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FROST SCHOOL OF MUSIC RECEIVES 11 DOWNBEAT STUDENT MUSIC AWARDS

MOST WINNERS FOR ONE SCHOOL OF 2006

CORAL GABLES, FL – Eleven University of Miami's Frost School of Music students were winners in *DownBeat* magazine's 29th Annual Student Music Awards. The Frost School of Music at the University of Miami ranks among the most comprehensive and innovative in the country. It was one of the first schools in the nation to offer degrees in Studio Music and Jazz. The Frost School's Concert Jazz Band (CJB) has long been recognized as one of the world's finest, and together with the school's Jazz Vocal ensembles, are consistent "DB" Award winners. *DownBeat* magazine is one of the most respected jazz publications in the country, and its annual student awards are among the most coveted in jazz education. Results were announced in the magazine's June issue, now on newsstands.

Frost School of Music winners include:

Jazz Soloist

College Outstanding Performances

- **Troy Roberts** - Tenor Saxophone
- **Brandon Wright** - Alto & Tenor Saxophone

Big Band

College Outstanding Performance

- **University of Miami Concert Jazz Band**

Jazz Vocalist

College Co-Winner

- **Matthew Bryan Feld**



Blues/Pop/Rock Soloist

College Outstanding Performance

- **Howard Weiss** - Tenor/Soprano Saxophone

Blues/Pop/Rock Group

College Outstanding Performances

- **Van Gloria**
- **Funk/Fusion Ensemble**

Original Extended Composition

College Winner

- **Scott Routenberg** ' "The Dove"

Engineered Live Recording

College Outstanding Performances

- **Brett Takacs**
- **Bumjoon Lee**

Engineered Studio Recording

College Co-Winner

- **Bumjoon Lee**

For more information on the Frost School of Music visit www.music.miami.edu.

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