

South Carolina ETV series "What's Wild" receives Southeast Emmy® Award

COLUMBIA, S.C. – The South Carolina ETV series <u>*What's Wild*</u> received an Emmy® Award from the Regional Southeast Emmy® Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences (NATAS). Winners were announced on June 15 at the 2024 Southeast Regional Emmy® Awards held at the Grand Hyatt in Buckhead Atlanta. Four SCETV programs were nominated for these prestigious awards.

The <u>"Threatened Species"</u> episode of *What's Wild* won the Emmy® Award in the "Environment/Science -Long Form Content" category. *What's Wild* is produced and edited by Charles Dymock. In addition to *What's Wild*, Dymock also produces the digital series, *From the Sky*, where he showcases the beauty of nature and other marvels of the Palmetto State with aerial drone footage. In addition to Dymock, Desireé Cheeks and Colin McCawley accepted the award on behalf of the network.

NATAS sets the standards for excellence in the television broadcasting industry and holds the honor of presenting The Prime Time Emmy® Awards and the Daytime Emmy® Awards.

The Regional Southeast Emmy® Chapter is one of 19 chapters throughout the United States identifying and celebrating television excellence at the local and regional levels. The Southeast Chapter represents television professionals from all disciplines of the industry and from markets in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, South Carolina and North Carolina.

View a list of all the winners on the NATAS website.

QUOTES:

"We are incredibly honored to have *What's Wild* recognized with this esteemed Emmy® Award. This accolade is a testament to the hard work and dedication of our talented team, including Charles Dymock, Desireé Cheeks and Colin McCawley, who have brought important environmental stories to life. At SCETV, we strive to create content that not only entertains but also educates and inspires our viewers about the natural world around us." –SCETV President and CEO Adrienne Fairwell

"Receiving this Emmy® award for our *Threatened Species* episode is an incredible honor. Our team is dedicated to bringing the beauty and urgency of environmental issues to the forefront, and this recognition reaffirms the impact of our work. We are thrilled to continue showcasing the natural wonders of South Carolina and raising awareness about the importance of conservation." –*What's Wild* Producer and Editor Charles Dymock

FAST FACTS:

- The <u>"Threatened Species"</u> episode of *What's Wild* won an Emmy® Award from the Regional Southeast Emmy® Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences (NATAS) in the "Environment/Science - Long Form Content" category.
- NATAS sets the standards for excellence in the television broadcasting industry.
- The Annual Southeast Regional Emmy® Awards were announced by the Regional Southeast Emmy® Chapter of NATAS on June 15, at the Grand Hyatt in Buckhead Atlanta.

About South Carolina ETV and Public Radio

South Carolina ETV and Public Radio (SCETV) is the state's public educational broadcasting network. SCETV amplifies South Carolina voices, provides educational experiences and strengthens communities, while working toward creating a stronger, more connected and informed South Carolina. In addition to airing



local programs, such as *Carolina Classrooms, Making It Grow,* and *This Week in South Carolina*, SCETV also presents multiple programs to regional and national audiences, including *By The River, After Action, Reconnecting Roots, Reel South, Somewhere South, Yoga in Practice, Downing of a Flag and How She Rolls.* In addition, SC Public Radio produces the national radio production, *Chamber Music from Spoleto Festival USA.*

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