque 1994

ScreenPlay

Shanghai Grand Prix 1992

British Short Film Festival Best Animation 1993

Chicago Film Festival Gold Plaque 1993

Hiroshima Animation Festival Best 5 – 15 minutes Film 1994

Academy Award Oscar® nomination Best Short Animated Film 1993

Oberhausen Film Festival Best Animated Film 1993

Annecy Animation Festival Special Distinction for Artistic Merit 1993

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Hiroshima Animation Festival Best Debut Film 1990

Espinho Best 5 - 15 minutes Film 1990

British Animation Awards Best Technical Achievement 1990

Gilbert & Sullivan – the very models

Carolina Film Festival Best Animation 1999

Academy Award Oscar® shortlisted for nomination Best Short Animated Film 1999

Krok Animation Festival Best 15 – 30 minutes film 1999

Ottawa Animation Festival Best Object Animation 1999

Hamilton Mattress

Annecy Animation Festival Grand Prix 2002

British Animation Awards Best TV Special 2002

Chicago International Children’s Film Festival Children’s Jury Award 2002

Florida Film Festival Audience Award Best International Short Film 2002

Mackinnon & Saunders was founded after Ian Mackinnon & Peter Saunders established their puppet making team at Cosgrove Hall in Manchester. Awards for production there included:

The Pied Piper of Hamelin

BAFTA 1982

The Wind in the Willows

BAFTA 1983

International Emmy Award 1983

The Reluctant Dragon

BAFTA 1987

The Fool of the World and the Flying Ship

International Emmy Award Best Children's Program 1991

Chicago International Children's Festival First Prize 1991