



Santa Barbara Award honoring Saoirse Ronan

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Saoirse Ronan will receive the prestigious Santa Barbara Award, presented by UGG®, for her critically acclaimed role in Greta Gerwig's *Lady Bird*, an A24 release. Given to a person in the entertainment industry who has made a great contribution to film, the award will be presented to her at a ceremony on Sunday, February 4, 2018 at the historic Arlington Theatre.

"In *Lady Bird*, Saoirse Ronan has once again proven that she is a force of nature and one of her generation's most exciting young talents," stated SBIFF Executive Director Roger Durling. "She embodies her characters with a poignant accuracy and ease every time she appears on screen."

Ronan's numerous film credits include *The Grand Budapest Hotel*, *Hanna*, *The Lovely Bones*, and *The Way Back*. She has received Academy Award® nominations for her performances in *Atonement* and *Brooklyn*, and recently was awarded the Golden Globe for Best Actress in a Motion Picture – Musical or Comedy for her performance in *Lady Bird*.

Past recipients of the award include Isabelle Huppert, Sylvester Stallone, Jennifer Aniston, Oprah Winfrey, Daniel Day-Lewis, Geoffrey Rush, Julianne Moore, Kate Winslet, Javier Bardem, Bill Condon, and Naomi Watts.



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