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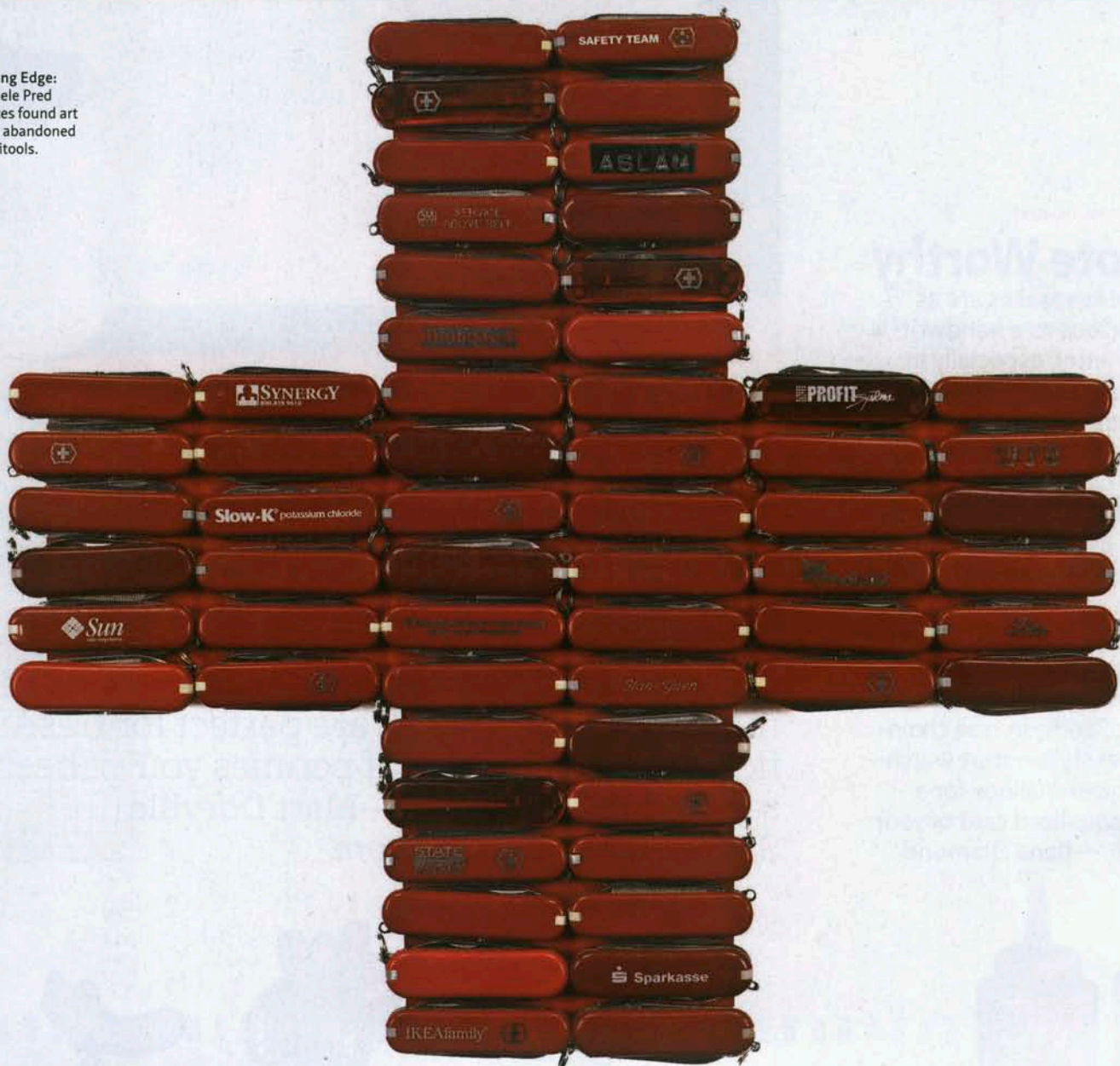
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Cutting Edge:
Michele Pred
creates found art
from abandoned
multitools.



SEARCH AND RESCUE

Ever wonder what happens to all those Swiss Army knives confiscated by airport security? Artist Michele Pred turns them into sculpture and wall installations.

Pred, who was doubling as a San Francisco-based limo driver at the time of the September 11th attacks, often heard stories from passengers about having to relinquish things that had sentimental value. "I became curious about what these objects represented," Pred says.

After five months and many no's, the powers that be at San Francisco International Airport allowed Pred to begin amassing what has become several thousand pounds of everything from razors and lighters to clippers and blades. Her resulting projects evoke a contemporary archaeological survey. Look for your own lost items at Pred's solo show, "(Dis)possessions," opening June 15 at the John Michael Kohler Arts Center in Sheboygan, Wisconsin. —Heidi Ernst