Houston teen 'Comes Home' a winner from 2017 IMC Awards in Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, California — Independent singers and bands from around the world gathered for the 2017 Indie Music Channel (IMC) Awards in Hollywood, and among them was 14-year-old Brooke Michelle, an eighth-grade honor student at St. Catholic School.

Michelle won Best Female Pop Artist and Best New Teen Artist of the Year for her song "Come On Home," which she wrote herself last summer.

"It was just amazing! I still can't believe it," Michelle said. "It was a huge surprise because I was not expecting to win against all of the other incredibly talented artists, it was truly an honor." The Indie Music Channel Awards is a prestigious annual event where independent singers and bands from

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around the world of all genres of music are recognized for their outstanding achievement.

Besides being an award-winning singer/songwriter, Michelle is also an actress and dancer who will perform on Broadway this summer at the

Gershwin Theatre in New York City during a junior production of the hit musical. "Hamilton." †