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Dora Borealis

By Daccia Bloomfield

ECW Press, \$19.95, 240 pages

An unexpected and fresh novel, *Dora Borealis* centers around a socially inept and awkward writer, Flip, who is lost in Toronto's upscale culture, or lack thereof. Pursuing (although "running away from" may be more accurate) two women, one of which may not exist, he finds himself in even more weird situations than usual, which is saying quite a lot for such an oddball of a guy.

Not disappointing, and bringing a clever plot line to the table, Bloomfield has done a superb job with *Dora Borealis*. With interesting characters (something which is unfortunately becoming harder and harder to find in novels) that do interesting and strange things, it is too weird and original to lose your attention, no matter how small the span.

