2001 Hall of Fame Inductee

David Raziq

Class of 1978

As an investigative producer at KHOU-TV in Houston, Texas, David Raziq and two of his colleagues made their station the first news

organization to draw the public's attention to the national trend of defective tires on Ford's popular Explorer vehicle. Their reports led to the largest tire recall in automotive history. The story made front-page news across the nation and has since led to reforms of automotive safety standards.



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It's this caliber of producing/reporting that has earned Raziq numerous journalism awards. The former "20/20" investigator has won many national awards for his investigative reporting, including the I.R.E. Award and Medal, the Columbia-Dupont Award, the George Polk Award, the National Headliner's Award, the Scripps Howard Award for Investigative Journalism (twice), the UPI Award for Investigative Reporting, the Society of Professional Journalist's Mark of Excellence Award, and most recently, the prestigious Peabody Award.