

THE 2018 ACADEMY AWARDS

Mahershala Ali, Green Book



second nomination (won for *Moonlight*)

Adam Driver, BlackkKlansman



first nomination, 7 years after his first movie

Sam Elliott, A Star Is Born



first nomination, 51 years after his first movie

Richard E. Grant, Can You Ever Forgive Me?



first nomination, 31 years after his first movie

Sam Rockwell, Vice



second nomination (won for *Three Billboards*)

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Ali would become only the fourth African American to have won multiple Oscars



Mahershala Ali rode comfortably to victory, with Richard E. Grant a distant runner-up.

Cold War, Łukasz Żal



Previously nominated for *Ida*

The Favourite, Robbie Ryan



First nom! Mostly Irish and English independents

Never Look Away, Caleb Deschanel



6th nom, 0 wins: The Right Stuff, The Natural...

Roma, Alfonso Cuarón



First director nominated as his own cinematographer

A Star Is Born, Matthew Libatique



Second nomination (first was for Black Swan)

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Żal won American Society of Cinematographers



The fish-eye lenses didn't bother you!

The Favourite beat Roma by a substantial margin.

Showcase: Roma



Nominated for 10 Academy Awards

Best Film Editing

BlacKkKlansman, Barry Alexander Brown
Bohemian Rhapsody, John Ottman
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Ottman has only ever worked with Bryan Singer

Showcase: Bohemian Rhapsody



Nominated for 5 Academy Awards

Border, Göran Lundström, Pamela Goldammer



Two trolls fall in love, then become enemies

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Vice, Greg Cannom, Kate Biscoe, Patricia Dehaney



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Border
Mary Queen of Scots
Vice

Best Picture nominees often at an advantage
The only category still capped at three nominees

The Ballad of Buster Scruggs, the Coens



Two of six episodes based on short stories

BlacKkKlansman, Spike Lee, et al.



Based on the memoir by Ron Stallworth

Can You Ever Forgive Me?, Nicole Holofcener and Jeff Whitty



Based on the memoir by Lee Israel

If Beale Street Could Talk, Barry Jenkins



Based on the novel by James Baldwin

A Star Is Born, E. Roth, B. Cooper, W. Fetters



Based on the four previous screen adaptations

The Ballad of Buster Scruggs
BlacKkKlansman
Can You Ever Forgive Me?
If Beale Street Could Talk
A Star Is Born

This is the Coens' seventh nomination for writing

Best Adapted Screenplay

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Best Adapted Screenplay

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Best Adapted Screenplay



BlacKkKlansman was your confident choice, though Beale Street and Star Is Born had fans.

Showcase: BlacKkKlansman



Nominated for 6 Academy Awards

The Favourite, D. Davis, T. McNamara



Davis wrote the first draft of this script in 1998

First Reformed, Paul Schrader



First nom for the writer of Taxi Driver, Raging Bull

Green Book, N. Vallelonga, B. Currie, P. Farrelly



Vallelonga is the actual son of Mortensen's character

Roma, Alfonso Cuarón



Cuarón, like Vallelonga, based his script on his family

Vice, Adam McKay



McKay previously won for adapting The Big Short

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Writers Guild picked Eighth Grade over all of these!



The Favourite made a strong play, but could not catch up to that Cadillac DeVille.

Amy Adams, Vice



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Marina de Tavira, Roma



First nomination, first film released outside Mexico

Regina King, If Beale Street Could Talk



First nomination (won 3 Emmy Awards)

Emma Stone, The Favourite



Third nomination (won for La La Land)

Rachel Weisz, The Favourite



Second nomination (won for The Constant Gardener)

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Marina de Tavira, Roma
Regina King, If Beale Street Could Talk
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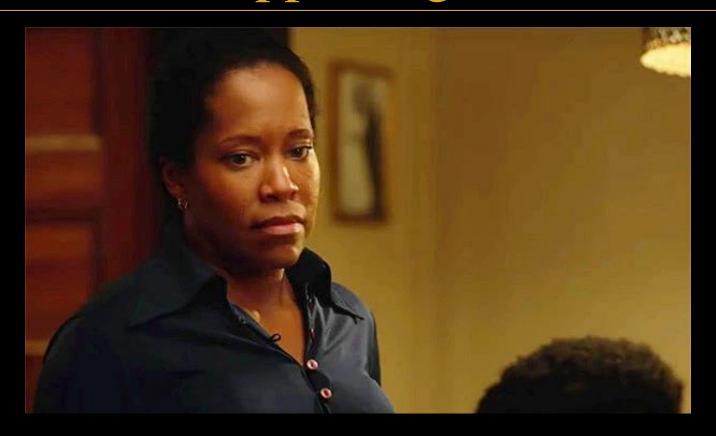
King won the Golden Globe

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Emily Blunt (no nom) won the Screen Actors Guild



Widely seen as the favo(u)rite, Regina won—though y'all like Amy, Emma, and Rachel, too!

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Cold War (Poland – 11th nom, 1 win)

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Three Mexicans have won Director, but never here!

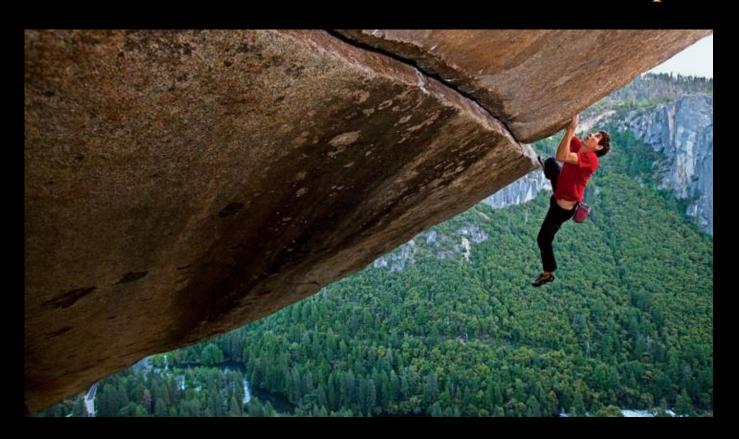
Showcase: Shoplifters



Winner of the Palme d'or at Cannes

* Our March 18 movie * Stream it on Amazon! *

Free Solo (mountain climber who refuses ropes, nets)



IMAX at Webster Place; stream on Amazon, etc.

Hale County, This Morning, This Evening (impressionistic portrait of life in small-town Alabama)



http://www.pbs.org/independentlens/videos/halecounty-this-morning-this-evening/

Minding the Gap (Chicago teens coming of age)



Streaming exclusively on Hulu (use a free trial!)

Of Fathers and Sons (embedded inside ISIS)



Streaming on Amazon Prime

RBG (biography of Ruth Bader Ginsburg)



Streaming on Amazon, Google, Hulu, etc.

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Minding the Gap would be a victory for Chicago

Best Actor

Christian Bale, Vice



Fourth nomination (won for The Fighter)

Bradley Cooper, A Star Is Born



Fourth nomination for acting (zero wins)

Willem Dafoe, At Eternity's Gate



Also four nominations (first in lead), also zero wins

Rami Malek, Bohemian Rhapsody



Category's only first-time nominee, and likely winner

Viggo Mortensen, Green Book



Third nomination (zero wins)

Christian Bale, Vice
Bradley Cooper, A Star Is Born
Willem Dafoe, At Eternity's Gate
Rami Malek, Bohemian Rhapsody
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Malek, Bale won the Golden Globes

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Malek, Bale won the Golden Globes

Malek also won British Academy Award, Screen Actors Guild Award, etc.



Heeeeeeee is the chaaaaampion, my friends... J

Showcase: At Eternity's Gate



Yalitza Aparicio, Roma



First indigenous woman ever nom'd—for first movie!

Glenn Close, The Wife



Seventh nom, zero wins—a record for an actress

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Olivia Colman, The Favourite



First nomination (much beloved on British TV)

Lady Gaga, A Star Is Born



First nomination for acting (one prior Best Song nom)

Melissa McCarthy, Can You Ever Forgive Me?



Second nomination (first was for *Bridesmaids*)

Yalitza Aparicio, *Roma*Glenn Close, *The Wife*Olivia Colman, *The Favourite*Lady Gaga, *A Star Is Born*Melissa McCarthy, *Can You Ever Forgive Me?*

Close, Colman won the Golden Globes

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Close won the Screen Actors Guild

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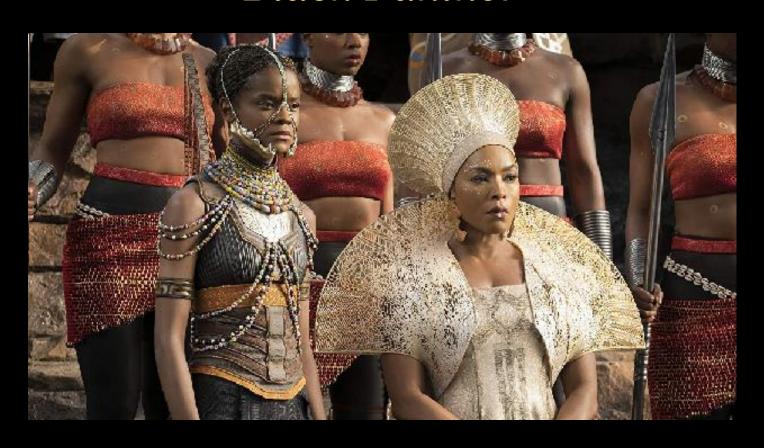
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Colman won the British Academy Award



You all are unambiguously ready for Glenn to win!

Black Panther



7 nominations total

BlacKkKlansman



6 nominations total

Bohemian Rhapsody



5 nominations total

The Favourite



10 nominations total

Green Book



5 nominations total

Roma



10 nominations total

A Star Is Born



8 nominations total

Vice



8 nominations total

Alfonso Cuarón, *Roma*Yorgos Lanthimos, *The Favourite*Spike Lee, *BlacKkKlansman*Adam McKay, *Vice*Paweł Pawlikowski, *Cold War*

Cuarón previously won for Gravity

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Cuarón previously won for Gravity

First time since 1976 that two foreign-language films are nominated in this category

Alfonso Cuarón, *Roma*Yorgos Lanthimos, *The Favourite*Spike Lee, *BlacKkKlansman*Adam McKay, *Vice*Paweł Pawlikowski, *Cold War*

This was easily our closest race this year ...



... but Spike Lee won on the final ballot!

Black Panther BlacKkKlansman Bohemian Rhapsody The Favourite Green Book Roma A Star Is Born Vice

Golden Globes: Bohemian Rhapsody, Green Book

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Only one movie got zero votes ...

Black Panther BlacKkKlansman Bohemian Rhapsody The Favourite Green Book Roma A Star Is Born Vice

... and most others got only a few ...



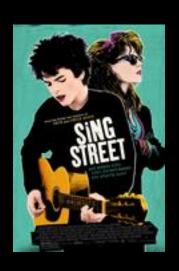
... but it was always clear which movie rocked you.











#6 The Florida Project (2017) #7 A Star Is Born (2018) #8 Room (2015) #9 The Wife (2018) #10 Sing Street (2016)







#4 Moonlight (2016) #5 Birdman (2014)







#3 Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri (2017) #4 Moonlight (2016) #5 Birdman (2014)









#2 Manchester by the Sea (2016) #3 Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri (2017) #4 Moonlight (2016) #5 Birdman (2014)





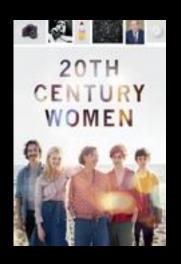






#1 Spotlight (2015)
#2 Manchester by the Sea (2016)
#3 Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri (2017)
#4 Moonlight (2016)
#5 Birdman (2014)

(My Personal Ballot)











#1 20th Century Women (2016) #2 Moonlight (2016) #3 The Lobster (2015) #4 Isle of Dogs (2018) #5 Selma (2014)