

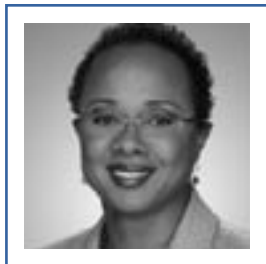
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22ND ANNIVERSARY AWARDS DINNER

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Paula Madison

HABJ Pinnacle Award

Executive vice president of diversity for NBC Universal, Paula is the first senior executive in the company's history to hold a position solely devoted to diversity. Madison will receive the coveted HABJ Pinnacle Award. Over the past 30 years, she has risen through the ranks of the industry as a reporter, a news director and a general manager.



Skipper Lee Frazier

HABJ Lifetime Achievement Award

From legendary disc jockey to radio station owner, Skipper Lee has been a Houston radio and entertainment institution for nearly 54 years. He will receive the HABJ Lifetime Achievement Award for his more than five decades of exemplifying excellence in journalistic standards. He continues to contribute to the profession at KWWJ Gospel 1360.



James T. Campbell

HABJ Spirit Award

James is a vice president at Fleishman-Hilliard, Inc., and recently completed a 20-year career at the Houston Chronicle as a reporter, editorial writer, and the readers' representative. James will receive the HABJ Spirit Award. As a journalism professional and community leader in Houston, Campbell embodies the spirit and mission of HABJ.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2008

6:30 PM – RECEPTION | 7:30 PM – DINNER

HILTON AMERICAS-HOUSTON
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KTRK-TV ABC 13

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ABOUT HABJ

Houston Association of Black Journalists is a nonprofit organization of media professionals from the Houston area with members in every facet of print, broadcast and online media, education and corporate communications. HABJ provides quality programs and services in Houston and the surrounding area. The organization was founded in 1986 and is one of the largest organizations of journalists of color in Houston. HABJ is an affiliate of the National Association of Black Journalists.

Consistent with its purpose, HABJ provides professional development, honors excellence in journalism, cultivates young journalists and ensures accurate coverage of the minority community. HABJ also awards scholarships, provides future workforce development and summer training opportunities for college students majoring in communications. Additionally, HABJ presents community outreach programs, seminars and town hall forums free for community groups and communications professionals.



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- My pledge for \$_____ will follow. You can expect payment by February 9, 2008.
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Mail check to HABJ C/O Rochelle Rucker, HABJ Treasurer, P.O. Box 565, Houston, TX 77001-0565 or fax your reply form to (713) 799-2145.

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Includes one (1) table of ten (10), one (1) scholarship in company's name, company listed in evening program, company logo listed on Web site and on promotional materials for HABJ sponsored events during the year, and two (2) guests at scholarship luncheon, seven (7) HABJ memberships for public relations professionals, seven (7) reserved spaces at all HABJ community forums and workshops.

Silver Level \$5,000

Includes a table for ten (10), company listed in the evening program and one (1) year recognition on the HABJ Web site, five (5) HABJ memberships for public relations professionals, five (5) reserved spaces at all HABJ community forums and workshops.

Bronze Level \$3,000

Includes one (1) table for ten (10), company listed in the evening program and one (1) year recognition on the HABJ Web site, one (1) HABJ memberships for public relations professionals, two (2) reserved spaces at all HABJ community forums and workshops.

Copper Level \$1,500

Includes one (1) table for ten (10), listing in the evening program and one (1) year recognition on the HABJ Web site.