

AMELIA

A FILM BY ÉDOUARD LOCK

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Amelia honoured Édouard Lock wins two Gemini Awards

Montreal, December 13, 2004 – Pierre L. Touchette (Amérimage-Spectra) and Bob Krupinski (Media Principia) proudly announce that the choreographer and director of *Amelia*, **Édouard Lock**, won two **Gemini Awards** in the **Best Direction in a Performing Arts or Series** and **Best Picture Editing in a Comedy, Variety, or Performing Arts Program or Series** categories. The Gemini Awards, held yesterday in Toronto, celebrate excellence in Canadian television.

These honours add to the already long list of prestigious tributes *Amelia* has been accorded this year (see appended list). Each new tribute confirms yet again the work's stature. The producers of *Amelia* are **Pierre L. Touchette** of Amérimage-Spectra and **Bob Krupinski** of Media Principia. Director and choreographer is Édouard Lock, while **André Turpin** is the director of photography. New Yorker **David Lang** composed *Amelia's* original music and lyrics are by **Lou Reed**. Executive producers are **Daniel Langlois**, President of Media Principia, **Luc Châtelain**, Vice-President of the Film and Television Division of **L'Équipe Spectra**, and **Alain Simard**, President of **L'Équipe Spectra**.

Amelia is an Amérimage-Spectra and Media Principia co-production. The film received the financial support of the Canadian Television Fund, Telefilm Canada, the Canada Council for the Arts' Dance on Screen Production Fund, and the tax-credit programs of the Québec and Canadian governments. **Daniel Langlois** also contributed to the financing. Other partners are CBC, Télévision de Radio-Canada and ARTE.

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AWARDS FOR THE MOVIE *AMELIA*

Winner in two categories Best Direction in a Performing Arts or Series Best Picture Editing in a Comedy, Variety, or Performing Arts Program or Series Gemini Awards, Toronto, Canada www.geminiawards.ca	December 2004
Winner in its category “Outstanding Achievement in Choreography” Award American Choreography Awards www.americanchoreographyawards.com	October 2004
Winner in its category Golden Prague, Czech Crystal “Music or dance programs adapted for television” category Golden Prague International Television Festival www.czech-tv.cz/specialy/goldenprague	May 2004
Winner in its category Rose d’Or - “Arts & Specials” category International Television Festival Rose d’Or, Lucerne, Switzerland www.rosedor.com	April 2004
Winner in its category Silver Hugo (First Prize) - “Special Performance Event” category Chicago International Film Festival, Television Awards, USA www.chicagofilmfestival.org	March 2004
Co-winner all categories Special Jury Award Banff Television Festival, Rockies 2004, Canada www.banff2004.com	June 2004
Winner in two categories I.C.E. Awards Best Photography/Videography and Best Editing categories National Association of Broadcasters (NAB), USA www.nabshow.com/iceawards.asp	April 2004
First Prize Winner of the 2003 Grand Prize of the Montréal Arts Council, Quebec, Canada www.artsmontreal.com	March 2004

Special Student Jury Mention, Golden Prague
International Television Festival Golden Prague, Czech Republic
www.czech-tv.cz/specialy/goldenprague

May 2004

Special Jury Mention
Artistic Prize
Rendez-vous du cinéma québécois, Quebec, Canada
www.rvcq.com

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