



## WARNER MUSIC GROUP

### Warner Music Group Nominations for the 59th Annual Grammy Awards

*For recordings released during the Eligibility Year October 1, 2015 through September 30, 2016*

*Note: More or less than 5 nominations in a category is the result of ties.*

#### **General Field**

##### **Category 1**

##### **Record Of The Year**

*Award to the Artist and to the Producer(s), Recording Engineer(s) and/or Mixer(s) and mastering engineer(s), if other than the artist.*

##### **3. 7 YEARS**

Lukas Graham

Future Animals & Pilo, producers; Delbert Bowers, Sebastian Fogh, Stefan Forrest & David LaBrel, engineers/mixers; Tom Coyne, mastering engineer

Track from: Lukas Graham

[Warner Bros. Records]

##### **5. STRESSED OUT**

Twenty One Pilots

Mike Elizondo & Tyler Joseph, producers; Neal Avron & Adam Hawkins, engineers/mixers; Chris Gehringer, mastering engineer

Track from: Blurryface

[Fueled By Ramen]

##### **Category 2**

##### **Album Of The Year**

*Award to the Artist(s) and to the Album Producer(s), Recording Engineer(s) and/or Mixer(s) & Mastering Engineer(s), if other than the artist.*

##### **5. A SAILOR'S GUIDE TO EARTH**

Sturgill Simpson

Sturgill Simpson, producer; Geoff Allan, David Ferguson & Sean Sullivan, engineers/mixers; Gavin Lurssen, mastering

engineer

[Atlantic]

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For nominated recording artists and recordings, entries in italics denote Warner Music Group artist nominations for recordings that were not distributed by Warner Music Group. For songwriter categories, entries in italics denote songwriters who are WMG recording artists but not signed to Warner/Chappell. For categories that list multiple artists, names in bold denote affiliation with WMG labels or publishers

### Category 3

#### **Song Of The Year**

*A Songwriter(s) Award. A song is eligible if it was first released or if it first achieved prominence during the Eligibility Year. (Artist names appear in parentheses.) Singles or Tracks only.*

#### 1. FORMATION

**Khalif Brown, Asheton Hogan, Beyoncé Knowles & Michael L. Williams II & Aaquil Brown**  
songwriters (Beyoncé)  
Track from: Lemonade  
[Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records; Publisher(s): WB Music Corp./Sounds From  
Eardrummers LLC/Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp/Oakland 13 Music]

#### 5. 7 YEARS

**Lukas Forchhammer, Stefan Forrest, Morten Pilegaard, Morten Ristorp & David Labrel,**  
songwriters (Lukas Graham)  
Track from: Lukas Graham  
[Warner Bros. Records; Publisher(s): WB Music Corp o/b/o Lukas Graham Songs/WB Music  
Corp o/b/o Stefpublishing & Halla!Halla! Publishing/Then We Take The World/Westside  
Independent Music Publishing o/b/o Thou Art the Hunger/Late 80's Music/F\*\*\* YOU  
DAVE]

### Field 1 – Pop

#### Category 5

#### **Best Pop Solo Performance**

*For new vocal or instrumental pop recordings. Singles or Tracks only.*

4. *PIECE BY PIECE (IDOL VERSION)*  
Kelly Clarkson  
[RCA Records/19 Recordings Limited]

#### Category 6

#### **Best Pop Duo/Group Performance**

*For new vocal or instrumental duo/group or collaborative pop recordings. Singles or Tracks only.*

#### 2. 7 YEARS

Lukas Graham  
Track from: Lukas Graham  
[Warner Bros. Records]

#### 5. STRESSED OUT

Twenty One Pilots  
Track from: Blurryface  
[Fueled By Ramen]

#### Category 7

#### **Best Traditional Pop Vocal Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new traditional pop recordings.*

#### 3. STAGES LIVE

Josh Groban  
[Reprise]

## Field 2 - Dance/Electronic Music

### Category 9

#### **Best Dance Recording**

*For solo, duo, group or collaborative performances. Vocal or Instrumental. Singles or tracks only.*

1. TEARING ME UP

Bob Moses

Bob Moses, producers; Mark 'Spike' Stent, mixer Track from: Days Gone By  
[Domino Recording Co. Ltd.] (Distributed by ADA)

### Category 10

#### **Best Dance/Electronic Album**

*For vocal or instrumental albums. Albums only.*

3. EPOCH

Tycho

[Ghostly International] (Distributed by ADA)

## Field 3 - Contemporary Instrumental Music

### Category 11

#### **Best Contemporary Instrumental Album**

*For albums containing approximately 51% or more playing time of instrumental material. For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new recordings.*

1. HUMAN NATURE

Herb Alpert

[Herb Alpert Presents] (Distributed by ADA)

## Field 4 - Rock

### Category 12

#### **Best Rock Performance**

*For new vocal or instrumental solo, duo/group or collaborative rock recordings.*

4. THE SOUND OF SILENCE (LIVE ON CONAN)

Disturbed

[Reprise]

5. HEATHENS

Twenty One Pilots

Track from: Suicide Squad: The Album

[Atlantic Records]

### Category 13

#### **Best Metal Performance**

*For new vocal or instrumental solo, duo/group or collaborative metal recordings.*

1. SHOCK ME

Baroness

Track from: Purple

[Abraxan Hymns] (Distributed by ADA)

2. SILVERA

Gojira

Track from: Magma

[Roadrunner Records Inc.]

3. ROTTING IN VAIN

Korn

[Roadrunner Records Inc.]

5. THE PRICE IS WRONG

Periphery

Track from: Periphery III: Select Difficulty

[Sumerian] (Distributed by ADA)

### Category 14

#### Best Rock Song

*A Songwriter(s) Award. Includes Rock, Hard Rock and Metal songs. For Song Eligibility Guidelines see Category #3. (Artist names appear in parentheses.) Singles or Tracks only.*

2. BURN THE WITCH

**Radiohead**, songwriters (Radiohead)

Track from: A Moon Shaped Pool

[XL Recordings; Publisher(s): Warner/Chappell Music Ltd.] *(Distributed by ADA)*

**Thomas Yorke, Jonathan Greenwood, Colin Greenwood, Philip Selway, Edward O'Brien**

3. *HARDWIRED*

*James Hetfield & Lars Ulrich, songwriters (Metallica)*

*[Blackened Recordings; Publisher(s): Creeping Death Music] (Distributed by ADA)*

4. HEATHENS

**Tyler Joseph**, songwriter (Twenty One Pilots)

Track from: Suicide Squad: The Album

[Atlantic Records; Publisher(s): Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Stryker Joseph Music]

5. *MY NAME IS HUMAN*

*Rich Meyer, Ryan Meyer & Johnny Stevens, songwriters (Highly Suspect)*

*[300 Entertainment; Publisher(s): MCID] (Distributed By Atlantic Records)*

### Category 15

#### Best Rock Album

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new rock, hard rock or metal recordings.*

1. CALIFORNIA

Blink-182

[BMG] (Distributed By ADA)

3. MAGMA

Gojira

[Roadrunner Records Inc.]

4. DEATH OF A BACHELOR

Panic! At The Disco

[DCD2/Fueled By Ramen]

5. WEEZER  
Weezer  
[Crush/Atlantic]

#### Field 5 – Alternative

##### Category 16

##### **Best Alternative Music Album**

*Vocal or Instrumental.*

1. 22, A MILLION  
Bon Iver  
[Jagjaguwar] (Distributed By ADA)

5. A MOON SHAPED POOL  
Radiohead  
[XL Recordings] (Distributed by ADA)

#### Field 6 - R&B

##### Category 18

##### **Best Traditional R&B Performance**

*For new vocal or instrumental traditional R&B recordings.*

5. CAN'T WAIT  
Jill Scott  
Track from: Woman  
[Blues Babe Records/Atlantic Records]

##### Category 19

##### **Best R&B Song**

*A Songwriter(s) Award. For Song Eligibility Guidelines see Category #3. (Artist names appear in parentheses.) Singles or Tracks only.*

1. COME AND SEE ME  
**Jahron Brathwaite**, Aubrey Graham & Noah Shebib, songwriters (**PartyNextDoor** Featuring Drake)  
Track from: PartyNextDoor 3 (P3) [OVO Sound/Warner Bros. Records; Publisher(s): Party OMO Ltd./Warner Chappell Music/Sandra Gale/EMI Music Publishing/Mavor & Moses Inc./Kobalt]

3. KISS IT BETTER  
Jeff Bhasker, **Robyn Fenty**, John-Nathan Glass & Natalia Noemi, songwriters (**Rihanna**)  
Track from: Anti [Westbury Road Entertainment/Roc Nation Records; Publisher(s): Songs of Universal/Sony/ATV Songs/The Kills Effect/Way Above Music]

##### Category 20

##### **Best Urban Contemporary Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of newly recorded contemporary vocal tracks derivative of R&B.*

2. OLOGY  
Gallant  
[Mind Of A Genius Records/Warner Bros. Records]

## Field 7 – Rap

### Category 23

#### Best Rap/Sung Performance

*For a solo or collaborative performance containing both elements of R&B melodies and Rap.*

#### 3. BROCCOLI

D.R.A.M. Featuring Lil Yachty

[Empire/Atlantic Records]

### Category 24

#### Best Rap Song

*A song must contain music and lyrics and must be either a new song or a song first achieving prominence during the eligibility year. (Artist names appear in parentheses.)*

#### 1. ALL THE WAY UP

**Joseph Cartagena**, Edward Davadi, Shandel Green, Karim Kharbouch, Andre Christopher Lyon, Reminisce Mackie & Marcello Valenzano, songwriters

(Fat Joe & Remy Ma Featuring French Montana & Infared)

[RNG/Empire]

#### 2. FAMOUS

Chancelor Bennett, Ross Birchard, Ernest Brown, Andrew Dawson, Kasseem Dean, **Mike Dean**,

Noah Goldstein, Kejuan Muchita, Patrick Reynolds, Kanye West & Cydel Young, songwriters

(Kanye West Featuring **Rihanna**) [G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam; Publisher(s): Please Gimme My

Publishing/EMI Blackwood Music Inc./BMG Platinum Songs/Mr. Redan Music admin. by BMG

Rights Management (US) LLC/Juvenile Hell/Universal Music-MGB Songs/Noah Goldstein admin.

by Donda Publishing/EMI April Music Inc./Sound EQ Music/Warner-Tamerlane Publishing

Corp./Papa George Music admin. by Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Chancelor Bennett

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Inc./Warp Publishing/Plain Pat What Up]

#### 4. NO PROBLEM

Chancelor Bennett, **Dwayne Carter** & Tauheed Epps, songwriters (Chance The Rapper

Featuring **Lil Wayne** & 2 Chainz)

[Chance The Rapper]

#### 5. ULTRALIGHT BEAM

Chancelor Bennett, Kasseem Dean, **Mike Dean**, Kirk Franklin, Noah Goldstein, Samuel

Griesemer, **Terius Nash**, Jerome Potter, Kelly Price, Nico "Donnie Trumpet" Segal, Derek

Watkins, Kanye West & Cydel Young, songwriters (Kanye West Featuring Chance The

Rapper, Kelly Price, Kirk Franklin & **The-Dream**) Track from: The Life Of Pablo

[G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam; Publisher(s): Please Gimme My Publishing/EMI Blackwood Music

Inc./Warner-Tamerlane Publishng Corp./Papa George Music admin. by Warner-Tamerlane

Publishing Corp./For the Write Price admin. by Kobalt Songs Music Publishing/2082 Music

Publishing/WB Music Corp./Universal Music Brentwood Benson Songs/Universal Music Z-Tunes

LLC/Monza Ronza/Universal Tunes/Chancelor Bennett Publishing Designee/Noah Goldstein

Music/JLOL ASCAP/Samuel Griesemer Publishing Designee/BMG Platinum Songs/Mr. Redan

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## Field 8 – Country

### Category 26

#### **Best Country Solo Performance**

*For new vocal or instrumental solo country recordings.*

1. LOVE CAN GO TO HELL

Brandy Clark

Track from: Big Day In A Small Town

[Warner Bros. Records]

### Category 28

#### **Best Country Song**

*A Songwriter(s) Award. For Song Eligibility Guidelines see Category #3. (Artist names appear in parentheses.) Singles or Tracks only.*

1. BLUE AIN'T YOUR COLOR

Clint Lagerberg, Hillary Lindsey & **Steven Lee Olsen**, songwriters (Keith Urban)

Track from: Ripcord

[Capitol Records Nashville; Publisher(s): Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Songs of The Corn, admin. by Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp.; HillarodyRathbone Music, admin. by BMG Rights Management (US) LLC; House Of Sea Gayle Music, admin. by ClearBox Rights/Spirit Catalog Holdings, S.a.r.l. admin. by Spirit Two Nashville.]

2. DIE A HAPPY MAN

**Sean Douglas**, Thomas Rhett & Joe Spargur, songwriters (Thomas Rhett)

Track from: Tangled Up

[The Valory Music Co.; Publisher(s): EMI Blackwood Music Inc./Cricket On The Line admin. by Sony/ATV Music Publishing LLC./ Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Eastman Pond Publishing admin. By Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Music of Big Deal/Nice Life/Frederic and Ried Music. admin. by BMG Rights Management (US) LLC.]

### Category 29

#### **Best Country Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new country recordings.*

1. BIG DAY IN A SMALL TOWN

Brandy Clark

[Warner Bros. Records]

4. A SAILOR'S GUIDE TO EARTH

Sturgill Simpson

[Atlantic]

## Field 9 - New Age

### Category 30

#### **Best New Age Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new vocal or instrumental new age recordings.*

2. DARK SKY ISLAND

Enya

[Warner Bros.]

5. WHITE SUN II  
White Sun  
[Be Why] (Distributed by ADA)

#### **Field 10 – Jazz**

##### **Category 31**

###### **Best Improvised Jazz Solo**

*For an instrumental jazz solo performance. Two equal performers on one recording may be eligible as one entry. If the soloist listed appears on a recording billed to another artist, the latter's name is in parenthesis for identification. Singles or Tracks only.*

4. I CONCENTRATE ON YOU  
Brad Mehldau, soloist  
Track from: Blues And Ballads (Brad Mehldau Trio)  
[Nonesuch]

##### **Category 33**

###### **Best Jazz Instrumental Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new instrumental jazz recordings.*

4. NEARNESS  
Joshua Redman & Brad Mehldau  
[Nonesuch]

#### **Field 11 - Gospel/Contemporary Christian Music**

##### **Category 36**

###### **Best Gospel Performance/Song**

*This award is given to the artist(s) and songwriter(s) (for new compositions) for the best traditional Christian, roots gospel or contemporary gospel single or track.*

5. BETTER  
Hezekiah Walker; Jason Clayborn, Gabriel Hatcher &  
Hezekiah Walker, songwriters  
Track from: Azusa: The Next Generation 2- Better  
[Entertainment One/Azusa; Publisher(s): JayClay Publishing/Luv-Ki/Phat  
Chordz Productions] (Distributed by ADA)

##### **Category 37**

###### **Best Contemporary Christian Music Performance/Song**

*This award is given to the artist(s) and songwriter(s) (for new compositions) for the best contemporary Christian pop, Christian rap/hip-hop, or Christian rock single or track.*

2. PRICELESS  
For King & Country; Benjamin Backus, Seth Mosley, **Joel Smallbone, Luke Smallbone** & Tedd  
Tjornhom, songwriters  
Track from: Run Wild. Live Free. Love Strong. [The Anniversary Edition]  
[Fervent/Curb Records; Publisher(s): Warner Tamerlane/Dayspring Music, LLC/Kilns Music / WB  
Music Corp./Word Music, LLC/Method To The Madness/Shankel Songs/CentricSongs/2 Hour  
Songs/R1WAY Music Publishing/Wordspring Music, LLC] (Distributed by WEA)



3. KING OF THE WORLD

Natalie Grant; Natalie Grant, Becca Mizell & Samuel Mizell, songwriters

Track from: Be One

[Curb Records; Publisher(s): SeeSeeBubba Songs admin. by Music Services/Maxx Melodies/BMG Platinum Songs/Takin It To The Maxx] (Distributed by WEA)

4. THY WILL

**Hillary Scott** & The Scott Family; Bernie Herms, **Hillary Scott & Emily Weisband**, songwriters

Track from: Love Remains

[EMI Records Nashville; Publisher(s): W.B.M. Music Corp./EKT Publishing, admin. by W.B.M. Music Corp./WB Music Corp./Thankful For This Music, admin. by WB Music Corp./Songs of Universal, Inc./G650 Music]

**Category 38**

**Best Gospel Album**

*This award is given to the artist(s) and any producer(s) or engineer(s) responsible for at least 51% playing time of an album containing at least 51% playing time of newly recorded, vocal, traditional or contemporary/R&B gospel music recordings.*

3. A WORSHIPPER'S HEART [LIVE]

Todd Dulaney

[Entertainment One/Worship] (Distributed by ADA)

**Category 39**

**Best Contemporary Christian Music Album**

*This award is given to the artist(s) and any producer(s) or engineer(s) responsible for at least 51% playing time of an album containing at least 51% playing time of newly recorded, vocal, contemporary Christian music, including pop, rap/hip-hop, or rock recordings. (Subject to eligibility criteria)*

3. BE ONE

Natalie Grant

[Curb Records] (Distributed by WEA)

**Category 40**

**Best Roots Gospel Album**

*This award is given to the artist(s) and any producer(s) or engineer(s) responsible for at least 51% playing time of an album containing at least 51% playing time of newly recorded, vocal, traditional/roots gospel music, including country, Southern gospel, bluegrass, and Americana recordings. (Subject to eligibility criteria)*

5. GOD DON'T NEVER CHANGE: THE SONGS OF BLIND WILLIE JOHNSON

(Various Artists)

Jeffrey Gaskill, producer

[Alligator Records] (Distributed By ADA)

## Field 12 – Latin

### Category 41

#### **Best Latin Pop Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new Latin pop recordings.*

1. UN BESITO MAS  
Jesse & Joy  
[Warner Music Mexico]

3. SIMILARES  
Laura Pausini  
[Warner Music Italia/Warner Music Group]

## Field 13 - American Roots Music

### Category 45

#### **Best American Roots Performance**

*For new vocal or instrumental American Roots recordings. This is for performances in the style of any of the subgenres encompassed in the American Roots Music field including Americana, bluegrass, blues, folk or regional roots. Award to the artist(s).*

2. MOTHER'S CHILDREN HAVE A HARD TIME  
Blind Boys Of Alabama  
Track from: God Don't Never Change: The Songs Of Blind Willie Johnson  
[Alligator Records] (Distributed By ADA)

3. FACTORY GIRL  
Rhiannon Giddens  
Track from: Factory Girl  
[Nonesuch Records Inc.]

### Category 49

#### **Best Traditional Blues Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new vocal or instrumental traditional blues recordings.*

3. BLUES & BALLADS (A FOLKSINGER'S SONGBOOK: VOLUMES I & II)  
Luther Dickinson  
[New West Records] (Distributed By ADA)

### Category 50

#### **Best Contemporary Blues Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new vocal or instrumental contemporary blues recordings.*

5. EVERYBODY WANTS A PIECE  
Joe Louis Walker  
[Provogue] (Distributed by ADA)

### **Category 51**

#### **Best Folk Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new vocal or instrumental folk recordings.*

3. FACTORY GIRL  
Rhiannon Giddens  
[Nonesuch Records Inc.]

### **Field 14 – Reggae**

#### **Category 53**

#### **Best Reggae Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new reggae recordings.*

4. EVERLASTING  
Raging Fyah  
[Dub Rockers/VP Records] (Distributed by ADA)

### **Field 15 - World Music**

#### **Category 54**

#### **Best World Music Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new vocal or instrumental world music recordings.*

5. DOIS AMIGOS, UM SÉCULO DE MÚSICA: MULTISHOW LIVE  
Caetano Veloso & Gilberto Gil  
[Nonesuch]

### **Field 18 – Comedy**

#### **Category 57**

#### **Best Comedy Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new recordings.*

3. BOYISH GIRL INTERRUPTED  
Tig Notaro  
[Secretly Canadian] (Distributed By ADA)

### **Field 19 - Musical Theater**

#### **Category 58**

#### **Best Musical Theater Album**

*For albums containing at least 51% playing time of new recordings. Award to the principle vocalist(s) and the album producer(s) of 51% or more playing time of the album. The lyricist(s) and composer(s) of a new score are eligible for an Award if they have written and/or composed a new score which comprises 51% or more playing time of the album.*

5. WAITRESS  
Jessie Mueller, principal soloist; Neal Avron, Sara Bareilles & Nadia DiGiallonardo, producers; Sara Bareilles, composer & lyricist (Original Broadway Cast)  
[DMI Soundtracks] (Distributed by WEA)

## Field 20 - Music for Visual Media

### Category 59

#### Best Compilation Soundtrack For Visual Media

*Award to the artist(s) and/or 'in studio' producer(s) of a majority of the tracks on the album. In the absence of both, award to the one or two individuals proactively responsible for the concept and musical direction of the album and for the selection of artists, songs and producers, as applicable. Award also goes to appropriately credited music supervisor(s).*

4. SUICIDE SQUAD (COLLECTOR'S EDITION)

(Various Artists)

[Atlantic/WaterTower Music]

5. VINYL: THE ESSENTIALS SEASON 1

(Various Artists)

[Atlantic/Warner Bros. Records]

### Category 60

#### Best Score Soundtrack For Visual Media

*Award to Composer(s) for an original score created specifically for, or as a companion to, a current legitimate motion picture, television show or series, video games or other visual media.*

3. THE REVENANT

Alva Noto & Ryuichi Sakamoto, composers

[Milan Records] (Distributed by ADA)

### Category 61

#### Best Song Written For Visual Media

*A Songwriter(s) award. For a song (melody & lyrics) written specifically for a motion picture, television, video games or other visual media, and released for the first time during the Eligibility Year. (Artist names appear in parentheses.) Singles or Tracks only.*

2. HEATHENS

**Tyler Joseph**, songwriter (**Twenty One Pilots**) Track from: Suicide Squad

[Atlantic/WaterTower Music; Publisher(s): Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Stryker Joseph Music]

3. JUST LIKE FIRE

**Oscar Holter**, Max Martin, P!nk & Shellback, songwriters (P!nk) Track from: Alice Through The

Looking Glass [RCA Records/Walt Disney Records; Publisher(s): EMI Blackwood Music, Inc./P!nk Inside Publishing/MXM Music admin. by Kobalt Songs Music Publishing, Inc./Wolf Cousins/WB Music Corp. o/b/o Warner/Chappell Music Scandinavia/Lionheart Music/Walt Disney Music Company/Wonderland Music Company, Inc.]

4. PURPLE LAMBORGHINI

**Shamann Cooke**, Sonny Moore & William Roberts, songwriters (Skrillex & Rick Ross)

Track from: Suicide Squad

[Atlantic/WaterTower Music; Publisher(s): Copaface admin. by Kobalt Music/EMI Blackwood Music Inc./4 Blunts Lit At Once/Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp. o/b/o itself/Rich Forever and Close Range Publishing]

6. THE VEIL

Peter Gabriel, songwriter (Peter Gabriel) Track from: Snowden

[Real World Records/Peter Gabriel Ltd.; Publisher(s): Real World Music Ltd/Sony ATV]

(Distributed by ADA)

## Field 22 – Package

### Category 65

#### Best Recording Package

3. HUMAN PERFORMANCE

Andrew Savage, art director (Parquet Courts)  
[Rough Trade Records] (Distributed by ADA)

5. 22, A MILLION

Eric Timothy Carlson, art director (Bon Iver)  
[Jagjaguwar] (Distributed By ADA)

### Category 66

#### Best Boxed Or Special Limited Edition Package

1. EDITH PIAF 1915-2015

Gérard Lo Monaco, art director (Edith Piaf)  
[Warner Music France]

## Field 23 – Notes

### Category 67

#### Best Album Notes

3. ORK RECORDS: NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Rob Sevier & Ken Shipley, album notes writers  
(Various Artists)  
[The Numero Group] (Distributed by ADA)

## Field 24 – Historical

### Category 68

#### Best Historical Album

3. ORK RECORDS: NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Rob Sevier & Ken Shipley, compilation producers; Jeff Lipton & Maria Rice, mastering engineers  
(Various Artists)  
[The Numero Group] (Distributed by ADA)

## Field 25 - Production, Non-Classical

### Category 69

#### Best Engineered Album, Non-Classical

*An Engineer's Award. (Artists names appear in parentheses.)*

3. DIG IN DEEP

Ryan Freeland, engineer; Kim Rosen, mastering engineer (Bonnie Raitt)  
[Redwing Records] (Distributed by ADA)

### Category 71

**Best Remixed Recording**

*A Remixer's Award. (Artists names appear in parentheses for identification.) Singles or Tracks only.*

5. TEARING ME UP (RAC REMIX)  
André Allen Anjos, remixer (Bob Moses)  
[Domino Recording] (Distributed By ADA)

**Field 28 – Classical****Category 77****Best Choral Performance**

*Award to the Conductor, and to the Choral Director and/or Chorus Master where applicable and to the Choral Organization/Ensemble.*

4. PENDERECKI CONDUCTS PENDERECKI, VOLUME 1  
Krzysztof Penderecki, conductor; Henryk Wojnarowski, choir director (Nikolay Didenko, Agnieszka Rehlis & Johanna Rusanen; Warsaw Philharmonic Orchestra; Warsaw Philharmonic Choir)  
[Warner Classics]

**Category 79****Best Classical Instrumental Solo**

*Award to the Instrumental Soloist(s) and to the Conductor when applicable.*

1. ADAMS, J.: SCHEHERAZADE.2  
Leila Josefowicz; David Robertson, conductor (Chester Englander; St. Louis Symphony)  
[Nonesuch]

**Category 80****Best Classical Solo Vocal Album**

*Award to: Vocalist(s), Collaborative Artist(s) (Ex: pianists, conductors, chamber groups) Producer(s), Recording Engineers/Mixers with 51% or more playing time of new material.*

2. MOZART: THE WEBER SISTERS  
Sabine Devieille; Raphaël Pichon, conductor  
(Pygmalion)  
[Erato]
4. SHAKESPEARE SONGS  
Ian Bostridge; Antonio Pappano, accompanist (Michael Collins, Elizabeth Kenny, Lawrence Power & Adam Walker)  
[Warner Classics]

**Field 29 - Music Video/Film****Category 83****Best Music Video**

*Award to the artist, video director, and video producer.*

3. UP & UP  
Coldplay  
Vania Heymann & Gal Muggia, video directors; Juliette Larthe & Natan Schottenfels, video producers  
[Parlophone Records/Atlantic]

#### 4. GOSH

Jamie XX Romain Gavras, video director; Iconoclast, video producers  
[Young Turks] (Distributed By ADA)

**The following Warner/Chappell Artists were recognized with Grammy Nominations  
(Names in bold indicate Warner/Chappell artist)**

**Record Of The Year**

- Formation

**Beyoncé**

Beyoncé Knowles, Mike Will Made-It & Pluss, producers; Jaycen Joshua & Stuart White, engineers/mixers; Dave Kutch, mastering engineer

**Track from:** Lemonade

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

- 7 Years

**Lukas Graham**

Future Animals & Pilo, producers; Delbert Bowers, Sebastian Fogh, Stefan Forrest & David LaBrel, engineers/mixers; Tom Coyne, mastering engineer

**Track from:** Lukas Graham

**Label:** Warner Bros. Records

- Work

**Rihanna** Featuring Drake

Boi-1da, producer; Noel "Gadget" Campbell, Kuk Harrell, Manny Marroquin, Noah "40" Shebib & Marcos Tovar, engineers/mixers; Chris Gehringer, mastering engineer

**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment

- Stressed Out

**Twenty One Pilots**

Mike Elizondo & **Tyler Joseph**, producers; Neal Avron & Adam Hawkins, engineers/mixers; Chris Gehringer, mastering engineer

**Track from:** Blurryface

**Label:** Fueled By Ramen

**Album Of The Year**

- Lemonade

**Beyoncé**

James Blake, Kendrick Lamar, The Weeknd & Jack White, featured artists; Vincent Berry II, Ben Billions, James Blake, BOOTS, Jonny Coffey, Dannyboystyles, Michael Dean, Alex Delicata, Diplo, Derek Dixie, Kevin Garrett, Diana Gordon, HazeBanga, Hit-Boy, Just Blaze, King Henry, Beyoncé Knowles, Ezra Koenig, Jeremy McDonald, MeLo-X, Mike Will Made-It, Pluss & Jack White, producers; Mike Dean, Jaycen Joshua, Greg Koller, Tony Maserati, Lester Mendoza, Vance Powell, Joshua V. Smith & Stuart White, engineers/mixers; Dave Kutch, mastering engineer

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

**Song Of The Year**

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**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records; Publisher(s): WB Music Corp./Sounds From Eardrummers LLC/Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp/Oakland 13 Music

- 7 Years



Lukas Forchhammer, Stefan Forrest, Morten Pilegaard, Morten Ristorp and David LaBrel, songwriters (**Lukas Graham**)

**Track from:** Lukas Graham

**Label:** Warner Bros. Records; Publisher(s): WB Music Corp o/b/o Lukas Graham Songs/WB Music Corp o/b/o Stefupublishing & Halla!Halla! Publishing/Then We Take The World/Westside Independent Music Publishing o/b/o Thou Art the Hunger/Late 80's Music/F\*\*\* YOU DAVE

### **Best Pop Solo Performance**

- Hold Up

**Beyoncé**

**Track from:** Lemonade

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

### **Best Pop Duo/Group Performance**

- 7 Years

**Lukas Graham**

**Track from:** Lukas Graham

**Label:** Warner Bros. Records

- Work

**Rihanna** Featuring Drake

**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment

- Stressed Out

**Twenty One Pilots**

**Track from:** Blurryface

**Label:** Fueled By Ramen

### **Best Rock Performance**

- Don't Hurt Yourself

**Beyoncé** Featuring Jack White

**Track from:** Lemonade

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

- The Sound Of Silence (Live On Conan)

**Disturbed**

**Label:** Reprise

- Heathens

**Twenty One Pilots**

**Track from:** Suicide Squad: The Album

**Label:** Atlantic Records

### **Best Metal Performance**

- Dystopia

**Megadeth**

**Track from:** Dystopia

**Label:** UME

### **Best Rock Song**

- Burn The Witch

**Radiohead**, songwriters (Radiohead)  
**Track from:** A Moon Shaped Pool  
**Label:** XL Recordings; Publisher(s): Warner/Chappell Music Ltd.

• Heathens  
Tyler Joseph, songwriter (**Twenty One Pilots**)  
**Track from:** Suicide Squad: The Album  
**Label:** Atlantic Records; Publisher(s): Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Stryker Joseph Music

#### **Best Alternative Music Album**

• A Moon Shaped Pool  
**Radiohead**  
**Label:** XL Recordings

#### **Best R&B Performance**

• Needed Me  
**Rihanna**  
**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment/Roc Nation Records

#### **Best R&B Song**

• Come See Me  
**J. Brathwaite**, Aubrey Graham & Noah Shebib, songwriters (**PartyNextDoor** Featuring Drake)  
**Track from:** PartyNextDoor 3 (P3)  
**Label:** OVO Sound/Warner Bros. Records; Publisher(s): Party OMO Ltd./Warner Chappell Music/Sandra Gale/EMI Music Publishing/Mavor & Moses Inc./Kobalt

• Kiss It Better  
Jeff Bhasker, **Robyn Fenty**, John-Nathan Glass & Natalia Noemi, songwriters (**Rihanna**)  
**Track from:** Anti  
**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment/Roc Nation Records; Publisher(s): Songs of Universal/Sony/ATV Songs/The Kills Effect/Way Above Music

#### **Best Urban Contemporary Album**

• Lemonade  
**Beyoncé**  
**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

• Anti  
**Rihanna**  
**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment/Roc Nation Records

#### **Best Rap Performance**

• All The Way Up  
**Fat Joe & Remy Ma** Featuring French Montana & Infared  
**Label:** RNG/Empire

#### **Best Rap/Sung Performance**

• Freedom  
**Beyoncé** Featuring **Kendrick Lamar**  
**Track from:** Lemonade

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

- Ultralight Beam

Kanye West Featuring Chance The Rapper, Kelly Price, Kirk Franklin & **The-Dream**

**Track from:** The Life Of Pablo

**Label:** G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam Recordings

- Famous

Kanye West Featuring **Rihanna**

**Label:** G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam Recordings

### **Best Rap Song**

- All The Way Up

Joseph Cartagena, Edward Davadi, Shandel Green, Karim Kharbouch, Andre Christopher Lyon, Reminisce Mackie & Marcello Valenzano, songwriters (**Fat Joe & Remy Ma** Featuring French Montana & Infared)

**Label:** RNG/Empire

- Famous

Chancelor Bennett, Ross Birchard, Ernest Brown, Andrew Dawson, Kasseem Dean, Mike Dean, Noah Goldstein, Kejuan Muchita, Patrick Reynolds, Kanye West & Cydel Young, songwriters (Kanye West Featuring **Rihanna**)

**Label:** G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam; Publisher(s): Please Gimme My Publishing/EMI Blackwood Music Inc./BMG Platinum Songs/Mr. Redan Music admin. by BMG Rights Management (US) LLC/Juvenile Hell/Universal Music-MGB Songs/Noah Goldstein admin. by Donda Publishing/EMI April Music Inc./Sound EQ Music/Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Papa George Music admin. by Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Chancelor Bennett Publishing Designee/Monza Ronza/Universal Tunes/Donda Publishing/EMI Blackwood Music Inc./Warp Publishing/Plain Pat What Up

- No Problem

Chancelor Bennett, Dwayne Carter & Tauheed Epps, songwriters (Chance The Rapper Featuring **Lil Wayne & 2 Chainz**)

**Label:** Chance The Rapper

### **Best Country Duo/Group Performance**

- 21 Summer

**Brothers Osborne**

**Track from:** Pawn Shop

**Label:** EMI Records Nashville

### **Best Contemporary Christian Music Performance/Song**

- Priceless

**For King & Country;** Benjamin Backus, Seth Mosley, Joel Smallbone, Luke Smallbone & Tedd Tjornhom, songwriters

**Track from:** Run Wild. Live Free. Love Strong. [The Anniversary Edition]

**Label:** Fervent/Curb Records; Publisher(s): Warner Tamerlane/Dayspring Music, LLC/Kilns Music / WB Music Corp./Word Music, LLC/Method To The Madness/Shankel Songs/CentricSongs/2 Hour Songs/R1WAY Music Publishing/Wordspring Music, LLC

- Thy Will

**Hillary Scott & The Scott Family;** Bernie Herms, Hillary Scott & Emily Weisband, songwriters

**Track from:** Love Remains

**Label:** EMI Records Nashville; Publisher(s): W.B.M. Music Corp./EKT Publishing, admin. by W.B.M. Music Corp./WB Music Corp./Thankful For This Music, admin. by WB Music Corp./Songs of Universal, Inc./G650 Music

### **Best Contemporary Christian Music Album**

• Love Remains  
Hillary Scott & The Scott Family  
**Label:** EMI Records Nashville

### **Best Latin Pop Album**

• Un Besito Mas  
**Jesse & Joy**  
**Label:** Warner Music Mexico

• Similares  
**Laura Pausini**  
**Label:** Warner Music Italia/Warner Music Group

### **Best Latin Rock, Urban or Alternative Album**

• L.H.O.N. (La Humanidad O Nosotros)  
**Illya Kuryaki & The Valderamas**  
**Label:** Sony Music

### **Best Compilation Soundtrack For Visual Media**

• Suicide Squad (Collector's Edition)  
(Various Artists)  
**Label:** Atlantic/WaterTower Music  
**Lil Wayne, Wiz Khalifa, Twenty One Pilots, Kevin Gates**  
**Best Score Soundtrack For Visual Media**

• Star Wars: The Force Awakens  
**John Williams**, composer  
**Label:** Walt Disney Records

### **Best Song Written For Visual Media**

• Heathens  
**Tyler Joseph**, songwriter (**Twenty One Pilots**)  
**Track from:** Suicide Squad  
**Label:** Atlantic/WaterTower Music; Publisher(s): Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Stryker Joseph Music

### **Best Recording Package**

• Anti (Deluxe Edition)  
Cierra Pardo & Robyn Fenty, art directors (**Rihanna**)  
**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment  
**Robyn Fenty**

### **Best Boxed Or Special Limited Edition Package**

- Edith Piaf 1915-2015  
G rard Lo Monaco, art director (**Edith Piaf**)  
**Label:** Warner Music France  
**Edith Piaf**

#### **Best Album Notes**

- **Sissle And Blake** Sing Shuffle Along  
Ken Bloom & Richard Carlin, album notes writers (**Eubie Blake & Noble Sissle**)  
**Label:** Harbinger Records/The Musical Theater Project

#### **Best Music Video**

- Formation  
**Beyonc **  
Melina Matsoukas, video director; Nathan Scherrer, video producer  
**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records
- Up & Up  
Coldplay featuring **Beyonce**  
Vania Heymann & Gal Muggia, video directors; Juliette Larthe & Natan Schottenfels, video producers  
**Label:** Parlophone Records/Atlantic

#### **Best Music Film**

- I'll Sleep When I'm Dead  
**Steve Aoki**  
Justin Krook, video director; Brent Almond, Matt Colon, David Gelb, Ryan Kavanaugh, Happy Walters & Matthew Weaver, video producers  
**Label:** Relativity
- Lemonade  
**Beyonc **  
Beyonc  Knowles Carter & Kahlil Joseph, video directors; Beyonc  Knowles Carter, video producer  
**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

**Warner/Chappell also had interest in the following songs or recordings:**

### **Record Of The Year**

- Formation

Beyoncé

Beyoncé Knowles, Mike Will Made-It & Pluss, producers; Jaycen Joshua & Stuart White, engineers/mixers; Dave Kutch, mastering engineer

**Track from:** Lemonade

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

**Beyonce Knowles, Michael Williams, Khalif Brown, Aaquil Brown and Asheton Hogan**

- 7 Years

Lukas Graham

Future Animals & Pilo, producers; Delbert Bowers, Sebastian Fogh, Stefan Forrest & David LaBrel, engineers/mixers; Tom Coyne, mastering engineer

**Track from:** Lukas Graham

**Label:** Warner Bros. Records

**Christopher "Brody" Brown, Lukas Forchhammer, Morten Ristorp, Stefan Forrest, David Labrel and Morten Pilegaard**

- Work

Rihanna Featuring Drake

Boi-1da, producer; Noel "Gadget" Campbell, Kuk Harrell, Manny Marroquin, Noah "40" Shebib & Marcos Tovar, engineers/mixers; Chris Gehringer, mastering engineer

**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment

**Robyn Fenty, Jahron Brathwaite, Matthew Samuels, Aubrey Graham, Allen Ritter, Rupert Thomas and Marco Moir**

- Stressed Out

Twenty One Pilots

Mike Elizondo & Tyler Joseph, producers; Neal Avron & Adam Hawkins, engineers/mixers; Chris Gehringer, mastering engineer

**Track from:** Blurryface

**Label:** Fueled By Ramen

**Tyler Joseph**

### **Album Of The Year**

- Hello

Adele

Greg Kurstin, producer; Julian Burg, Tom Elmhirst, Greg Kurstin, Liam Nolan & Alex Pasco, engineers/mixers; Tom Coyne & Randy Merrill, mastering engineers

**Track from:** 25

**Label:** XL Recordings/Columbia Records

*All I Ask* – **Bruno Mars, Christopher Brown, Adele Adkins, Philip Lawrence**

- Lemonade

Beyoncé

James Blake, Kendrick Lamar, The Weeknd & Jack White, featured artists; Vincent Berry II, Ben Billions, James Blake, BOOTS, Jonny Coffey, Dannyboystyles, Michael Dean, Alex Delicata, Diplo, Derek Dixie, Kevin Garrett, Diana Gordon, HazeBanga, Hit-Boy, Just Blaze, King Henry, Beyoncé Knowles, Ezra Koenig, Jeremy McDonald, MeLo-X, Mike Will Made-It, Pluss & Jack White, producers; Mike Dean, Jaycen Joshua, Greg Koller, Tony Maserati, Lester Mendoza, Vance Powell, Joshua V. Smith & Stuart White, engineers/mixers; Dave Kutch, mastering engineer

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

*Pray You Catch Me* – **Beyonce Knowles, Kevin Garrett**, James Blake / *Hold Up* – **Beyonce Knowles, Uzoachi Emenike, Doc Pomus, Mort Shuman**, Thomas Pentz, Emile Haynie, Joshua Tillman, Sean Rhoden, Nick Zinner, Karen Orzolek, Brian Chase, Deandre Way, Antonio Randolph, Kelvin McConnell, Ezra Koenig / *Don't Hurt Yourself* – **Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon, Jimmy Page, Robert Plant, John Jones, John Bonham, Jack White / *Sorry* – **Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon**, Sean Rhoden / *6 Inch* – **Beyonce Knowles, Ahmad Balshe, Terius Nash, Jordan Cruz**, Abel Tesfaye, Danny Schofield, Ben Diehl, Burt Bacharach, Hal David / *Daddy Lessons* – **Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon, Kevin Cossom**, Alexander Delicata / *Love Drought* – **Beyonce Knowles, Michael Dean**, Ingrid Burley / *Sandcastles* – **Beyonce Knowles**, Vincent Berry, Malik Jones, Midian Mathers / *Forward* – **Beyonce Knowles**, James Blake / *Freedom* – **Beyonce Knowles, Kendrick Lamar**, Arrow Benjamin, Jonny Coffey, Carla White, Alan Lomax, John Lomax, Frank Tirado Rosales / *All Night* – **Beyonce Knowles, Jaramye Daniels**, Henry Allen, Isley Juber, Akil King, Thomas Pentz, Theron Thomas, Tim Thomas / *Formation* – **Beyonce Knowles, Michael Williams, Khalif Brown, Aaquil Brown and Asheton Hogan****

- Purpose

Justin Bieber

Big Sean, Diplo, Halsey, Travis Scott & Skrillex, featured artists; The Audibles, Axident, Justin Bieber, Big Taste, Benny Blanco, Blood, Jason "Poo Bear" Boyd, Scott "Scooter" Braun, Mike Dean, Diplo, Gladius, Nico Hartikainen, Mark "The Mogul" Jackson, Steve James, Ian Kirkpatrick, Maejor, MdL, Skrillex, Jeremy Snyder & @ S O U N D Z, producers; Simon Cohen, Diplo, Mark "Exit" Goodchild, Josh Gudwin, Jaycen Joshua, Manny Marroquin, Chris 'Tek' O'Ryan, Johannes Rassina, Gregg Rominiecki, Chris Sclafani, Skrillex, Dylan William & Andrew Wuepper, engineers/mixers; Tom Coyne & Randy Merrill, mastering engineers

**Label:** Def Jam Recordings

*What Do You Mean?* – **Mason Levy**, Justin Bieber, Jason Boyd / *Sorry* – **Justin Tranter, Julia Michaels**, Justin Bieber, Sonny Moore, Michael Tucker / *Company* – **Andreas Schuller**, James Abrahart, Thomas Troelsen, James Wong, Leroy Clampitt, Justin Bieber, Jason Boyd / *No Sense* – **Michael Dean**, Justin Bieber, Jason Boyd, Kenneth Coby, Jacques Webster / *The Feeling* – **Ian Kirkpatrick, Julia Michaels**, Clarence Coffee, Sonny Moore, Justin Bieber, Sarah Hudson

- Views

Drake

dvsn, Future, Kyla, PartyNextDoor, Rihanna & Wizkid, featured artists; Brian Alexander-Morgan, Axlfoliethc, Beat Bully, Boi-1Da, Cardo, Dwayne "Supa Dups" Chin-Quee, Daxz, DJ Dahi, Frank Dukes, Maneesh, Murda Beatz, Nineteen85, Ricci Riera, Allen Ritter, Noah "40" Shebib, Southside, Sevn Thomas, Jordan Ullman, Kanye West, Wizkid & Young Exclusive, producers; Noel Cadastre, Noel "Gadget" Campbell, Seth Firkins, David "Prep" Bijan Hugues & Noah "40" Shebib, engineers/mixers; Chris Athens, mastering engineer

**Label:** Young Money/Cash Money/Republic Records

*U With Me?* – **Ricci Riera, Axel Morgan, Jahron Brathwaite**, Earl Simmons, Anthony Fields, Mark Andrews, Tamir Ruffin / *Feel No Ways* – **Jordan Ullman**, Aubrey Graham, Noah Shebib, Kanye West, Anne Dudley, Malcolm McLaren, Nayvadius Wilburn / *With You* – **Jahron Brathwaite, Shane Lindstrom**, Aubrey Graham, Paul Jefferies, Carl McCormick / *Faithful* – **Kevin Hicks**, Johnta Austin, Chad Butler, Bryan Cox, Daniel Daley, Aubrey Graham, Matthew Samuels, Noah Shebib / *Grammys* – **Joshua Luellen**, Aubrey Graham, Noah Shebib, Ron Latour, Nayvadius Wilburn, Daveon Jackson / *Pop Style* – **Shawn Carter**, Aubrey Graham, Matthew Samuels, Kanye West, Rupert Thomas, Adam Feeney / *Too Good* – **Robyn Fenty**, Maneesh Bidaye, Dwayne Chin-Quee, Aubrey Graham, Andrew Hershey, Anthony Jefferies, Terence Lam, Anthony Martin, Andrea Sutherland / *Summers Over Interlude* – **Majid Al Maskati**, Maneesh Bidaye

## Song Of The Year

- Formation

**Khalif Brown, Asheton Hogan, Beyoncé Knowles & Michael L. Williams II and Aaquil**

**Brown**, songwriters (Beyoncé)

**Track from:** Lemonade

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records; Publisher(s): WB Music Corp./Sounds From Eardrummers LLC/Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp/Oakland 13 Music

- 7 Years

**Lukas Forchhammer, Stefan Forrest, Morten Pilegaard, Morten Ristorp and David Labrel**  
songwriters (Lukas Graham)

**Track from:** Lukas Graham

**Label:** Warner Bros. Records; Publisher(s): WB Music Corp o/b/o Lukas Graham Songs/WB Music Corp o/b/o Stefpublishing & Halla!Halla! Publishing/Then We Take The World/Westside Independent Music Publishing o/b/o Thou Art the Hunger/Late 80's Music/F\*\*\* YOU DAVE

## Best Pop Solo Performance

- Hold Up

Beyoncé

**Track from:** Lemonade

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

**Beyonce Knowles, Doc Pomus, Mort Shuman, Uzoechi Emenike**, Thomas Pentz, Emile Haynie, Joshua Tillman, Sean Rhoden, Antonio Randolph, Kelvin McConnell, Karen Orzolek, Brian Chase, Nicholas Zinner and Deandre Way

- Dangerous Woman

Ariana Grande

**Track from:** Dangerous Woman

**Label:** Republic Records

**Ross Golan**, Johan Carlsson and Max Martin

## Best Pop Duo/Group Performance

- Closer

The Chainsmokers Featuring Halsey

**Label:** Disruptor Records/Columbia

**Shaun Frank**, Andrew Taggart, Joseph King, Isaac Slade, Ashely Frangipane, Freddy Kennett

- 7 Years

Lukas Graham

**Track from:** Lukas Graham

**Label:** Warner Bros. Records

**Lukas Forchhammer, Christopher “Brody” Brown, Stefan Forrest, David Labrel, Morten Pilegaard & Morten Ristorp**

- Work

Rihanna Featuring Drake

**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment

**Robyn Fenty, Jahron Brathwaite**, Matthew Samuels, Aubrey Graham, Allen Ritter, Ruperty Thomas and Marco Moir



• Stressed Out  
Twenty One Pilots  
**Track from:** Blurryface  
**Label:** Fueled By Ramen  
**Tyler Joseph**

### Best Traditional Pop Vocal Album

• Cinema  
Andrea Bocelli  
**Label:** Verve  
**Maria – Leonard Bernstein and Stephen Sondheim / Por Una Cabeza – Carlos Gardel and Alfredo Le Pera**

• Fallen Angels  
Bob Dylan  
**Label:** Columbia Records  
**Maybe You'll Be There – Sammy Gallop, Rube Bloom / Polka Dots and Moonbeams – Johnny Burke, James Van Heusen / Skylark – Johnny Mercer, Hoagy Carmichael / Nevertheless – Bert Kalmar, Harry Ruby / It Had to Be You – Isham Jones, Gus Khan / Melancholy Mood – Walter Schumann, Vic Knight**

• Stages Live  
Josh Groban  
**Label:** Reprise  
**Try To Remember – Tom Jones, Harvey Schmidt / Not While I'm Around – Stephen Sondheim / Finishing The Hat - Stephen Sondheim / Children Will Listen – Stephen Sondheim / Bring Him Home – Alain Boublil, Claude-Michael Schonberg, Herbert Kretzmer / Empty Chairs Empty Tables - Alain Boublil, Claude-Michael Schonberg, Herbert Kretzmer**

• Summertime: Willie Nelson Sings Gershwin  
Willie Nelson  
**Label:** Legacy Recordings  
**But Not For Me / Someone To Watch Over Me / I Got Rhythm / Embraceable You – George Gershwin, Ira Gershwin / Somebody Loves Me – George Gershwin, Ballard MacDonald, B.G. DeSylva / Let's Call The Whole Thing Off / Love Is Here To Stay / They All Laughed / They Can't Take That Away From Me – Ira Gershwin, George Gershwin / It Ain't Necessarily So – Ira Gershwin, DuBose Heyward, Dorothy Heyward, George Gershwin / Summertime – Ira Gershwin, George Gershwin, DuBose Heyward**

• Encore: Movie Partners Sing Broadway  
Barbra Streisand  
**Label:** Columbia Records  
**Loving You – Stephen Sondheim / The Best Thing That Ever Happened – Stephen Sondheim / Take Me to the World – Stephen Sondheim / I've Grown Accustomed to Her Face – Alan Lerner, Frederick Lowe / I Didn't know What Time It Was – Lorenz Hart, Richard Richards / Not a Day Goes By – Stephen Sondheim / Losing My Mind – Stephen Sondheim**

### Best Pop Vocal Album

• 25  
Adele  
**Label:** XL Recordings/Columbia Records  
**All I Ask – Bruno Mars, Christopher Brown, Adele Adkins, Philip Lawrence**

- Purpose

Justin Bieber

**Label:** Def Jam Recordings

*What Do You Mean?* – **Mason Levy**, Justin Bieber, Jason Boyd / *Sorry* – **Justin Tranter, Julia Michaels**, Justin Bieber, Sonny Moore, Michael Tucker / *Company* – **Andreas Schuller**, James Abrahart, Thomas Troelsen, James Wong, Leroy Clampitt, Justin Bieber, Jason Boyd / *No Sense* – **Michael Dean**, Justin Bieber, Jason Boyd, Kenneth Coby, Jacques Webster / *The Feeling* – **Ian Kirkpatrick, Julia Michaels**, Clarence Coffee, Sonny Moore, Justin Bieber, Sarah Hudson

- Dangerous Woman

Ariana Grande

**Label:** Republic

*Dangerous Woman* – **Ross Golan**, Johan Carlsson, Max Martin / *Into You* – **Ilya**, Savan Kotecha, Ariana Grande, Alexander Kronlund / *Side To Side* – **Ilya**, Savan Kotecha, Martin Sandberg, Ariana Grande, Alexander Kronlund, Nicki Minaj / *Let Me Love You* – **Dwayne Carter, Matthew O'Brien**, Victoria McCants, Ariana Grande, Thomas Brown, Steve Franks, Jeremy Felton, Markous Roberts / *Greedy* – **Ilya**, Savan Kotecha, Martin Sandberg, Alexander Kronlund / *Everyday* – **Ilya**, Savan Kotecha, Nayvadius Wilburn, Ariana Grande / *Bad Decisions* – **Ilya**, Savan Kotecha, Martin Sandberg, Ariana Grande / *Sometimes* – **Ilya**, Savan Kotecha, Peter Svensson, Martin Sandberg / *Touch It* – **Ali Payami**, Savan Kotecha, Max Martin, Peter Svensson, Ariana Grande

- Confident

Demi Lovato

**Label:** Hollywood Records/Island Records

*Confident* – **Ilya**, Savan Kotecha, Max Martin, Demi Lovato / *Cool For The Summer* – **Ali Payami**, Savan Kotecha, Max Martin, Alexander Kronlund, Demi Lovato / *For You* – **Ali Payami**, Johan Carlsson, Dalton Grant, Susan Catanzaro / *Waitin For You* – **Julia Michaels**, Jason Evigan, Steve Mac, Demi Lovato, Sara Mitchell

- This Is Acting

Sia

**Label:** Monkey Puzzle Records/RCA Records

*Footprints* – **Tyler Williams**, Nikhil Seetharam, Joshua Valle, Sia Furler / *The Greatest* – **Kendrick Lamar**, Sia Furler, Greg Kurstin

### Best Dance Recording

- Never Be Like You

Flume Featuring Kai

Harley Streten, producer; Eric J Dubowsky, mixer

**Label:** Mom+Pop Music/Future Classic.

**Geoffrey Earley**, Harley Streten, Alessia de Gasperis Brigante

### Best Dance/Electronic Album

- Skin

Flume

**Label:** Mom+Pop Music/Future Classic.

*Never Be Like You* – **Geoffrey Earley**, Harley Streten, Alessia Brigante / *Numb & Getting Colder* – **Geoffrey Earley**, Laura Lowther, Harley Streten / *Say It* – **Tove Lo**, Harley Streten, Daniel Johns, Julian Hamilton / *Smoke & Retribution* – **Vince Staples**, Harley Streten, Laura Lowther

- Louie Vega Starring...XXVIII

Louie Vega

**Label:** Vega Records

*You Are Everything* – **Linda Creed, Thomas Bell**/*Dance* – **Max Steiner**/*Do What You Gotta Do*  
– **Rick Williams**, Damon Core

### **Best Contemporary Instrumental Album**

• Human Nature  
Herb Alpert  
**Label:** Herb Alpert Presents  
*Human Nature* – **John Bettis**, Steven Porcaro

• Way Back Home: Live From Rochester, NY  
Steve Gadd Band  
**Label:** BFM Jazz  
*Bye Bye Blackbird* – **Ray Henderson, Mort Dixon**

### **Best Rock Performance**

• Don't Hurt Yourself  
Beyoncé Featuring Jack White  
**Track from:** Lemonade  
**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records  
**Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon, Jimmy Page, Robert Plant, John Jones, John Bonham,**  
Jack White

• Heathens  
Twenty One Pilots  
**Track from:** Suicide Squad: The Album  
**Label:** Atlantic Records  
**Tyler Joseph**

### **Best Metal Performance**

• Dystopia  
Megadeth  
**Track from:** Dystopia  
**Dave Mustaine**

### **Best Rock Song**

• Burn The Witch  
Radiohead, songwriters (Radiohead)  
**Track from:** A Moon Shaped Pool  
**Label:** XL Recordings; Publisher(s): Warner/Chappell Music Ltd.  
Blackened Recordings; Publisher(s): Creeping Death Music  
**Thomas Yorke, Jonathan Greenwood, Colin Greenwood, Philip Selway, Edward O'Brien**

• Heathens  
**Tyler Joseph**, songwriter (Twenty One Pilots)  
**Track from:** Suicide Squad: The Album  
**Label:** Atlantic Records; Publisher(s): Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Stryker Joseph Music

### **Best Alternative Music Album**

• A Moon Shaped Pool  
Radiohead  
**Label:** XL Recordings

*Burn The Witch / Daydreaming / Decks Dark / Desert Island Disk / Ful Stop / Glass Eyes / Identikit / The Numbers / Present Tense / Tinker Tailor Soldier Sailor Rich Man Poor Man Beggar Man Thief / True Love Waits / Spectre - Thomas Yorke, Jonathan Greenwood, Colin Greenwood, Philip Selway, Edward O'Brien*

### **Best R&B Performance**

• I Do  
Musiq Soulchild  
**Track from:** Life On Earth  
**Label:** My Block, Inc./Entertainment One  
**Warryn Campbell, Taalib Johnson, Ursula Yancy**

• Needed Me  
Rihanna  
**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment/Roc Nation Records  
**Robyn Fenty, Dijon McFarlane, Nicholas Audino, Lewis Hughes, Khaled Rohaim, Te Warbrick, Adam Feeney, Brittany Hazard, Charles Hinshaw, Rachel Derrus**

### **Best R&B Song**

• Come See Me  
**Jahron Brathwaite, Aubrey Graham & Noah Shebib, songwriters (PartyNextDoor Featuring Drake)**  
**Track from:** PartyNextDoor 3 (P3)  
**Label:** OVO Sound/Warner Bros. Records; Publisher(s): Party OMO Ltd./Warner Chappell Music/Sandra Gale/EMI Music Publishing/Mavor & Moses Inc./Kobalt

• Kiss It Better  
Jeff Bhasker, **Robyn Fenty, John-Nathan Glass & Natalia Noemi, songwriters (Rihanna)**  
**Track from:** Anti  
**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment/Roc Nation Records; Publisher(s): Songs of Universal/Sony/ATV Songs/The Kills Effect/Way Above Music

### **Best Urban Contemporary Album**

• Lemonade  
Beyoncé  
**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records  
*Pray You Catch Me – Beyonce Knowles, Kevin Garrett, James Blake / Hold Up – Beyonce Knowles, Uzoachi Emenike, Doc Pomus, Mort Shuman, Thomas Pentz, Emile Haynie, Joshua Tillman, Sean Rhoden, Nick Zinner, Karen Orzolek, Brian Chase, Deandre Way, Antonio Randolph, Kelvin McConnell, Ezra Koenig / Don't Hurt Yourself – Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon, Jimmy Page, Robert Plant, John Jones, John Bonham, Jack White / Sorry – Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon, Sean Rhoden / 6 Inch – Beyonce Knowles, Ahmad Balshe, Terius Nash, Jordan Cruz, Abel Tesfaye, Danny Schofield, Ben Diehl, Burt Bacharach, Hal David / Daddy Lessons – Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon, Kevin Cossom, Alexander Delicata / Love Drought – Beyonce Knowles, Michael Dean, Ingrid Burley / Sandcastles – Beyonce Knowles, Vincent Berry, Malik Jones, Midian Mathers / Forward – Beyonce Knowles, James Blake / Freedom – Beyonce Knowles, Kendrick Lamar, Arrow Benjamin, Jonny Coffey, Carla White, Alan Lomax, John Lomax, Frank Tirado Rosales / All Night – Beyonce Knowles, Jaramye Daniels, Henry Allen, Isley Juber, Akil King, Thomas Pentz, Theron Thomas, Tim Thomas / Formation – Beyonce Knowles, Michael Williams, Khalif Brown, Asheton Hogan and Aquil Brown*

• Malibu

Anderson .Paak

**Label:** OBE/Steel Wool/Art Club/Empire

*Room in Here* – **Egbert Van Alstyne, Victor Young, Wayne King**, Haven Gillespie, Gabriel Stevenson, Brandon Paak

• Anti

Rihanna

**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment/Roc Nation Records *Consideration* – **Robyn Fenty**, Solana Rowe, Tyran Donaldson / *James Joint* – **Robyn Fenty**, Robert Taylor, James Fauntleroy / *Kiss It Better* – **Robyn Fenty, John Glass**, Teddy Sinclair, Jeffrey Bhasker / *Work* – **Robyn Fenty, Jahron Brathwaite**, Matthew Samuels, Aubrey Graham, Allen Ritter, Rupert Thomas, Marco Moir / *Desperado* – **Robyn Fenty, Jillian Banks**, Krystin Watkins, James Fauntleroy, Rachel Derrus, Chris Taylor / *Woo* – **Robyn Fenty, Terius Nash**, Chauncey Hollis, Travis Scott, Abel Tesfaye, Jeremy Felton, Rachel Derrus, Jean Kouame / *Needed Me* – **Robyn Fenty**, Dijon McFarlane, Nicholas Audino, Lewis Hughes, Khaled Rohaim, Te Warbrick, Adam Feeney, Brittany Hazard, Charles Hinshaw Jr., Rachel Derrus / *Yeah, I Said It* – **Robyn Fenty**, Timothy Mosley, Evon Barnes, Daniel Jones, Christopher Godbey, Badrilla Bourelly, Jean Bourelly / *Same Ol' Mistakes* – **Chad Sabo, Robyn Fenty, Dido Armstrong**, Paul Herman / *Love On The Brain* – **Robyn Fenty, Joseph Angel**, Fred Ball / *Higher* – **Robyn Fenty, Kenneth Gamble**, Leon Huff, Jerry Butler, Ernest Wilson, James Fauntleroy, Badrilla Bourelly / *Close To You* – **Robyn Fenty, Brian Seals**, James Fauntleroy / *Goodnight Gotham* – **Robyn Fenty**, Christian Boggs, Florence Welch, Paul Epworth / *Pose* – **Robyn Fenty**, Chauncey Hollis, Badrilla Bourelly, Jean Bourelly, Jacques Webster / *Sex With Me* – **Robyn Fenty, Jahron Brathwaite**, Matthew Samuels, Adam Feeney, Anderson Hernandez, Chester Hansen

#### Best R&B Album

• In My Mind

BJ The Chicago Kid

**Label:** Motown Records

*The New Cupid* – **Kendrick Lamar**, Bryan Sledge, Raphael Saadiq / *Home* – **Lamar Edwards**, Bryan Sledge

#### Best Rap Performance

• No Problem

Chance The Rapper Featuring Lil Wayne & 2 Chainz

**Label:** Chance The Rapper

**Dwayne Carter**, Chancelor Bennett, Tauheed Epps, Ivan Jackson

• Pop Style

Drake Featuring The Throne

**Track from:** Views

**Label:** Cash Money Records/Republic Records

**Shawn Carter**, Aubrey Graham, Matthew Samuels, Kanye West, Rupert Thomas, Adam Feeney

• All The Way Up

Fat Joe & Remy Ma Featuring French Montana & Infared

**Label:** RNG/Empire

**Joseph Cartagena**, Remy Smith, Shandel Green, Marcello Valenzano, Andre Lyon, Edward Davadi, Karim Kharbouch

#### Best Rap/Sung Performance

• Freedom

Beyoncé Featuring Kendrick Lamar

**Track from:** Lemonade

**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

**Beyonce Knowles, Kendrick Lamar**, Arrow Benjamin, Jonny Coffey, Carla White, Alan Lomax, John Lomax, Frank Tirado Rosales

- Ultralight Beam

Kanye West Featuring Chance The Rapper, Kelly Price, Kirk Franklin & The-Dream

**Track from:** The Life Of Pablo

**Label:** G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam Recordings

**Michael Dean, Terius Nash**, Kanye West, Kelly Price, Nico Segal, Kirk Franklin, Kasseem Dean, Chancelor Bennett, Noah Goldstein, Jerome Potter, Samuel Griesemer, Cydel Young, Derek Watkins

- Famous

Kanye West Featuring Rihanna

**Label:** G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam Recordings

**Michael Dean**, Kanye West, Cydel Young, Kejuan Muchita, Noah Goldstein, Andrew Dawson, Chancelor Bennett, Kasseem Dean, Ernest Brown, Ed Hundertmark, Pat Reynolds, Jimmy Webb, Winston Riley, Luis Bacalov, Enzo Vita, Sergio Bardotti, Giampiero Scalamogna

### Best Rap Song

- All The Way Up

**Joseph Cartagena**, Edward Davadi, Shandel Green, Karim Kharbouch, Andre Christopher Lyon, Reminisce Mackie & Marcello Valenzano, songwriters (Fat Joe & Remy Ma Featuring French Montana & Infared)

**Label:** RNG/Empire

- Famous

Chancelor Bennett, Ross Birchard, Ernest Brown, Andrew Dawson, Kasseem Dean, **Mike Dean**, Noah Goldstein, Kejuan Muchita, Patrick Reynolds, Kanye West & Cydel Young, songwriters (Kanye West Featuring **Rihanna**)

**Label:** G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam; Publisher(s): Please Gimme My Publishing/EMI Blackwood Music Inc./BMG Platinum Songs/Mr. Redan Music admin. by BMG Rights Management (US) LLC/Juvenile Hell/Universal Music-MGB Songs/Noah Goldstein admin. by Donda Publishing/EMI April Music Inc./Sound EQ Music/Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Papa George Music admin. by Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Chancelor Bennett Publishing Designee/Monza Ronza/Universal Tunes/Donda Publishing/EMI Blackwood Music Inc./Warp Publishing/Plain Pat What Up

- No Problem

Chancelor Bennett, **Dwayne Carter** & Tauheed Epps, songwriters (Chance The Rapper Featuring **Lil Wayne** & 2 Chainz)

**Label:** Chance The Rapper

- Ultralight Beam

Chancelor Bennett, Kasseem Dean, **Mike Dean**, Kirk Franklin, Noah Goldstein, Samuel Griesemer, **Terius Nash**, Jerome Potter, Kelly Price, Nico "Donnie Trumpet" Segal, Derek Watkins, Kanye West & Cydel Young, songwriters (Kanye West Featuring Chance The Rapper, Kelly Price, Kirk Franklin & The-Dream)

**Track from:** The Life Of Pablo

**Label:** G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam; Publisher(s): Please Gimme My Publishing/EMI Blackwood Music Inc./Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Papa George Music admin. by Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./For the Write Price admin. by Kobalt Songs Music Publishing/2082 Music Publishing/WB Music Corp./Universal Music Brentwood Benson Songs/Universal Music Z-Tunes LLC/Monza Ronza/Universal Tunes/Chancelor Bennett Publishing Designee/Noah Goldstein Music/JLOL ASCAP/Samuel Griesemer Publishing Designee/BMG Platinum Songs/Mr. Redan Music

## Best Rap Album

- Coloring Book

Chance The Rapper

**Label:** Chance The Rapper

*No Problem* – **Dwayne Carter**, Chancelor Bennett, Tauheed Epps

- And The Anonymous Nobody

De La Soul

**Label:** A.O.I. Records

*Trainwreck* – **James Brown, Bobby Byrd, Ronald Lenhoff**, Davey Chegwiddden, Matt DeMerritt, David Jolicoeur, Jordan Katz, Josh Lopez, Vincent Mason, Kevin Mercer, Dave Palmer, Kaveh Rastegar, Dave

- Major Key

DJ Khaled

**Label:** Epic

*I Got The Keys* – **Joshua Luellen, Shawn Carter, Jacob Dutton**, Khaled Khaled, Robert Mandell, Nayvadius Wilburn / *For Free* – **Jordan Ullman**, Khaled Khaled, Kenneth Grant, Kacy Brooks, LaMarquis Jefferson, Paul Jefferies, Akinyele Adams, Frankie Malave, Craig David, James Phillips, Todd Shaw, Jonathan Smith, Aubrey Graham / *Holy Key* – **Kendrick Lamar**, Khaled Khaled, Andre Lyon, Marcello Valenzano, Edward Davadi Jr, Giuseppe Donaggio, Vito Pallavicini, Sean Anderson, Bessie Norris / *Do You Mind* – **Anthony Norris, Kevin Cossom, Sean McMillion, Ralph Jeanty**, Khaled Khaled, Nayvadius Wilburn, Michael Johnson, Johnny Mollings, Leonardo Mollings, Onika Maraj, Chris Brown, August Alsina, Jeremy Felton, William Roberts II / *Pick These Hoes Apart* – **Kevin Cossom**, Khaled Khaled, Benjamin Diehl, Derek Garcia, Dieuon Octave, Jay Jenkins, Karim Kharbouch / *Work For It* – **Radric Davis**, Khaled Khaled, Sean Anderson, Tauheed Epps, Leland Wayne, Adam Feeney, Jermaine Dupri, Raymond Usher, Manuel Seal Jr / *Tourist* – **Dwayne Carter, Dwane Weir**, Khaled Khaled, Jacques Webster / *Forgive Me Father* – **Cameron Thomaz, Olubowale Akintimehin**, Khaled Khaled, Meghan Trainor, Tommy Brown, Travis Sayles, Michael Foster

- Views

Drake

**Label:** OVO Sound/Young Money/Cash Money/Republic

*U With Me?* – **Ricci Riera, Axel Morgan, Jahron Brathwaite**, Earl Simmons, Anthony Fields, Mark Andrews, Tamir Ruffin / *Feel No Ways* – **Jordan Ullman**, Aubrey Graham, Noah Shebib, Kanye West, Anne Dudley, Malcolm McLaren, Nayvadius Wilburn / *With You* – **Jahron Brathwaite, Shane Lindstrom**, Aubrey Graham, Paul Jefferies, Carl McCormick / *Faithful* – **Kevin Hicks**, Johnta Austin, Chad Butler, Bryan Cox, Daniel Daley, Aubrey Graham, Matthew Samuels, Noah Shebib / *Grammys* – **Joshua Luellen**, Aubrey Graham, Noah Shebib, Ron Latour, Nayvadius Wilburn, Daveon Jackson / *Pop Style* – **Shawn Carter**, Aubrey Graham, Matthew Samuels, Kanye West, Rupert Thomas, Adam Feeney / *Too Good* – **Robyn Fenty**, Maneesh Bidaye, Dwayne Chin-Quee, Aubrey Graham, Andrew Hershey, Anthony Jefferies, Terence Lam, Anthony Martin, Andrea Sutherland / *Summers Over Interlude* – **Majid Al Maskati**, Maneesh Bidaye

- Blank Face LP

ScHoolboy Q

**Label:** Top Dawg Entertainment/Interscope Records *Ride Out* – **Vince Staples**, Quincy Hanley, Mark Spears / *Dope Dealer* – **Joshua Luellen**, Quincy Hanley, Leland Wayne, Earl Stevens, Norman Whitfield, Paul Beauregard, Jordan Houston, Patrick Houston / *Str8 Ballin* – **Claydes**

**Smith, Ronald Bell, Robert Bell, Otha Nash, Richard Westfield, Robert Mickens, Dennis Thomas, George Brown,** Vince Edwards, Tupac Shakur, Johnny Jackson, Tyruess Himes, Quincy Hanley

• The Life Of Pablo

Kanye West

**Label:** G.O.O.D. Music/Def Jam Recordings

*Ultralight Beam* – **Michael Dean, Terius Nash,** Kanye West / *Father Stretch My Hands Pt. 1* – **Michael Dean,** Kanye West / *Famous* – **Michael Dean,** Kanye West / *Low Lights* – **Michael Dean,** Kanye West / *Highlights* – **Michael Dean, Joshua Luellen, Terius Nash,** Kanye West, Tyler Bryant, Noah Goldstein, Patrick Reynolds, Jeffery Williams, Cydel Young / *Freestyle 4* – **Michael Dean,** Kanye West / *Waves* – **Michael Dean, Jahron Brathwaite,** Kanye West / *FML* – **Michael Dean,** Kanye West / *Real Friends* – **Michael Dean,** Kanye West, Matthew Samuels, Adam Feeney, Darren King, Noah Goldstein, Tyrone Griffin, Glenda Proby, Cydel Young, Rupert Thomas / *Wolves* – **Michael Dean, Kirby Dockery,** Kanye West, Noah Goldstein, Ryan McDermott, Pat Reynolds, Malik Yusef, Magnus Holberg, Elon Rutberg, Cydel Young, Alan Brinsmead, Vic Mensa, Sia Furler / *30 Hours* – **Michael Dean,** Kanye West, Aubrey Graham, Karriem Riggins, Charles Russell, Cornell Haynes, Jason Epperson, Pharrell Williams, Charles Brown, Isaac Hayes / *No More Parties In LA* – **Herbert Rooney, Kendrick Lamar,** Kanye West, Ronald Bean, Leigh Crizoe, Dennis Coles, Walter Morrison, Johnny Watson, Larry Graham, Tina Graham, Otis Jackson / *Facts* – **Joshua Luellen,** Kanye West, Cydel Young, Charles Brown, Noah Goldstein, Nicholas Smith, Leland Wayne, Nayvadius Wilburn / *Fade* – **Michael Dean,** Kanye West, Tyrone Griffin, Austin Post, Anthony Kilhoffer, Benjamin Benstead, Ryan Vojtesak, Noah Goldstein, Joseph Potter, Samuel Griesemer, Cornelius Grant, Eddie Holland, Norman Whitfield, Larry Heard, Robert Owens, Louie Vega, Ronald Carroll, Barbara Tucker, Harold Matthews, Rapture Stewart, Eric Seats, Stephen Garrett / *Saint Pablo* – **Shawn Carter, Michael Dean,** Deric Angelettie, Ronald Lawrence, Sampha Sisay, Kanye West, Norman Whitfield

### **Best Country Solo Performance**

• Church Bells

Carrie Underwood

**Track from:** Storyteller

**Label:** 19 Recordings/Arista Nashville

**Brett James, Zach Crowell,** Hillary Lindsey

• Blue Ain't Your Color

Keith Urban

**Track from:** Ripcord

**Label:** Capitol Records Nashville

**Steve Olsen,** Clint Lagerberg, Hillary Lindsey

### **Best Country Duo/Group Performance**

• 21 Summer

Brothers Osborne

**Track from:** Pawn Shop

**Label:** EMI Records Nashville

**TJ Osborne, John Osborne,** Craig Wiseman

• Setting The World On Fire

Kenny Chesney & P!nk

**Label:** Blue Chair Records/Columbia Nashville

**Matt Jenkins,** Josh Osborne, Ross Copperman

• Think Of You

Chris Young With Cassadee Pope



**Track from:** I'm Comin' Over  
**Label:** RCA Nashville  
**Justin Crowder**, Chris Young, Josh Hoge

### **Best Country Song**

• Blue Ain't Your Color  
Clint Lagerberg, Hillary Lindsey & **Steven Lee Olsen**, songwriters (Keith Urban)  
**Track from:** Ripcord  
**Label:** Capitol Records Nashville; Publisher(s): Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Songs of The Corn, admin. by Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp.; HillarodyRathbone Music, admin. by BMG Rights Management (US) LLC; House Of Sea Gayle Music, admin. by ClearBox Rights/Spirit Catalog Holdings, S.a.r.l. admin. by Spirit Two Nashville.

• Die A Happy Man  
**Sean Douglas**, Thomas Rhett & Joe Spargur, songwriters (Thomas Rhett)  
**Track from:** Tangled Up  
**Label:** The Valory Music Co.; Publisher(s): EMI Blackwood Music Inc./Cricket On The Line admin. by Sony/ATV Music Publishing LLC./ Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Eastman Pond Publishing admin. by Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Music of Big Deal/Nice Life/Frederic and Ried Music. admin. by BMG Rights Management (US) LLC.

### **Best Country Album**

• Big Day In A Small Town  
Brandy Clark  
**Label:** Warner Bros. Records  
*Daughter* – **Jeremy Spillman**, Brandy Clark, Jessie Jo Dillo

• Full Circle  
Loretta Lynn  
**Label:** Legacy Recordings  
*Secret Love* – **Sammy Fain, Paul Webster**

• Hero  
Maren Morris  
**Label:** Columbia Nashville  
*Sugar* – **Laura Veltz, Brett Tyler**, Maren Morris / *Rich* – **Laura Veltz**, Maren Morris, Jesse Jo Dillon / *I Could Use a Love Song* – **Laura Veltz**, Jimmy Robbins, Maren Morris

• Ripcord  
Keith Urban  
**Label:** Capitol Records Nashville  
*Getting' In The Way* – **Jordan Reynolds, Emily Weisband**, David Hodgers / *Blue Ain't Your Color* – **Steven Olsen**, Clint Lagerberg, Hilary Lindsey

### **Best Jazz Vocal Album**

• Upward Spiral  
Branford Marsalis Quartet With Special Guest Kurt Elling  
**Label:** Okeh  
*There's A Boat Dat's Leavin' Son For New York* – **Ira Gershwin**, George Gershwin, DuBose Heyward / *From One Island To Another*- **Chris Whitley** / *I'm A Fool To Want You*- **Frank Sinatra**, Jack Wolf, Joel Herron

• Harlem On My Mind  
Catherine Russell  
**Label:** Jazz Village  
*Blue Turning Grey Over You* – **Thomas “Fats” Waller**, Andy Razaf  
**Best Jazz Instrumental Album**

• Country For Old Men  
John Scofield  
**Label:** Impulse!  
*Faded Love* – **Bob Wills, Johnny Wills** / *I’m An Old Cowhand (From The Rio Grande)* – **Johnny Mercer**

#### **Best Large Jazz Ensemble Album**

• Presents Monk’estra, Vol. 1  
John Beasley  
**Label:** Mack Avenue Records  
*’Round Midnight*- **Cootie Williams, Bernard Hanighen**, Thelonious Monk

#### **Best Latin Jazz Album**

• Entre Colegas  
Andy González  
**Label:** Truth Revolution Records  
*Misty*- **Johnny Burke**, Erroll Garner / *Addams Family*- **Joseph R. Barbera, William Hanna, Hoyt S. Curtin**

#### **Best Contemporary Christian Music Performance/Song**

• Priceless  
For King & Country; Benjamin Backus, Seth Mosley, **Joel Smallbone, Luke Smallbone** & Tedd Tjornhom, songwriters  
**Track from:** Run Wild. Live Free. Love Strong. [The Anniversary Edition]  
**Label:** Fervent/Curb Records; Publisher(s): Warner Tamerlane/Dayspring Music, LLC/Kilns Music / WB Music Corp./Word Music, LLC/Method To The Madness/Shankel Songs/CentricSongs/2 Hour Songs/R1WAY Music Publishing/Wordspring Music, LLC

• Thy Will  
Hillary Scott & The Scott Family; Bernie Herms, **Hillary Scott & Emily Weisband**, songwriters  
**Track from:** Love Remains  
**Label:** EMI Records Nashville; Publisher(s): W.B.M. Music Corp./EKT Publishing, admin. by W.B.M. Music Corp./WB Music Corp./Thankful For This Music, admin. by WB Music Corp./Songs of Universal, Inc./G650 Music

#### **Best Contemporary Christian Music Album**

• American Prodigal  
Crowder  
**Label:** sixstepsrecords/Sparrow Records  
*My Victory* – **Darren Mulligan**, Hank Bentley, David Crowder and Ed Cash

• Be One  
Natalie Grant  
**Label:** Curb Records  
*Love Has One* – **Josh Bronleewe**, Phillipa Hanna, Bernie Herms and Natalie Grant

• Love Remains  
Hillary Scott & The Scott Family  
**Label:** EMI Records Nashville  
*Thy Will* – **Hillary Scott, Emily Westband**, Bernie Herms

#### Best Roots Gospel Album

• Hymns  
Joey+Rory  
**Label:** Gaither Music Group/Farmhouse Recordings  
*Take My Hand, Precious Lord* - **Thomas A. Dorsey**

#### Best Latin Pop Album

• Un Besito Mas  
Jesse & Joy  
**Label:** Warner Music Mexico  
*Ecós De Amor* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke**, Jason Reeves, Danelle Reeves, Rune Westberg / *Que Pena Me Da* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke**, Descemer Bueno / *Me Soltaste* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke, Tommy Torres** / *3 A.M.* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke, Tommy Torres** / *Dime Que No* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke, Tommy Torres** / *More Than Amigos* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke, Frase Smith** / *Quiereme Despacito* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke, Tommy Torres** / *El Malo* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke, Tommy Torres** / *No Soy Una De Esas* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke, Tommy Torres**, Alejandro Sanz / *Dueles* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke**, Martin Terefe, Cass Lowe / *Ay Doctor, Muero De Amor, Un Besito Mas* - **Jesse Eduardo Huerta Uecke, Tirzah Joy Huerta Uecke**

• Ilusión  
Gaby Moreno  
**Label:** Metamorfosis /Sony Music US Latin  
*Estaré* – **Tommy Torres**, Gaby Moreno

• Similares  
Laura Pausini  
**Label:** Warner Music Italia/Warner Music Group  
*Lado Derecho Del Corazon* - **Biagio Giovanni Antonacci, Laura Pausini** / *A Ella Le Debo Mi Amor* – **Biagio Giovanni Antonacci, Laura Pausini** / *Regresaré (Con Calma Se Verá)* - **Biagio Giovanni Antonacci, Laura Pausini** / *Yo Estuve (Mas Amor Por Favor)* - **Laura Abela, Paolo Romano Carta, Laura Pausini** / *Lo Sabias Antes Tu* - **Simone Bertolotti, Laura Abela, Laura Pausini** / *Solo Nubes* - **Giuliano Sangiorgi, Laura Pausini** / *Enamorada* - **Laura Pausini** - Lorenzo Cherubini, Riccardo Onori, Christian Rigano / *En La Puerta De Al Lado* - **Mattia De Luca, Laura Pausini** / *200 Notas* - **Antonio Maiello, Lorenzo Vizzini Bisaccia, Laura Pausini** / *He Creído En Mi* - **Massimiliano Pelan, Niccolò Agliardi, Laura Pausini** / *Similares* - **Edwyn Clark Roberts, Niccolò Agliardi, Laura Pausini** / *Preguntale Al Cielo* - **Paolo Romano Carta, Laura Pausini, Niccolò Agliardi** / *Nuestro Amor De Cada Dia* - **Paolo Romano Carta, Laura Pausini, Niccolò Agliardi** / *Es La Musica* - **Paolo Romano Carta, Laura Pausini, Niccolò Agliardi** / *Culpable* - **Laura Pausini, Niccolò Agliardi**, Danijel Vuletic

• Buena Vida  
Diego Torres  
**Label:** Sony Music Latin  
*Sin Ti Conmigo* - **Ximena Muñoz**, Rafael "Rafa" Arcaute, Diego Torres

### **Best Latin Rock, Urban or Alternative Album**

- L.H.O.N. (La Humanidad O Nosotros)

Illya Kuryaki & The Valderamas

**Label:** Sony Music

*Aleluya / Gallo Negro / Hombre Libre / Sigue / Ey Dios / Los Angeles / Estrella Fugaz / Ritmo Mezcal / Africa / Espantapajaros / Diciembre / El Arbol Bajo El Agua - Emmanuel Javier*

**Horvilleur, Dante Spinetta**

- Buenaventura

La Santa Cecilia

**Label:** Universal Music Latin Entertainment

*Sacude la Pereza / Here We Go Again / Vamonos / Pa Que' Trabajar / Sucede - Andres Torres, Hugo Alejandro Bendan, Eva Marisol Hernandez, Miguel Angel Ramirez, Jose Carlos Ramirez*

- Los Rakas

Los Rakas

**Label:** Universal Music Latino

*Te Sigo Esperando – Ximena Munos, Sebastian Krys, Ricardo Bethancourt, Abdull Ruben Dominguez, Raka Soy / Dejame Bailar – Andres Torres, Ricardo Bethancourt, Abdull Ruben Dominguez, Soy Raka, Alih Jey*

### **Best Regional Mexican Music Album (Including Tejano)**

- Un Azteca En El Azteca, Vol. 1 (En Vivo)

Vicente Fernández

**Label:** Sony Music Entertainment México

*Me Voy A Quitar De En Medio AKA No Me Olvides - Manuel Flores Monterrosas / Lastima Que Seas Ajena AKA Lastima Seas Ajeno- Jorge Macias Gomez / Motivos- Italo Pizzolante Balbi / Nos Estorbo La Ropa- Teodoro Bello/ La Derrota- Para Siempre- Un Millon De Primavera- Estos Celos- Jose Manuel Figueroa Figueroa*

- Tributo A Joan Sebastian Y Rigoberto Alfaro

Mariachi Divas De Cindy Shea

**Label:** East Side Records/Shea Records

*Estos Celos – Jose Manuel Figueroa Figueroa*

### **Best Americana Album**

- This Is Where I Live

William Bell

**Label:** Stax

*All of Your Stories – Jesse Winchester*

- The Bird & The Rifle

Lori McKenna

**Label:** CN Records

*Always Want You – Liz Rose, Lori McKenna, Hillary Lindsey / All These Things – Liz Rose, Lori McKenna / The Bird & The Rifle – Caitlyn Smith, Troy Verges, Lori McKenna*

- Kid Sister

The Time Jumpers

**Label:** Rounder Records

*Blue Highway Blue – Billy Thomas, John Paul Daniel, Debi Cochran / Honky Tonkin' – Troy Seals, Vince Gill*

### Best Bluegrass Album

- North By South  
Claire Lynch  
**Label:** Compass Records  
*It's Worth Believin'* – **Gordon Lightfoot**

### Best Traditional Blues Album

- Can't Shake This Feeling  
Lurrie Bell  
**Label:** Delmark Records  
*Sinner's Prayer* – **Lloyd C. Glenn, Sr., Lowell Fulson**

### Best Folk Album

- Factory Girl  
Rhiannon Giddens  
**Label:** Nonesuch Records Inc.  
*Underneath The Harlem Moon* – **Mack Gordon, Harry Revel**

### Best Reggae Album

- Ziggy Marley  
Ziggy Marley  
**Label:** Tuff Gong Worldwide  
*Better Together* – **Jacob Elisha Luttrell, Geoffrey Early, Ziggy Marley, David Marley, Jeannette Steiner, Jessie Lauren Foutz**

### Best World Music Album

- Walking In The Footsteps Of Our Fathers  
Ladysmith Black Mambazo  
**Label:** Ladysmith Black Mambazo  
*Awu Wemadoda* – **Joseph Shabalala** / *Vulani Amasango* – **Joseph Shabalala** / *Paulina* – **Joseph Shabalala** / *Phalamende* – **Joseph Shabalala** / *Khuzeka* – **M Khuzwayo** / *Because I Love You* – **Joseph Shabalala** / *Kwathatha Konakala* – **Joseph Shabalala** / *Wena Othandabantu* – **Joseph Shabalala**
- Land Of Gold  
Anoushka Shankar  
**Label:** Deutsche Grammophon  
*Remain the Sea* – **Matthew James Robertson, Anoushka Shankar**

### Best Compilation Soundtrack For Visual Media

- Amy  
(Various Artists)  
**Label:** Republic Records  
*Body and Soul* – **John Green, Edward Heyman, Robert Sour, Frank Eyton**
- Straight Outta Compton  
(Various Artists)  
**Label:** Capitol Records/Ume

*The Nigga Ya Love To Hate* – **Eric Sadler**, O’Shea Jackson, George Clinton Jr., Garry Shider, David Spradley, Steve Arrington, Buddy Hank, Charles Carter, Roger Parker / *Express Yourself* – **Charles Wright**

- Suicide Squad (Collector's Edition)  
(Various Artists)

**Label:** Atlantic/WaterTower Music

*Purple Lamborghini* – **Shamann Cooke**, Rick Ross, Sonny Moore / *Sucker For Pain* – **Dwayne Carter, Robert Hall, Cameron Thomaz** / *Heathens* – **Tyler Joseph** / *Know Better* – **Jeremy Coleman, Kevin Gates, James Lavigne**, James Abrahart, Frank Brim, Gamal Lewis, Tinashe Sibanda / *I Started A Joke* – **Barry Gibb**, Maurice Gibb, Robin Gibb

- Vinyl: The Essentials Season 1  
(Various Artists)

**Label:** Atlantic/Warner Bros. Records

*Kill The Lights* – **Jaramye Daniels**, Cassidy Podell, Gregory Cohen, Akil King, Kyle Bailey, John Lardieri / *Back Stabbers* – **Leon Huff, Gene McFadden, John Whitehead** / *No Fun* – **Scott Asheton, Ronald Asheton, James Osterberg Jr.** / *Where Are You Now?* – **Michael Kerr, Ben Thatcher** / *Stay With Me* – **Jerry Ragovoy**, George Weiss

#### **Best Score Soundtrack For Visual Media**

- Star Wars: The Force Awakens  
John Williams, composer

**Label:** Walt Disney Records

*Main Title and The Attack on the Jakku Village / Follow Me / The Falcon / The Rathtars! / Maz’s Counsel / Han and Leia / Torn Apart / The Ways of the Force / Scherzo For X-Wings / Farewell and The Trip / The Jedi Steps and Finale* – **John Williams**

#### **Best Song Written For Visual Media**

- Heathens  
**Tyler Joseph**, songwriter (Twenty One Pilots)

**Track from:** Suicide Squad

**Label:** Atlantic/WaterTower Music; Publisher(s): Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp./Stryker Joseph Music

- Purple Lamborghini

**Shamann Cooke**, Sonny Moore & William Roberts, songwriters (Skrillex & Rick Ross)

**Track from:** Suicide Squad

**Label:** Atlantic/WaterTower Music; Publisher(s): Copaface admin. by Kobalt Music/EMI Blackwood Music Inc./4 Blunts Lit At Once/Warner-Tamerlane Publishing Corp. o/b/o itself/Rich Forever and Close Range Publishing

- Just Like Fire

**Oscar Holter**, Max Martin, P!nk & Shellback, songwriters (P!nk)

**Track from:** Alice Through The Looking Glass

**Label:** RCA Records/Walt Disney Records; Publisher(s): EMI Blackwood Music, Inc./P!nk Inside Publishing/MXM Music admin. by Kobalt Songs Music Publishing, Inc./Wolf Cousins/WB Music Corp. o/b/o Warner/Chappell Music Scandinavia/Lionheart Music/Walt Disney Music Company/Wonderland Music Company, Inc.

### Best Arrangement, Instruments and Vocals

- Flintstones

Jacob Collier, arranger (Jacob Collier)

**Track from:** In My Room

**Label:** Membran

*Flintstones* – **Joseph Barbera, William Hanna, Hoyt Curtin, Jacob Collier** (Arranger)

- I'm A Fool To Want You

Alan Broadbent, arranger (Kristin Chenoweth)

**Track from:** The Art Of Elegance

**Label:** Concord Records

*I'm A Fool To Want You* – **Frank Sinatra, Jack Wolf, Joel Herron, Alan Broadbent** (Arranger)

### Best Recording Package

- Anti (Deluxe Edition)

Ciarra Pardo & Robyn Fenty, art directors (Rihanna)

**Label:** Westbury Road Entertainment

*Consideration* – **Robyn Fenty, Solana Rowe, Tyran Donaldson** / *James Joint* – **Robyn Fenty, Robert Taylor, James Fauntleroy** / *Kiss It Better* – **Robyn Fenty, John Glass, Teddy Sinclair, Jeffrey Bhasker** / *Work* – **Robyn Fenty, Jahron Brathwaite, Matthew Samuels, Aubrey Graham, Allen Ritter, Rupert Thomas, Marco Moir** / *Desperado* – **Robyn Fenty, Jillian Banks, Krystin Watkins, James Fauntleroy, Rachel Derrus, Chris Taylor** / *Woo* – **Robyn Fenty, Terius Nash, Chauncey Hollis, Travis Scott, Abel Tesfaye, Jeremy Felton, Rachel Derrus, Jean Kouame** / *Needed Me* – **Robyn Fenty, Dijon McFarlane, Nicholas Audino, Lewis Hughes, Khaled Rohaim, Te Warbrick, Adam Feeney, Brittany Hazard, Charles Hinshaw Jr., Rachel Derrus** / *Yeah, I Said It* – **Robyn Fenty, Timothy Mosley, Evon Barnes, Daniel Jones, Christopher Godbey, Badrilla Bourelly, Jean Bourelly** / *Same Ol' Mistakes* – **Chad Sabo, Robyn Fenty, Dido Armstrong, Paul Herman** / *Love On The Brain* – **Robyn Fenty, Joseph Angel, Fred Ball** / *Higher* – **Robyn Fenty, Kenneth Gamble, Leon Huff, Jerry Butler, Ernest Wilson, James Fauntleroy, Badrilla Bourelly** / *Close To You* – **Robyn Fenty, Brian Seals, James Fauntleroy** / *Goodnight Gotham* – **Robyn Fenty, Christian Boggs, Florence Welch, Paul Epworth** / *Pose* – **Robyn Fenty, Chauncey Hollis, Badrilla Bourelly, Jean Bourelly, Jacques Webster** / *Sex With Me* – **Robyn Fenty, Jahron Brathwaite, Matthew Samuels, Adam Feeney, Anderson Hernandez, Chester Hansen**

### Best Boxed Or Special Limited Edition Package

- Edith Piaf 1915-2015

Gérard Lo Monaco, art director (Edith Piaf)

**Label:** Warner Music France

*C'est L'Amour (Qui Fait Qu'On S'Aime)* – **Marguerite Monnot, Edith Piaf/Chante Moi (Sing to Me) – **Edith Piaf, Mack David/La Bande En Noir – **Edith Piaf, Florence Veran/Roulez Tambours** – **Francis Lai/Edith Piaf******

### Best Album Notes

- The Complete Monument & Columbia Albums Collection

Mikal Gilmore, album notes writer (Kris Kristofferson)

**Label:** Legacy Recordings

*Devil to Pay* – **Leon Rusk, Merle Travis**

- Ork Records: New York, New York

Rob Sevier & Ken Shipley, album notes writers (Various Artists)

**Label:** The Numero Group

*Blank Generation* – **Richard Hell** / *Summertime Blues* – **Eddie Cochran, Jerry Capeheart**

- Sissle And Blake Sing Shuffle Along  
Ken Bloom & Richard Carlin, album notes writers (**Eubie Blake & Noble Sissle**)  
**Label:** Harbinger Records/The Musical Theater Project  
*I'm Just Simply Full of Jazz* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Love Will Find a Way* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Bandana Days* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *In Honeysuckle Time* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Gypsy Blues* - **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Shuffle Along* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *I'm Just Wild About Harry* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *If You've Never Been Vamped by a Brown Skin Baby* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Oriental Blues* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *I'm Craving for That Kind of Love* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Low Down Blues* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Baltimore Buzz* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Pickaninny Shoes* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle** / *Daddy Won't You Please Come Home?* – **Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle**

#### Best Historical Album

- Ork Records: New York, New York  
Rob Sevier & Ken Shipley, compilation producers; Jeff Lipton & Maria Rice, mastering engineers (Various Artists)  
**Label:** The Numero Group  
*Blank Generation* – **Richard Hell** / *Summertime Blues* – **Eddie Cochran, Jerry Capeheart**

#### Best Engineered Album, Non-Classical

- Dig In Deep  
Ryan Freeland, engineer; Kim Rosen, mastering engineer (Bonnie Raitt)  
**Label:** Redwing Records  
*Need You Tonight* – **Michael Hutchence**, Andrew Farriss

#### Best Music Video

- Formation  
Beyoncé  
Melina Matsoukas, video director; Nathan Scherrer, video producer  
**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records  
**Beyonce Knowles, Michael Williams, Khalif Brown, Aaquil Brown and Asheton Hogan**

#### Best Music Film

- I'll Sleep When I'm Dead  
Steve Aoki  
Justin Krook, video director; Brent Almond, Matt Colon, David Gelb, Ryan Kavanaugh, Happy Walters & Matthew Weaver, video producers  
**Label:** Relativity  
*I Love It When You Cry* – **Steve Aoki, Wayne Hector**, Austin Bisnow, Jason Evigan, Dave Kuncio, Laura Raia, Freddy Wexler, Dan Farber / *Warp 1.9* – **Steve Aoki**, Simone Cogo, Sophie Broussard / *Neon Future* – **Steve Aoki**, Luke Steele, Nadav Kahn / *Afroki* – **Steve Aoki**, Bonnie McKee, Nick Van De Wall / *ILYSM* – **Steve Aoki, Kevin Jones**, Keith Crouch, David Henderson, Keith Robertson / *Delirious* – **Steve Aoki, Erin Beck**, Chris Lake, Jenson Vaughan, Whitney Phillips, Aid Vilasaliu, Brian Collins / *Turbulence* – **Steve Aoki**, Luke Scheppingen, Jonathan Smith / *We're All No One* – **Steve Aoki**, Miriam Nervo, Olivia Nervo, Nick Van De Wall / *Feel (The Power of Now)* – **Steve Aoki**, Willem Rebergen, Friso Venema
- Lemonade  
Beyoncé  
Beyoncé Knowles Carter & Kahlil Joseph, video directors; Beyoncé Knowles Carter, video producer



**Label:** Parkwood Entertainment/Columbia Records

*Hold Up* – **Doc Pomus, Mort Shuman, Beyonce Knowles, Uzoечи Emenike**, Thomas Pentz, Emilie Haynie, Joshua Tillman, Sean Rhoden, Ezra Koenig, Antonio Randolph, Kelvin McConnell, Karen Orzolek, Brian Chase, Nicholas Zinner, Deandre Way / *Don't Hurt Yourself* – **Jimmy Page, Robert Plant, John Paul Jones, John Bonham, Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon**, Jack White / *6 Inch* - **Ahmad Balshe, Beyonce Knowles, Terius Nash, Jordan Cruz**, Abel Tesfaye, Danny Schofield, Ben Diehl, Burt Bacharach, Hal David / *Pray You Catch Me* – **Beyonce Knowles, Kevin Garrett**, James Blake / *Sorry* – **Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon**, Melo-X / *Daddy Lessons* – **Beyonce Knowles, Diana Gordon, Kevin Cossom**, Alexander Delicata / *Love Drought* – **Beyonce Knowles, Michael Dean**, Ingrid Burley / *Sandcastles* – **Beyonce Knowles**, Vincent Berry, Malik Jones, Midian Mathers / *Forward* – **Beyonce Knowles**, James Blake / *Freedom* – **Beyonce Knowles, Kendrick Lamar**, Arrow Benjamin, Jonny Coffey, Carla White, Alan Lomax, John Lomax, Frank Tirado Rosales / *All Night* – **Beyonce Knowles, Jaramye Daniels** / *Formation* – **Beyonce Knowles, Michael Williams, Khalif Brown, Aaquil Brown and Asheton Hogan**

• American Saturday Night: Live From The Grand Ole Opry  
(Various Artists)

George J. Flanigen IV, video director; John Burke & Lindsey Clark, video producers

**Label:** Grand Ole Opry, LLC

*American Saturday Night* – **Ashley Gorley**, Kelley Lovelace, Brad Paisley / *Don't Ya* – **Ashley Gorley**, Brett Eldredge, Christopher De Stefano / *So I Sang* – Timothy James, Darius Rucker, Rivers Rutherford / *Country Nation* – **John Lovelace**, Brad Paisley, Chris Dubois / *Perfect Storm* – **Lee Thomas Miller**, Brad Paisley