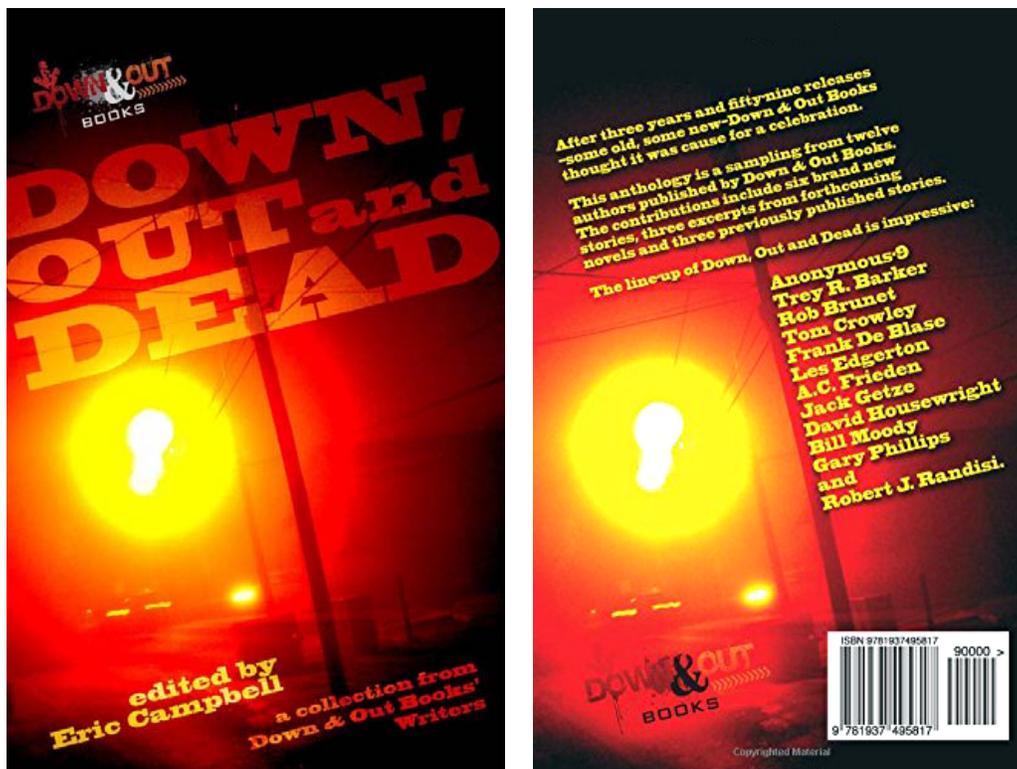


## New Crime Fiction Anthology Includes A.C. Frieden's Short Story

**CHICAGO, Illinois, USA (Oct. 29, 2014)** – Author A.C. Frieden announced today that his publisher, Down & Out Books, released a new crime fiction anthology titled *Down, Out and Dead*. The collection is a sampling from twelve authors published by Down & Out Books and includes six brand new stories, three excerpts from forthcoming novels and three previously published stories. The line-up is impressive—Anonymous-9, Trey R. Barker, Rob Brunet, Tom Crowley, Frank De Blase, Les Edgerton, A.C. Frieden, Jack Getze, David Housewright, Bill Moody, Gary Phillips and Robert J. Randisi. Frieden's short story, "The Rendezvous", is an excerpt from his forthcoming spy thriller *The Pyongyang Option*, due out in spring 2015. This is Frieden's second contribution to a crime anthology after his debut in *Sin: A Deadly Anthology* (Aventia Publ., 2008).



(Above) Front and back covers of the new anthology *Down, Out and Dead* (ISBN: 1937495817).

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