

The logo for The Upper State Independent Awards (USIA) features the letters 'U', 'S', 'I', and 'A' in a stylized font. The 'U' is red, 'S' is green, 'I' is black, and 'A' is red with a small star above it. There are decorative floral and leaf motifs around the letters.

The  
UPPER STATE INDEPENDENT AWARDS

The text 'U.S.I.A.' is written in a red, sans-serif font. To the left of the text is a decorative floral element consisting of a green and yellow flower with grey leaves.

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### Upper State Independent Awards

The essence of the Upper State Independent Awards show is to acknowledge independent musicians from all genres and backgrounds, showing appreciation for work by independent musicians, poets, models, designers, comedians, photographers, choreographers, movie makers/DVD, on-line radio shows, and television shows just to name a few. The award show is a local/National networking environment held once a year. It will be held on November 5, 2011 at The Palace Theater 19 Utica Street, Hamilton, NY 13346. This will be our 5th Annual Upper State Independent Award show. By popular demand we added a few more categories such as Favorite Stage Play/Production, New Music Video, Entertainment Group and Promoter. We will have special appearances by national professional artists from New York, New Jersey, PA, Maryland, Washington DC, Virginia, California, Las Vegas, Ohio, and much more.

NEW Deadline to nominate is **September 30th**  
What are you waiting for?  
Go and Nominate Now!

VOTING STARTS OCTOBER 2  
and will end November 1  
[WWW.USIAWARDS.COM](http://WWW.USIAWARDS.COM)

SEE YOU SOON!

Saturday Nov 5, 2011  
@

Palace Theater  
19 Utica Street, Hamilton, NY 13346

