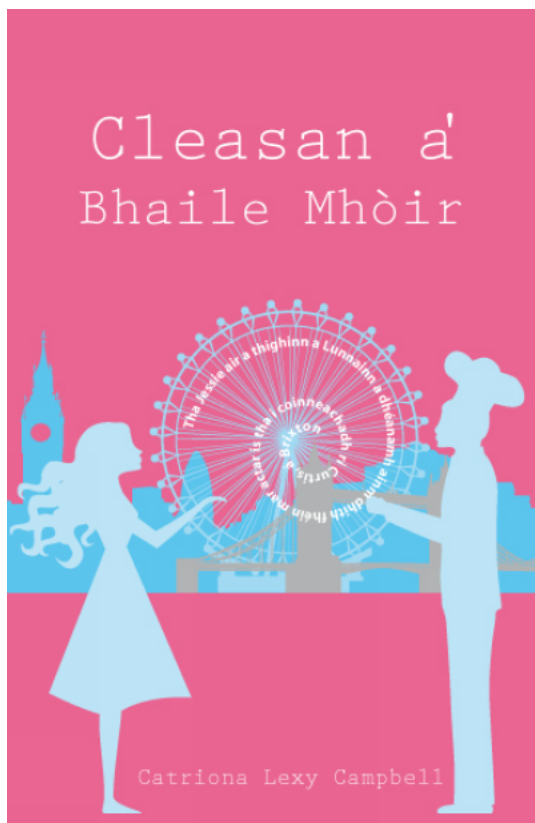




## Cleasan a' Bhaile Mhor



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Jessie is an aspiring actress who has moved to London to try to make a breakthrough into the big time but is finding the going tough. She has to work in a hotel to make ends meet and is about to give up when she stumbles, with the help of her friend Curtis, on a novel way of using her acting talents for gain.

Jessie's series of imaginative 'scenarios', designed to help her clients through sticky patches in their lives, are brought alive vividly in this entrancing tale.

In *Cleasan a' Bhaile Mhòir*, Catriona Lexy Campbell has created a wide range of interesting characters and their relationships, which she describes with humour and not a little insight. There are also exciting incidents which help carry the story along at a gripping pace. Underlying it all is a tender, understated love story. Jessie's story is told in her own words, in a colloquial form of Gaelic which will enhance its appeal to both fluent speakers and learners. There are chapter-by-chapter glossaries and summaries to help the latter.

Catriona Lexy Campbell, herself a young actress, is one of an exciting new wave of highly talented writers to have emerged in Gaelic recently.