

# **Casting Call for New Cable Network Show: “Were You Born Into the Wrong Race?” Pitman Casting and Screaming Flea Productions Announce Nationwide Search**

Burbank, CA – Veteran television casting director Jacqui Pitman is a true powerhouse in the reality TV world when it comes to finding the right talent for some of TV’s hottest shows. Most recently, her agency, Pitman Casting Inc., has been selected by Screaming Flea Productions, the producers of the critically acclaimed television series “Hoarders,” to conduct a nationwide casting search for a new groundbreaking television series which asks “Were you born into the wrong race?” Pitman is in search of people who genuinely feel they were born into the wrong racial group. Selected parties, who truly believe they have been misidentified racially, will appear on the thought provoking series airing on a major cable network. Screaming Flea Productions, one of the country’s leading producers of non-fiction programming, will produce the series.

The casting call, which is open to all nationalities, is a particularly sensitive one in light of recent current events. Both Rachel Dolezal, the former president of a local NAACP chapter and Shaun King, a prominent leader in the Black Lives Matter movement, have instigated far reaching conversation and made mainstream news headlines with unresolved issues concerning racial ambiguity. Both parties have been accused of masquerading as African American.

Interested persons of all races, who are experiencing a racial identity crisis, should apply by Friday, September 25, 2015 at [https://pitmancastinginc.formstack.com/forms/race\\_project](https://pitmancastinginc.formstack.com/forms/race_project) or call 818-666-3606 for more details.

“The conversation of race has become an increasingly hot topic in the US and abroad,” asserts Pitman. “With the outing of Rachel Dolezal, more and more people have come forward with claims that they too are experiencing a similar kind of racial identity phenomenon. It is our hope that this project will give a face and a greater understanding to those who feel like they were born in the wrong skin and until now have been too afraid to admit it. Our intention is that the show will garner a better acceptance of people who feel unable to live an authentic life as who they believe they really are, despite what society might dictate.”



Television casting director  
Jacqui Pitman

Pitman Casting, a full service, reality television casting company, has provided talent for some of TV’s hottest shows, including Syfy’s “Face Off,” Spike’s “Framework,” “VH1’s “Naked Dating,” Bravo’s “Who Wants to be a Supermodel?” and Discovery’s “Dual Survival.”

For 18 years, Screaming Flea Productions has been creating content with a list of hits that includes not only A&E’s “Hoarders” but also “Sell This House,” “The Legend of Mick Dodge” on the National Geographic Channel, Oxygen’s “My

Shopping Addiction,” and “Biography” on Bio.

For additional information, contact Pitman Casting at <http://pitmancasting.com/>, via email at [Race@pitmancasting.com](mailto:Race@pitmancasting.com) or call 818-666-3606.

The deadline for the new show submissions is Friday September 25, 2015. Click here to apply online: [https://pitmancastinginc.formstack.com/forms/race\\_project](https://pitmancastinginc.formstack.com/forms/race_project).

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## **Casting Call: Veteran TV Casting Agent Jacqui Pitman Is Looking for Reality TV's New Black “It” Couple**



Burbank, CA – Casting is the backbone of all great reality shows and veteran TV casting agent Jacqui Pitman knows casting. She is a true behind-the-scenes powerhouse when it comes to finding the perfect people for the perfect parts. Her agency, Pitman Casting, is a full service, reality television casting company that has provided talent for some of TV's hottest shows, including Syfy's “Face Off,” Spike's

“Framework,” “Bravo’s “Who Wants to be a Supermodel?”, Discovery’s “Dual Survival” and the CW’s “Plain Jane.” Now the veteran casting director is on the search for reality TV’s next “It” couple as she hopes to find an upscale, single African American woman who has a boyfriend that her family does not approve of.

The selected couple have only until Friday, March 13, 2015 at 12 noon PST to be considered and will need to forward their name, family photos and a brief description of their fabulous, but not so fabulous life to TVShow@pitmancasting.com or call 818-666-3606 for further information. The chosen couple will be the stars of their own reality show on a major cable network.

“We are looking for drama, yes, but also an element of social class and sophistication. Our ideal candidate is a Black woman who is more successful than her mate, and her family disapproves. The docu-series will follow her exploits in love, life and business,” explains Pitman.

Jacqui Pitman has been casting successful television shows since the late '80's when she first began her career on the hit dating show, “Love Connection” and Fox’s hit show “STUDS.” She turned TV producer for over 10 years, only to return to casting on the hit CBS-TV show, “Big Brother 2.” In 2004, Pitman created and executive produced the MTV hit show “NEXT!” which she takes pride in admitting the inspiration behind that show was her own dating life. In addition to those successes, she developed and co-executive produced ABC’s mega hit, “Extreme Makeover.”

Jacqui Pitman and her partner, John Kennamann, together oversee the full casting process from development to delivery at Pitman Casting Inc. As a team, they specialize in all things reality including casting the hosts of game and talk shows, booking experts and comedians, docu-soaps, occupational casting, competitive reality shows and more. Pitman and her

team of casting producers handle the creative, outreach, interviewing and cast selection while Kennamann and his production team handle all things logistical; such as background checks, applicant releases and agreements, medical and psyche exams and casting finals.

“I’m so excited about this new show and have a really good feeling about it! This will be an excellent opportunity and experience for some lucky woman. Even if the description does not fit someone personally, maybe they know a friend or family member that it does. So let me hear from you soon!” cites Pitman.

Contact Pitman Casting at <http://pitmancasting.com/>, via email at TVShow@pitmancasting.com or call 818-666-3606 for further information. The deadline is Friday, March 13, 2015 by noon PST.