

25<sup>th</sup> Annual NAACP Theatre Awards Winners  
March 6, 2016

**Best Choreography – Equity**

Maurice Hines is Tappin’  
Thru Live – Maurice Hines

**Best Choreography – Local**

The Brothers Size –  
Ameenah Kaplan

**Best Costumes – Equity**

The Gershwin’s Porgy &  
Bess – E. Sosa

**Best Costumes – Local**

Low Hanging Fruit –  
Wendell C. Carmichael

**Best Director – Equity**

Choir Boy – Trip Cullman

**Best Director – Local**

Sassy Mamas – Iona  
Morris

**Best Director of a Musical – Equity**

The Gershwin’s Porgy &  
Bess – Diane Paulus

**Best Director of a Musical – Local**

The Magic Flute – Mark  
Dornford-May

**Best Ensemble Cast – Equity**

Flyin’ West

**Best Ensemble Cast – Local**

Sassy Mamas

**Best Lead Female - Equity**

Above The Fold – Taraji P.  
Henson

**Best Lead Female – Local**

Knock Me a Kiss – Toyin  
Moses

**Best Lead Male – Equity**

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Thru Live – Maurice Hines

**Best Lead Male – Local**

Bus Stops – Leonard  
Thomas

**Best Lighting – Equity**

The Tallest Tree in the  
Forest – David Lander

**Best Lighting - Local**

The Magic Flute – Mannie  
Manim

**Best Music Director – Equity**

Kiss Me Kate – Rahn  
Coleman

**Best Music Director – Local**

The Magic Flute – Pauline  
Malefane & Mandisi  
Dyantyis

**Best One Person Show - Equity**

**The Tallest Tree in the Forest** – Daniel Beaty

**Best One Person Show - Local**

Bag Lady – Tammi Mac

**Best Playwright – Equity**

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**Best Producer – Equity**

Above The Fold – The  
Pasadena Playhouse

**Best Producer – Local**

Bag Lady – Tammi Mac &  
Jackson Brown

**Best Set Design – Equity**

Choir Boy – David Zinn

**Best Set Design – Local**

Sassy Mamas – Vanessa  
Paul & Jeff Murray

**Best Sound – Equity**

Othello – Acme Sound  
Partners with Jason Crystal

**Best Sound – Local**

Bus Stops – Jaimyon  
Parker

**Best Supporting Female – Equity**

Above the Fold – Kristy  
Johnson

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**Best Supporting Female –**

**Local**

Knock Me A Kiss – Ashlee  
Olivia

**Best Supporting Male –**

**Equity**

Choir Boy – Caleb  
Eberhardt

**Best Supporting Male –**

**Local**

Closely Related Keys –  
Brent Jennings