***MEDIA ALERT***

Pérez Art Museum Miami Announces CURRENTS Presented by DEFY

Series of Museum’s New, Progressive Audio-Visual Immersive Experience Starts on Thursday, March 21, 7pm to 10pm

WHO/WHAT:
This spring, in celebration of its 35 years as Miami’s leading purveyor of culture, Pérez Art Museum Miami (PAMM) will introduce CURRENTS, a quarterly experiential concert series, presented by DEFY. In partnership with Juggerknot Theatre’s Miami Motel Stories, CURRENTS will deliver an intimate all-encompassing experience of art, theater, and music the likes of which have never echoed the halls of the museum.
PAMM will become home to new-age eclectic performances with a progressive focus on Indie Rock, Electronica, and R&B. From PAMM's stunning waterfront terrace, CURRENTS kicks off on **Thursday, March 21** with Los Angeles-based, indie psychedelic band, **Inner Wave**—hailed by VICE as making "surreal", "moody psychedelia to ease your broken heart."

Inside the museum, Miami Motel Stories will give a flash theater experience drawn from Miami’s past, present, and future. Presented by Juggerknot Theatre, written by Juan C. Sanchez, and directed by Tai Thompson, The Miami Motel Stories’ flash experience will depict dramatic and comedic tales driven by native characters that grab inspiration from an ever-changing cultural landscape.

**WHEN:**
The series starts **Thursday, March 21**, from **7pm to 10pm**, headlined by Inner Wave. The itinerary for CURRENTS is as follows:

- DJ at Waterfront Terrace (7–9pm)
- Miami Motel Stories inside PAMM (8–9pm. Galleries close at 9pm.)
- Headlining musical act at the museum’s Waterfront Terrace (9–10pm)

The remaining CURRENTS 2019 schedule is as follows; musical acts will be announced at a later date.

- **PREMIER CONCERT**: Thursday, March 21 (Inner Wave)
- Thursday, June 20
- Thursday, September 19
- Thursday, November 21

*Admission: PAMM members free. $16 adults and $12 seniors/students. On-site parking is a flat rate of $10 after 5pm (space is limited). On all event dates, the museum galleries will be open until 9pm.

*PAMM members at the Sustaining level and above enjoy access to the Pop-Up Members Lounge, where they will enjoy complimentary cocktails, beer, and wine. PAMM members also receive a $4 validation at the front desk. To learn more about membership, visit pamm.org/support.
WHERE:
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ABOUT PÉREZ ART MUSEUM MIAMI
Pérez Art Museum Miami (PAMM) promotes artistic expression and the exchange of ideas, advancing public knowledge and appreciation of art, architecture and design, and reflecting the diverse community of its pivotal geographic location at the crossroads of the Americas. Led by Director Franklin Sirmans, 35-year-old South Florida institution formerly known as Miami Art Museum (MAM), Pérez Art Museum Miami opened a new building, designed by world-renowned architects Herzog & de Meuron, in Downtown Miami's Museum Park on December 4, 2013. The facility is a state-of-the-art model for sustainable museum design and progressive programming and features 200,000 square feet of indoor and outdoor program space with flexible galleries; shaded outdoor verandas; a waterfront restaurant and bar; a museum shop; and an education center with a library, media lab and classroom spaces. For more information, please visit pamm.org, find us on Facebook (facebook.com/perezartmuseummiami), or follow us on Instagram/Twitter (@pamm).

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