# **Humber Music JUNO Nominations 2015**

# **VOCAL JAZZ ALBUM OF THE YEAR**

**Because of Billie** – *Molly Johnson*, Universal (band personnel includes Mike Downes [Bass Dept. Head]: bass, arranger, and co-producer, also includes Robi Botos [part-time faculty] and Colleen Allen [part-time faculty])

**The Signal** – *Elizabeth Shepherd*, Linus\*eOne (band personnel includes Scott Kemp [alumni], Larnell Lewis [alumni & part-time faculty], Alex Samaras [part-time faculty])

## JAZZ ALBUM OF THE YEAR: SOLO

**Vista Obscura** – *Kirk MacDonald*, \*Addo (Kirk MacDonald, full-time faculty, and band personnel includes Neil Swainson [part-time faculty] and Pat LaBarbera [full-time faculty])

## JAZZ ALBUM OF THE YEAR: GROUP

Bristles – Andrew Downing, Jim Lewis & David Occhipinti, Independent (David Occhipinti [part-time faculty])

**Bobby Rice Latin Jazz Big Band: X-Treme Latin Jazz** – *Bobby Rice*, \*Addo (Bob Rice [part-time faculty], band personnel includes full-time faculty: Alex Dean, Al Kay, Mark Kelso, Ted Quinlan, part-time faculty Colleen Allen, Hilario Duran, Kelsley Grant, and Brian O'Kane, and alumni Chris Butcher, Jon Challoner, Fritz Kraai, Kevin Turcotte and David Virelles)

Fishs Eddy – Brian Dickinson Trio, \*Addo (Brian Dickinson, Keyboard Dept. Head)

**The Where** – *Myriad3*, Alma Records (band personnel includes Chris Donnelly, Humber Community Music alumni, and Ernesto Cervini and Dan Fortin, part-time Humber Community Music Faculty

#### INSTRUMENTAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Off With the Cuffs – John Stetch, \*Addo

# **BLUES ALBUM OF THE YEAR**

**Wicked** – *The 24<sup>th</sup> Street Wailers* Independent (band personnel includes Humber Alumni Mike Archer, Lindsay Beaver, Jesse Whiteley, and Jon Wong)

## ABORIGINAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

**The (Post) Mistress** – *Tomson Highway,* Independent (band personnel includes Mark Kelso [Percussion Dept. Head] and Ted Quinlan [Guitar Dept. Head])

# RECORDING ENGINEER OF THE YEAR

Jeremy Darby "**Mosaic**", "**Nomad**'s **Arrival**" from **Mandala** – *Monsoon*, Independent (band personnel includes Humber Music graduates)

\*Addo Records is the label run by Steve Bellamy, Associate Dean, School of Creative & Performing Arts