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## Getting Ready to Paint The Town **RED**

### **RED Rehearsals Begin at BMO Studio Theatre Next Week!**

*Saint John Theatre Company & Theatre New Brunswick Join Forces to stage award winning drama.*

SAINT JOHN – Cast and crew members are getting ready for an intense two week rehearsal period here at the BMO Studio Theatre, home of the Saint John Theatre Company; all in preparation for the upcoming Main Stage production of John Logan’s thought provoking bio-drama RED.

*“I’m getting very pumped to begin rehearsals. Hard to believe – after all this time – we are less than three weeks away from beginning,”* adds Stephen Tobias who will play the role of abstract painter Mark Rothko in the production. *“There are a great many details about actual people, places, things and events in this play. So beyond the lines and the motivations – and the subtext – and moments before – beyond all of that: is a lot of basic homework to gain an understanding of the historical facts of the material.”*

Audiences will be treated to this amazing production next month at Imperial Theatre. SJTC will be partnering with their colleagues at Theatre New Brunswick to deliver a fully professional co-production that will run in both Saint John (March 20-22, Imperial Theatre) and Fredericton (March 26-29, Fredericton Playhouse).

Support for this exciting project has been generously provided by the Province of New Brunswick and the RED production partner Stewart McKelvey. For tickets please contact Imperial Theatre box office 506-674-4100.

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