



**Gemini Nominated and Little Mosque on The Prairie  
Director Michael Kennedy wraps one of Canada's first  
professional film on the 'Red Camera':  
Bravo!FACT's *Lost & Found*.**

**Writer: Alexandra McNally**

**Cast: Ellen Dubin, Marcello Cabezas, Philip William and Melissa-Jane Shaw**

**Producers: Marcello Cabezas, Melissa-Jane Shaw, Nicholas Sorbara**

**Executive Producers: Ellen Dubin, Tyler Lavine, Marc Lavine**

**November 22, 2007, Toronto, Ontario - macIdeas in association with Seventh Stage Productions and Magnetic Film & Digital have pulled together an incredible creative and technical team to shoot the Bravo!FACT funded short *Lost & Found* on the now infamous 'Red Camera' ([www.red.com](http://www.red.com)). They shot Friday, November 23 and Saturday, November 24 (overnight).**

**The film is being edited now and aims to be complete by April 30, 2008.**

When an engagement ring is lost and subsequently found, three lives are connected: Andy, an emotionally raw young man; Beth, the girl who broke his heart; and Lise, a cynic who doubts that she will ever find love. Deeply affected after she witnesses the accidental reunion of Andy and Beth, Lise considers the idea of fate for the first time. Pete, the wacky Lost & Found manager, throws some humour and wisdom into the mix.

**Marcello Cabezas, Producer from macIdeas and brain-child behind the project,** has been gathering this troupe for over a year. "The process began with an idea I'd had about the stories behind the items of a Lost & Found. I was in LA at the time and presented the idea to writer Alex McNally, and she brought the spark to life amazingly. From there I began pulling the team together."

macIdeas past shorts with Bravo! Fact have won Best Screenplay at the 2006 Canadian Comedy Awards and walked away with 3 other nominations, for directing and two for acting, the Grand Prize at the 2006 Stella Little Big Films Short Competition sponsored by Landmark Theatres in the US, all for **Leo**, and nominated for a 2005 Genie Award for best live action short film for **Choke**.

**Directing is Michael Kennedy, director of CBC's multi-Gemini-Award-nominated *Little Mosque on the Prairie*.** Starring is Gemini Nominee **Ellen Dubin**, series regular on the Leo Award winner *The Collector*, sci fi icon on the world wide cult hit *LEXX* as well as guest starring on *Blood Ties*, *Mutant X*, *Dead Zone* and featured in the one of the most popular comedies of all times, *Napoleon Dynamite*. As well, **Marcello Cabezas** (*The Walker*, *Leo* and *Choke* award-winning Bravo!FACT's and *This Is Our Youth* directed by Woody Harrelson), **Philip Williams** (*Welcome to Mooseport*) and **Melissa-Jane Shaw** (feature *Triumph of Dingus McGraw*, Bravo!FACT *Grocery Mishap*, and Canadian Premiere of Anthony Minghella's play *Whale Music*) round out the stellar cast.

In addition to this top-notch Canadian team, **this project also marks a major advancement in Canadian film technology.** Producer **Nicholas Sorbara** recently brought back the first two Red Cameras from the US this month, #50 and #51, the first

two of its kind on Canadian ground. "This is the camera technology that will officially eliminate the use of film," says Sorbara, "the quality and detail of the image is like nothing you've seen on film before. It definitely lives up its hype."