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## **KCOD Nominated for 5 Management Awards**

PALM DESERT, CA- KCOD is proud to announce that it has received 5 additional national Intercollegiate Broadcasting System award nominations in management and operations categories, which brings the total nominations for KCOD this year to 17. The winners will be announced at a ceremony in New York City in March 2018. The nominations are for the following awards and student nominees:

**Best Station Playlist/Music Selection:** Joe de Hoyos, Nicholas Edwards, Toni Bakal, Frank Desaro, Giselle Woo  
**Best Social Media Director:** Toni Bakal  
**Best Training Manual:** Toni Bakal  
**Best Staff Training Method:** Toni Bakal  
**Best Staff Newsletter:** Toni Bakal

COD Student nominee, Toni Bakal, said, "We are very excited at KCOD to have received a total of 17 national nominations this year in a variety of categories from news, to public service announcements, to programming, music, social media and management and operations. This shows our growing program is doing great things across our various departments and we couldn't be happier and more excited for the New York conference this year in March."

For more information on Intercollegiate Broadcasting System visit  
<http://www.collegebroadcasters.us/content/index.html>

KCOD is the Coachella Valley's college and community radio station. We are a platform for College of the Desert students & faculty, rising artists and the greater Coachella Valley community. We cultivate new radio personalities, play a variety of music and discover new artists for your college and community radio soundtrack. KCOD can be heard on 1450 AM across the Coachella Valley and on the Tune-in App online, or on KCOD's website by clicking Listen. KCOD will also be heard on 99.9 FM starting in March 2018. For more information visit [www.kcodcoachellafm.com](http://www.kcodcoachellafm.com)

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