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DALLAS-FORT WORTH FILM CRITICS NAME "THE SOCIAL NETWORK" BEST PICTURE OF 2010

The Dallas-Fort Worth Film Critics Association voted the true-life drama *THE SOCIAL NETWORK* as the best film of 2010, according to the results of its 17th annual critics' poll released today.

Rounding out the composite list of the top 10 films of the year were *THE KING'S SPEECH* (2), *BLACK SWAN* (3), *127 HOURS* (4), *WINTER'S BONE* (5), *INCEPTION* (6), *THE FIGHTER* (7), *TRUE GRIT* (8), *THE TOWN* (9) and *THE KIDS ARE ALL RIGHT* (10).

For Best Actor, the association named James Franco for *127 HOURS*. Runners-up included Colin Firth for *THE KING'S SPEECH* (2), Jesse Eisenberg for *THE SOCIAL NETWORK* (3), Robert Duvall for *GET LOW* (4) and Michael Douglas for *SOLITARY MAN* (5).

Natalie Portman was voted Best Actress for *BLACK SWAN*. Next in the voting were Jennifer Lawrence for *WINTER'S BONE* (2), Nicole Kidman for *RABBIT HOLE* (3), Annette Bening for *THE KIDS ARE ALL RIGHT* (4) and Michelle Williams for *BLUE VALENTINE* (5).

In the Best Supporting Actor category, the winner was Christian Bale for *THE FIGHTER*. He was followed by Geoffrey Rush for *THE KING'S SPEECH* (2), Jeremy Renner for *THE TOWN* (3), Bill Murray for *GET LOW* (4) and Chris Cooper for *THE COMPANY MEN* (5).

For Best Supporting Actress, the association named Melissa Leo for *THE FIGHTER*. Runners-up included Jacki Weaver for *ANIMAL KINGDOM* (2), Helena Bonham Carter for *THE KING'S SPEECH* (3), Hailee Steinfeld for *TRUE GRIT* (4) and Mila Kunis for *BLACK SWAN* (5).

David Fincher was voted Best Director for *THE SOCIAL NETWORK*. Next in the voting were Danny Boyle for *127 HOURS* (2), Darren Aronofsky for *BLACK SWAN* (3), Christopher Nolan for *INCEPTION* (4) and Tom Hooper for *THE KING'S SPEECH* (5).

The association voted *BIUTIFUL* as the best foreign-language film of the year. Runners-up were *THE GIRL WITH THE DRAGON TATTOO* (2), *MOTHER* (3), *LEBANON* (4) and *I AM LOVE* (5).

*WAITING FOR "SUPERMAN"* won for Best Documentary over *EXIT THROUGH THE GIFT SHOP* (2), *RESTREPO* (3), *THE TILLMAN STORY* (4) and *MARWENCOL* (5).

*TOY STORY 3* was named the best animated film of 2010, with *HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON* as runner-up. Aaron Sorkin won the Best Screenplay award for *THE SOCIAL NETWORK* over Christopher Nolan for *INCEPTION*.

The award for Best Cinematography went to Enrique Chediak and Anthony Dod Mantle for *127 HOURS*, followed by a tie between Roger Deakins for *TRUE GRIT* and Wally Pfister for *INCEPTION*.

The association voted *WINTER'S BONE* as the winner of the Russell Smith Award, named for the late *Dallas Morning News* film critic. The honor is given annually to the best low-budget or cutting-edge independent film.

The Dallas-Fort Worth Film Critics Association consists of 28 broadcast, print and online journalists from throughout North Texas. For more information, visit [www.dfwfilmcritics.com](http://www.dfwfilmcritics.com).