

# 2018 ANNUAL AWARD RECIPIENTS

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## **Officer of the Year**

**Police Constable Kelley McIntyre**

**Kennebecasis Regional Police Force**

**New Brunswick, Canada**

Citation: Awarded to an officer, who by her overall service and accomplishments throughout her career distinguishes herself in all four areas of leadership, community service, mentoring and excellence in performance.



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## **IAWP Leadership Award**

**Colonel Taibe Canolli**

**Kosovo Police Human Resources Department**

**Pristina, Republic of Kosovo**

Citation: Awarded to an officer who distinguishes herself by superior accomplishments or continuing, long term involvement, using leadership skills that encompass, but are not limited to problem solving, planning, organizational, communication and/or administrative which make a significant contribution within the agency or the law enforcement mission.



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**Community Service**  
**Sergeant Gina Scott**  
**Queensland Police Service**  
**Queensland, Australia**

Citation: Awarded to an officer who distinguishes herself by superior accomplishments through developing, designing, implementing and participating in programs involving communities, which include neighborhoods, school, community meetings, and businesses.

*photo by Lydia Lynch North West Star Media*



**Excellence in Performance**  
**Superintendent Cindy White**  
**Niagara Regional Police Service**  
**Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada**

Citation: Awarded to an officer who distinguishes herself through superior attention to duty or outstanding investigative effort, which leads to the identification, location or arrest of a major criminal or criminal activity.



**Mentoring**

**Superintendent Virginia Nelson**

**Queensland Police Service**

**Queensland, Australia**

Citation: Awarded to an officer who distinguishes herself with her support and assistance to women in law enforcement, development of programs or policies favorable to women, serving on committees or organizations that review women's issues.



**Civilian Achievement**

**Sandra Kurdziel**

**Social Navigator Coordinator**

**Hamilton Police Service**

**Milton, Ontario, Canada**

Citation: Awarded for outstanding achievement by a civilian woman that has gone above and beyond to support, promote and enhance the criminal justice profession.





**Bravery**

**Senior Constable Catherine Nielsen**

**Queensland Police Service**

**Toowoomba, Queensland, Australia**

Citation: Awarded to any officer who distinguishes herself by an act of bravery or heroism, at risk of her own personal safety or in the face of great danger, above and beyond the call of duty.

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**Male Award in Support of UNWomen's HeForShe Campaign**

**Commissioner of Police Andrew Colvin**

**Australian Federal Police**

**Canberra, Australia**

Citation: Awarded to a male officer or male civilian employed by a law enforcement agency or police force who has made a significant contribution and commitment to the advancement of women in policing.



**Prevention and Detection of Violence Against Women**

Citation: Awarded to a female officer who distinguishes herself by her exceptional policing skills to prevent and/or detect offenses of violence against women, including human trafficking.

