Cameron, Trevor Lovett

Métis writer and director Trevor Cameron was born in Edmonton Alberta. Cameron is a great-great-grandson of Isidore Dumont (1833-1885), Gabriel Dumont's older brother. Isidore fought in the 1885 Resistance and was killed on March 26, 1885 at Duck Lake. Cameron's great-grandparents were Frédéric Dumont and Marie Lejour of Duck Lake, Saskatchewan.

Cameron took his education training at the En'owkin Centre in Penticton British Columbia, and the Vancouver Film School. He began his career as an improviser and comedian before entering production full time. He is best known for his work on *Wapos Bay*, the stop motion animated children's series broadcast on APTN and SNC. This series received numerous Gemini Award nominations. At the Gemini Awards ceremony 2010, Trevor Cameron earned two nominations; one for Best Direction in an Animated Program or Series, *and one for* Best Writing in a Children's or Youth Program or Series, both for the episode, *The Hardest Lesson*. He won a Gemini for Best Writing in a Children's or Youth Program or Series. Cameron previously won a Gemini in 2008 for Best Individual or Ensemble Performance in an Animated Program or Series (Wapos Bay).



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