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**FOX SERVES UP A THIRD SEASON OF “MASTERCHEF”
& A CASTING CALL TO FIND THE NEXT “MASTERCHEF” WILL BE HELD IN
ATLANTA ON NOVEMBER 12, 2011 & SAVANNAH on
NOVEMBER 19, 2011**

**Casting Calls continue in Austin,
Chicago, Seattle, New York and San Francisco**

FOX has ordered a third season of the hit culinary competition series MASTERCHEF, it was announced today by Mike Darnell, President of Alternative Entertainment, Fox Broadcasting Company. Chef Gordon Ramsay will once again give talented amateur cooks the chance to prove to him, and to fellow judges, restaurateur Joe Bastianich (Del Posto, Eataly) and Chef Graham Elliot (Graham Elliot, Grahamwich), that they have what it takes to make their mark on the culinary world. In the series, Ramsay, Bastianich and Elliot coach and critique the amateur cooks in a series of challenges designed to test their palates, knowledge and determination to follow their dreams of making a mark in the culinary world.

MASTERCHEF will travel to more cities than ever before to uncover the country’s very best amateur cooks and Washington, D.C. is on the list. For additional casting call cities date, time, and location information visit www.masterchefcasting.com.

ATLANTA

Saturday, November 12, 2011
LE CORDON BLEU
1927 Lakeside Parkway
Tucker, GA 30084
10:00 AM – 6:00 PM

SAVANNAH

Saturday, November 19, 2011
SAVANNAH TECH COLLEGE
5717 White Bluff Road
Savannah, GA 31405
10:00 AM – 6:00 PM

Over the past two seasons, the \$250,000 grand prize and title of “MasterChef” have gone to Jennifer Behm, a realtor from Wilmington, DE; and Whitney Miller, a student from Poplarville, MS. Since winning the show, Whitney Miller released her first cookbook, while Jennifer Behm is currently writing a cookbook and already has established a successful private catering company. Additional casting information, including forms and eligibility requirements, are available online at www.masterchefcasting.com.

MASTERCHEF is produced by Reveille and One Potato Two Potato and is based on a format created by Franc Roddam and Shine. Shine International handles distribution for the MASTERCHEF format. Elisabeth Murdoch, Robin Ashbrook, Gordon Ramsay, Adeline Ramage Rooney, Pat Llewellyn and Ben Adler serve as executive producers. Become a fan of the series on Facebook at www.facebook.com/masterchef and follow the series on Twitter @masterchefonfox. [EDITOR’S NOTE: For episodic photos and more information on MASTERCHEF, please visit <http://www.foxflash.com/div.php/main/page?aID=1z2z2z308>.]