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Nomination for:
YOUTH NOW! Radio
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Outstanding Achievement in Current Affairs/Magazine

BIO:

The Youth Now Radio Collective is Lameia Reddick, KC Brooks, Marshall Williams, Glynn Johnston, Chris Toulany, Rebecca Moore, Oren Williams, Kyle Crawley, and Kenny Loy. The group is mentored by Sobaz Benjamin, a Halifax-based filmmaker who uses video and radio to facilitate community and identity development.

ABOUT THE SHOW:

Youth Now Radio is a live panel discussion show with special guests and panelists invited each week to participate and add to the discussion. In the episode featured in this clip, the editor of Youth Talk Now magazine was a guest in the studio. The panelists started out the show with a discussion on racism in schools. One panelist described his actions—the creation of a diversity committee—as a response to the prevalence of racist graffiti in his high school. Then the panel took a call, and a discussion of the use of the 'N' word in popular music and culture ensued. A variety of voices chime in about how they feel about using the word, and reflecting on the different meanings it has had over time and in different cultures.