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**Texas Wesleyan University's Jason Neal recognized
as 2004 Fort Worth Business Press 40 Under 40 honoree**

FORT WORTH, April 22 – Texas Wesleyan University Director of Academic Technology and Web Development Jason Neal will be recognized as a 2004 *Fort Worth Business Press* 40 Under 40 honoree at the annual awards banquet. The banquet will be held May 27, with a reception at 6 and a dinner at 7 p.m. at The Fort Worth Club, located at 306 W. 7th Street.

Neal graduated from Texas Wesleyan with a Bachelor of Business Administration in 2001. As part of his job responsibilities, Neal creates and maintains the University Web site and works directly with faculty and departmental personnel, training them in new technologies to become more effective teachers and communicators. He is a member of the Fort Worth Adopt-A-School Program, where he mentors elementary and middle school students and inspires them to believe in themselves. Neal is also actively involved in events and functions at the Great Commission Baptist Church, and he serves as a board member of the Fort Worth Metropolitan Black Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Allen Henderson, interim provost and professor of psychology at Texas Wesleyan,

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nominated Neal, saying, “He takes initiative, always handles himself in a professional and friendly manner, and communicates and analyzes situations exceptionally well. Jason is one of those rare people that seems to get along with everyone. He brings out the best in people and strives toward a high level of excellence in the work place. Jason is a great role model; he is a Wesleyan student working toward his master’s degree in business, a professional and a dedicated citizen in our community.”

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