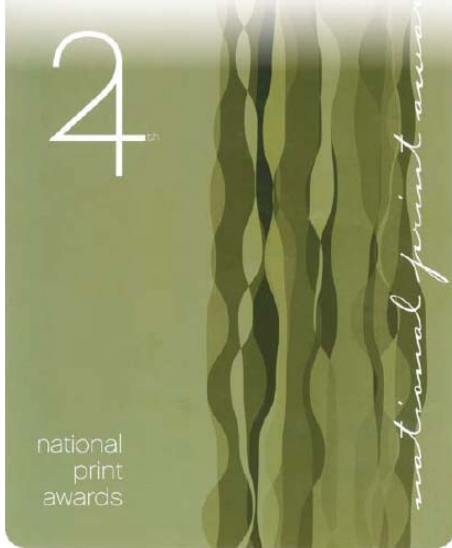


EACH AND EVERY IPMG PRINTING COMPANY AWARDED FOR PRINT EXCELLENCE AT THE 24TH NATIONAL PRINT AWARDS



Independent Print Media Group has once again reclaimed prime position in the Australian printing industry as market leader in the provision of printed excellence.

Winning a grand total of eighteen medals overall, Independent Print Media Group was the proud recipient of two gold, seven silver and nine bronze awards for excellence in print quality at the 24th National Print Awards, with every printing company in the Group recognised for outstanding achievements in print quality on the night.

Hannanprint NSW collected more awards than any other web offset printer in Australia, receiving a total of nine medals on the evening. This included two gold, three silver and four bronze medals.

Craft Inprint were the proud recipients of three silver medals whilst Offset Alpine Printing enjoyed a successful evening also, accepting three bronze medals.

Hannanprint Victoria was awarded with two bronze medals, with Sinnott Bros also part of the celebrations with their outstanding work being recognised with a silver medal on the night.

IPMG would like to thank and congratulate a number of our clients including Myer Ltd, John Fairfax Publications, Maritimo, Alpha Romeo Australia, Australian Geographic, Estee Lauder, David Jones, Invincium Print Management Services, Herald & Weekly Times, Nationwide News and News Magazines. The printed pieces recognised for outstanding print quality at the National Print Awards were born out of our partnerships with these great organisations.

The 24th National Print Awards celebrations were held in The Bayside Grand Hall at the Sydney Convention Centre in Darling Harbour in May 2007.

The Awards attracted many entries and judges evaluated each entry for print quality and medals were awarded on the achieved result of the sample submitted.

According to Rod Urquhart, Independent Chairman of Judges, "During the course of the judging, an oft repeated remark from the judges and consultants alike was that the excellence of the entries submitted for the National Print Awards continues to climb year by year and the overall quality of the 24th year entries was superior to all earlier competitions.

"In this observation, lies the underpinning objective of the Print Awards, to raise the standard of printed material in Australia. This has clearly been a successful journey as the judges have remarked on numerous occasions that the excellence of some entries was a good

as and in some cases superior to world's best standard."

"Congratulations to all winners tonight," said Chairman of the National Print Awards, Scott Telfer.

"Be it bronze, silver or gold, you have carved out a position in the history of the National Print Awards."

He pointed out in his address, "It's not an easy task to come up with all of the winners when the competition is pretty hot in most categories!"

The Independent Print Media Group is proud to have received such accolades once again this year at the National Print Awards despite such 'hot' competition from scores of printers across the nation.

This result is yet another reflection of the Independent Print Media Group's uncompromising commitment to quality.

Scott Telfer also paid a heartfelt tribute to Sid Thompson, one of the original founders of the NPA and its mainstay for many years, who passed away earlier this year.





Gold Medal Winners



Silver Medal Winners



Bronze Medal Winners

Web offset coated stock press finished

Printer: Hannanprint NSW

Client: Myer Ltd

Web offset uncoated stock

Printer: Hannanprint

Client: John Fairfax Publications

Booklets, catalogues and magazines bound by saddle stitching

Printer: Craft Inprint

Client: Maritimo

Booklets, catalogues and magazines bound by saddle stitching

Printer: Craft Inprint

Client: Alpha Romeo Australia

Calendars

Printer: Craft Inprint

Client: Australian Geographic

Web offset publications with a cover price

Printer: Hannanprint NSW

Client: FPC Magazines

Web offset publications with a cover price

Printer: Hannanprint NSW

Client: FPC Magazines

Prepress: Sinnott Bros

Web offset uncoated stock

Printer: Hannanprint NSW

Client: John Fairfax Publications

Commercial posters, showcards, card constructions and mobiles

Printer: Offset Alpine Printing

Client: Estee Lauder

Web offset coated stock off-line finished

Printer: Offset Alpine Printing

Client: David Jones

Web offset coated stock off-line finished

Printer: Offset Alpine Printing

Client: David Jones

Web offset coated stock press finished

Printer: Hannanprint NSW

Client Myer Ltd

Web offset coated stock press finished

Printer: Hannanprint Victoria

Client: Invincium Print Management Services

Web offset publications with a cover price

Printer Hannanprint Victoria

Client: Herald & Weekly Times

Web offset coated stock

Printer: Hannanprint NSW

Client John Fairfax Publications

Web offset uncoated stock

Printer: Hannanprint NSW

Client: Nationwide News

Web offset uncoated stock

Printer: Hannanprint NSW

Client: John Fairfax Publications

