

Roxanna Caldwell, Station Manager of WFYI Public Radio is Among Indy's 'Best and Brightest' Young Professionals

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Roxanna Caldwell, Station Manager of WFYI Public Radio (Indiana's flagship NPR member station), has been named one of 'Indy's Best and Brightest 2013' — a distinction reserved for a select group of Central Indiana's outstanding young professionals, age 40 and under, who are making their mark in and around Indianapolis. The honor was created by Junior Achievement to recognize Indy's up and coming talent and next generation of leaders in the community.

As a finalist in the "Media, Entertainment & Sports" category, Caldwell was among 100 individuals to be recently recognized at an awards program and reception held October 17, at Ivy Tech Community College, in Indianapolis. The selection criteria for 'Indy's Best and Brightest,' includes demonstrated leadership qualities in the workplace or community; active involvement within the community; meaningful professional accomplishments; and the ability to have a positive effect on others.

"Under Roxanna Caldwell's leadership, WFYI Public Radio has earned numerous honors and awards for its outstanding local news and public affairs coverage and noted popularity among Central Indiana listeners," said Richard Miles, Vice President of Interactive Media at WFYI Public Media.

In addition to earning recognition from the Associated Press, Society of Professional Journalists and the Knight Foundation, in 2013, for the third consecutive year, the readers of *NUVO Newsweekly* voted 90.1 WFYI the "Best Radio Station" in Indianapolis. And, more recently, the station learned that it is a finalist in six program categories for this year's Indiana Broadcaster Association's Spectrum Awards competition.

Caldwell, who recently celebrated her 12th anniversary with WFYI Public Media, is an active member of the Central Indiana community and enjoys volunteering for the animal rescue group, Alliance for Responsible Pet Ownership. She attended IUPUI in Indianapolis, and resides on Indy's Near East Side.

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About WFYI Public Media:

For more than four decades, WFYI Public Media has served as a center of discovery for all ages. WFYI's diverse public radio and television programs and services provide a foundation for early learning, inspire curiosity and serve as a catalyst for lifelong learning. To learn more about WFYI Public Media's programs and educational services, visit the station's Website — www.wfyi.org , "like" us on Facebook, or follow along on Twitter (via @wfyi and @wfyinews).