

# Stephen Fuller

@colibricoleur

## Education

B.A. Specialization  
Human Environment  
Concordia University  
Montréal, Québec  
2009-2013

## Languages

English - Written & Spoken  
French - Written & Spoken  
Spanish - Spoken (Beginner)  
Arabic- Written (Beginner)

## Skills

Performance  
Composition  
Advanced Drone Pilot  
Videography  
Video Editing  
Sound Recording  
Design  
Fabrication

## Software

Ableton Live  
Reaper  
Adobe CC  
Sketchup  
Microsoft Office

## About Me

- Amateur de colibris
- Raised on a farm
- J'aime beaucoup les parades

## Profile

- Interdisciplinary arts professional
- Unique and innovative approach to collaborative creation & project coordination
- Diverse background in music & multimedia production as well as design, fabrication and construction
- Approach grounded in a systems-thinking framework of environment, sustainability & equity
- Motivated self-starter with 8+ years as a freelance creator & independent contractor
- Environmental education and work experience in forestry & ornithology research and arboriculture
- Has lived, worked or volunteered in North America, India, the West Indies, Europe, China and Africa

## Work Experience

Colibricoleur - *Music, Media, Make* 2015-present

Independent Musician, Multimedia Producer & Maker  
Created & coordinated a wide range of projects in collaboration with a diversity of artists and professionals. Music composition & performance; instrument design & fabrication; videography & editing; event planning & coordination; creative and technical lead  
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Stagehand 2017-2018

I.A.T.S.E. Local 471, Ottawa, ON  
Setup and teardown for large touring productions

Administration, Sales Associate & Arborist Apprentice 2012-2014

Royal Tree Service, West Island, QC  
Re-structure internal administration; sales & customer relations; develop social media & web presence

Ornithology Research Assistant U.Q.A.M. C.E.F. 2013

Fieldwork and data submission for NSERC & Hydro Québec- funded ornithological survey - Montréal region

Forestry Research Assistant Concordia & N.S.E.R.C. 2011-2012

Traveled across Canada, independently managing remote forestry data collection research projects.

2024	Interdisciplinary	La Sources Sessions, Canada Council for the Arts, Concept to Realization Grant (Ongoing)
2023	Interdisciplinary	Éphéméristes: Exposition Rétrospective; Production Médiation Culturel La Danse Aquarelle
2023	Co-Composer	Search and Rescue: North Shore, Season 2 - Knowledge Network
2023	Interdisciplinary	Odes to Here (and Then) - Immersive performance residency, Ontario Arts Council
2023	Drone Pilot	Carrying Each Other, Finding Ourselves
2022	Composer	AGUA: Finding Voice - Repertoire Development Canada Council for the Arts Research & Creation Grant
2022	Director	Music Videos - GRHMBVRL - Ambient guitar album
2022	Videographer Co-Coordinator	Rideau Roots: A Songwriting Journey by Canoe- Canada Council for the Arts funded paddling creation residency
2022	Co-Composer	Subterranean: Documentary soundtrack (HotDocs, 2023)
2021	Designer & Creator	Agua - 33-string chromatic harp-lute
2021	Co-Designer & Creator	IronWerx BETA - VST instrument
2021	Director, Co-Composer, Writer	Sirius: Strange Passage - Short Film
2020	Composer, Performer & Director	Los Valientes - colibri <sup>3</sup> ft. Mafer Bandola
2020	Co-Composer	Search and Rescue: North Shore - Knowledge Network <i>Winner of 2021 Leo Award for Best Musical Score in a Documentary Series</i>
2019	Composer, Performer & Director	Blinders Off - Stephen Fuller & the Feathered Shadows
2019	Director & Composer	Follow the Hummingbird: Episode 1 (Resolution 2019)
2017	Co-Composer	This Mountain Life (HotDocs 2018) Knowledge Network <i>Nominated for 2019 Leo Award for Best Musical Score in a Documentary Feature</i>
2018	Co-director & performer	The Sons of Martha - The Voyage of the I.M.M.- Rock Opera
2016	Composer & Performer	'Colibri!' - Kora-folk album

#### Education, Mentorships, Professional Development

- 2021 Participant - Tissé Serré - Culture Laurentides, Economie Sociale Laurentides
- 2022 Independent Delegate - WOMEX 2022 - Lisbon, Portugal
- 2021 Musicians in Residence - Jazz & Creative Music - Banff Center for the Arts & Creativity
- 2021 Composer Mentorship with Neil Parfitt, Screen Composers Guild of Canada
- 2012 Kora Masterclass - Toumani Diabaté, Bamako, Mali

## Performances (Sample)

- 2024 La Danse Aquarelle, Sainte-Adèle QC
- 2023 Odes to Here (and Then), Geit Cabin Studio
- 2021 Jenny Belzberg Theater, Banff Center for the Arts & Creativity
- 2020 Live @ the Geit Cabin Studio w. Mafer Bandola, Newmanville ON
- 2019 Green Party Fundraiser - Lyndhurst, ON
- 2019 Resonance! - Montreal, QC
- 2018 Ottawa Marvest Festival - Ottawa, ON
- 2018 Spring fashion show - Merrickville, Ontario
- 2017 Colibri 360! BETA spectacle - Merrickville, Ontario
- 2017 Colibri! mini tour - ON & QC