2019 TAM Award Winners – Museum Size and Category

Indicates Past Presidents Award Contender

Category 1 - $50K or less

- Monterey Depot Museum, Monterey – Educational Programming - Trails Through History – EX
- Granville Museum, Granville
  - Publication: Book - The Legacy of Granville TN: A Rural Riverboat Town (book) EX
  - Audio Visual: Exhibit Component - Granville History Storytelling Video – EX
  - Special Recognition - Arts and Crafts Building – EX
  - Special Event - Grand Opening of Strolling Through the 1950s - COM

Category 2 - $50-$200K

- Museums of Tusculum, Greeneville – Permanent Exhibit – Tusculum 225 - EX
- Grassmere Historic Farm, Nashville
  - Special Event – Croft Sisters Birthday Party – EX
  - Digital Media: Digital Collections - The Grassmere Collection, Tennessee Virtual Archive; a Joint Project with Grassmere Historic Farm and TN State Library and Archives – EX
- Cookeville Museums, Cookeville
  - Educational Programming - Family Treasures Preservation Workshops - EX
  - Traveling Exhibit - Pop-up Series, Cookeville Veteran Bennett Jared Travis – EX
  - Temporary Exhibit - Welcome to Kidville TN, A Cookeville Exhibit for Kids - COM
- Morton Museum of Collierville History, Collierville
  - Temporary Exhibit - How it Works: Collierville’s Public Works - EX
  - Educational Programming - Art of Paper Workshop – EX
  - Special Event - Stories of Service - EX
- Bible Museum on the Square, Collierville
  - Temporary Exhibit - Jesus Revealed – EX
  - Digital Media: Social Media - Social Media: Facebook and Instagram – EX
  - Special Event – Away in 100 Mangers – EX
  - Educational Programming – Project Gutenberg - COM
- Tipton County Museum, Veterans Park and Nature Center, Covington
  - Temporary Exhibit - Tuskegee Red Tails: Wings for This Man – EX
  - Publication: Flat Paper - May Festival Poster - EX
  - Digital Media: Social Media Page - “Beneath the Dirt”- Social Media Page / Blog – EX
  - Special Event – Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day – EX
  - Special Recognition - Four Bat Houses – EX
  - Educational Programming - Summer Museum Camp for Kids - COM

Category 3 - $200-500K
• McMinn County Living Heritage Museum, Athens – Publication: Book - Stories Among the Threads - EX
• President James K. Polk Home and Museum, Columbia – Audio Visual: Film / Documentary - Introductory Film - EX
• Abraham Lincoln Library and Museum, Harrogate
  o Educational Programming - Inside the Vault: Skype in the Classroom Virtual Tour – EX
  o Special Event - Civil War STEAM – EX – WINNER OF PAST PRESIDENTS AWARD
  o Permanent Exhibit - From Log Walls to Marble Halls - COM
• Sequoyah Birthplace Museum, Vonore
  o Permanent Exhibit - Sequoyah’s Story – EX
  o Audio Visual: Film/Documentary – Sequoyah’s Story Video - EX
  o Audio Visual: Exhibit Component - Mixed Media Theaters - EX
• Sgt Alvin C. York State Historic Park, Pall Mall
  o Educational Programming – Footsteps of Sgt. York, Hike Through the Argonne – EX
  o Special Event - Veterans Day Celebration, 1918-2018 - EX

Category 4 - $500K - $1M - none

Category 5 - $1-5M
• Birthplace of Country Music Museum, Bristol – Educational Programming - For All the World to See: Visual Culture and the Struggle for Civil Rights - EX
• Discovery Center at Murfree Spring, Murfreesboro – Permanent Exhibit - We Are Tennessee - EX
• McClung Museum of Natural History and Culture, Knoxville – Educational Programming - Civil Rights: The Journey Continues - EX
• Pink Palace Museum, Memphis – Permanent Exhibit - Renovated Pink Palace Mansion - EX
• Belle Meade Plantation, Nashville
  o Educational Programming - Journey to Jubilee – EX
  o Temporary Exhibit – A Family Christmas - COM
• Customs House Museum, Clarksville
  o Educational Programming - Family Art Studio - EX
  o Temporary Exhibit - -- Our Town: Stories Within Clarksville’s Doorways - COM
• East TN Historical Society, Knoxville
  o Temporary Exhibit – In the Footsteps of Sgt. York – EX
  o Educational Programming - Junior Historian Camp – EX
  o Digital Media: Social Media Page - – ETHS’s Facebook Page - EX
• Lane Motor Museum, Nashville
  o Temporary Exhibit - -- The Josef Ganz Story: How a Jewish Engineer Helped Create Hitler’s Volkswagen – EX
  o Blockbuster Exhibit - The Dan Auerbach Collection: Vintage Harley-Davidson Motorcycles from 1937-1950 – EX
  o Educational Programming – Lil’ Learning Lane - EX
• Discovery Park of America, Union City
  o Blockbuster Exhibit – Toys! 100 Years of Fun! – EX
  o Audio Visual: Exhibit Component – Liberty Hall Interactives - EX
• Tennessee State Museum, Nashville
  o Permanent Exhibit – TN State Museum: New Permanent Exhibits – EX
  o Temporary Exhibit – The State of Sound: Tennessee’s Musical Heritage – EX
  o Publication: Flat Paper - Postcard to the Future – EX
  o Digital Media: Website - – New Tennessee State Museum Web Site – EX
  o Digital Media: Social Media Page - Tennessee State Museum’s 2018 Instagram and Social Media Campaign – EX
  o Educational Programming - Summer Teachers Workshop Statewide Tour – EX
  o Special Event - Pack the Wagon Closing Event – EX
  o Special Recognition - “Three Stars. Thousands of Stories” Ad campaign – EX
  o Special / Novelty Item - Tennessee Museum Store New Branded Merchandise – COM

• Metal Museum, Memphis
  o Temporary Exhibit - Everyday Objects: The Evolution and Innovations of Joseph Anderson – EX
  o Blockbuster Exhibit - Master Metalsmith Lisa Gralnick, Scene of the Crime – EX
  o Publication: Book/Catalog - Master Metalsmith Lisa Gralnick (catalog) – COM
  o Publication: Annual Report – Annual Report – EX
  o Publication: Flat Paper – Scavenger Hunt with Spatz – EX
  o Publication: PR Kit - Repair Days PR Kit – COM
  o Special/Novelty Item - Repair Days Bottle Opener – COM
  o Digital Media: Website – Blog – EX
  o Digital Media: Social Media Page - Metal Museum Instagram – EX
  o Educational Programming - Youth Makers Guild - EX

Category 6 - $5M +

• Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, Nashville
  o Blockbuster Exhibit - Outlaws and Armadillos: Country’s Roaring 70s – EX
  o Publication: Book/Catalog - Outlaws and Armadillos: Country’s Roaring 70s Exhibition Book - EX

• Frist Art Museum, Nashville
  o Permanent Exhibit - Martin ArtQuest - EX
  o Temporary Exhibit - Chaos and Awe: Painting for the 21st Century – EX
  o Publication: Flat Paper - Frist Kids Birthday Postcards – COM
  o Publication: Newsletter - Frist Art Museum Quarterly – EX
  o Digital Media: Social Media Page - Nick Cave, Feat: Nash Social Media Campaign and Live Stream – COM
  o Educational Programming - Paris 1900: City of Entertainment Free Family Festival Day – EX
Volunteers – ALL EXCELLENCE WINNERS

- Dr. Lionel Crews – Discovery Park of America, Union City
- Jeremy Curtis – Granville Museum, Granville
- John McKenney – Bible Museum on the Square, Collierville
- Mike Ellicott – Morton Museum of Collierville History, Collierville
- Bill Hagge – Customs House Museum and Cultural Center, Clarksville
- Mike Spiotta – Metal Museum, Memphis

Emerging Museum Professionals

- Campbell Mobley – Cheekwood Estate and Gardens, Nashville
- Sherri Onorati – Tipton County Museum, Veteran’s Memorial and Nature Center, Covington
- Nicole Nomany and Dakota Elliot – TN State Museum, Nashville
- James Barnette – Bible Museum on the Square, Collierville