



SAM HOLLIS | CIRCUS ARTIST

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ABOUT

main discipline juggling

complementary disciplines

hoop diving | acro-dance | jump rope | character work

born 1997

nationality american | canadian permanent resident

languages english | french

EDUCATION

national circus school, montreal 2016-2020

diplôme d'études collégiales (DEC)

tyler junior college academy of dance 2004-2008

ballet, tap

texas east gymnastics 2003-2006

artistic gymnastics

EXPERIENCE

2024	<i>barka by productions girovago</i> juggling, acrobatics, dance	colombia tour
2024	<i>cabaret de cirque carmagnole</i> juggling	montreal
2024	<i>pride cabaret by le monastère</i> juggling with flamingos	montreal
2024	<i>navel (solo project) at l'autre cirque</i> la chapelle scènes contemporaines and montréal complètement cirque 25 minutes work in progress performance direction sam hollis one juggling club manipulations	montreal
2024	<i>navel (solo project)</i> six weeks research and exploration period funded by conseil des arts et des lettres du québec direction sam hollis one juggling club manipulations	montreal
2024	<i>dreamcycle by cirque us</i> direction doug stewart and cast juggling, acrobatics, hoop diving, clown	united states tour
2024	<i>rouge: a cirque and dance cabaret by caroline calouche and co</i> direction caroline calouche juggling, acro-dance, dance	north carolina tour
2023	<i>jam night by la croustade</i> direction vincent jutras and eline guélat juggling improvisation	montreal
2021-2023	<i>machine de cirque by machine de cirque</i> direction vincent dubé juggling, acrobatics, hoop diving, teeterboard, hula hoops, clown	european tour
2021	<i>transform cabaret festival urban ink and the cultch</i> collaboration with musician geronimo inutiq juggling	virtual

2021	<i>c'est ça l'amitié</i> Montréal complètement cirque exploration, creation, and performances with charlotte fallu duo acrobatics	montreal
2020-2021	<i>paysages dynamiques</i> juggling residencies and performances direction jimmy gonzalez and erika nguyen juggling	montreal
2020	<i>au hasard de la ville</i> short film series and street performance parce que films and Montréal complètement cirque direction brigitte poupart juggling	montreal
2020	circus smirkus virtual show direction josh shack juggling	virtual
2020	cabaret cocktail cirquantique xx direction jimmy gonzalez juggling	montreal
2019	<i>extravaganza!</i> just for laughs festival hula hoops trio with sara mcdonald and nico allard	montreal
2019	cabaret le monastère juggling	montreal
2019	<i>the sam and sara show</i> Montréal complètement cirque street show creation and performances with sara mcdonald juggling, acrobatics, hula hoops	montreal
2019	la fête nationale parade direction louis tremblay juggling	montreal
2019	<i>sous la chemise</i> national circus school triptych show direction marc béland juggling, acrobatics	montreal
2018	<i>phénix</i> les minutes Montréal complètement cirque direction anthony venisse juggling, acrobatics, dance	montreal
2018	national circus school benefit evening juggling	montreal
2018	national circus school animation direction guillaume biron juggling, acrobatics, dance	montreal
2017	<i>circusical</i> national circus school animation direction edgar zendejas juggling, acrobatics, dance	montreal
2014-2016	circus smirkus big top tour direction mark lonergan, jesse dryden and troy wunderle juggling, hoop diving, acrobatics, jump rope, teeterboard, banquine, rola bola	new england tour
2014-2016	heartthrobbers competition and performance jump rope team jump rope, acrobatics	texas
2014	<i>cirque de la rose</i> texas rose festival coronation and parade direction winn morton juggling	texas

TEACHING

2024	juggling workshops with productions girovago incorporating movement into juggling	bogota
2024	cirque us and wheelock family theatre summer camp juggling and manipulation coach	boston
2024	multiple workshops while touring with cirque us intro to juggling, incorporating movement into juggling, hoop diving 101, acro-dance 101	united states tour
2024	acro-dance workshop at caroline calouche and co teaching fundamentals and simple skills of acro-dance to participants	charlotte, north carolina
2023	substitute juggling coach at the national circus school overseeing juggling courses and aiding students with act creation	montreal
2019	circus smirkus advanced summer camp juggling and acro-dance coach	greensboro, vermont