

Soleyman Pierini | Performing Artist - Circus, Magic, Film & TV

Profile

Circus performer and clown with touring experience, and actor in film & TV, open to performing roles where I can leverage my diverse skillset in clowning, acting, circus arts, and magic to contribute to engaging and meaningful productions.

Canadian & Italian citizen. Fluent in English, French, Italian. Age 23.

EnPiste member, ACTRA Full Member, UDA Stagiaire



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Core Competences

<ul style="list-style-type: none">Expertise in performing magic and circus acts (<i>ball juggling, Chinese pole, tight wire, comedy magic, mime, clowning</i>)Excellent comedic timing & physical actingExperience working in film & on stageStrong creative skills for coming up with stories on the spot & improvisingAbility to entertain small and big audiences (<i>from a table to a stage</i>)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">High level of professionalism and excellent work ethicReliable in completing projectsAlways eager to learn new things and expand skillsetGood creative and academic writing skillsSeasoned teamwork skills
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Relevant Work Experience

Circus Touring and Show Creation

Corporate Entertainment - 2025—present - Montreal

- Walk around entertainment with Mime, Clowning, Magic
- Performed a mime-juggling act, and the classic pantomimes 'The Box' & 'The Powerlifter'

Celestia Nouveau - 2024 - United Arab Emirates - Director Deena Marcum Selko

- Juggling, Chinese Pole, Clowning
- Co-created the three clowning acts in the show

Circus Smirkus - 2018–2021 - Eastern USA - Directors Troy Wunderle & Mark Lonergan

- Performed 140+ shows in the Big Top Tours Carnival, Vaudeville, and Flare
- Acting, Clowning, Chinese Pole, Tight Wire Walking, Juggling, and Magic

The Nutcracker Circus - 2019 - Denver, Colorado - Director Deena Marcum Selko

- Created and showcased a Cups & Balls magic routine
- Performed Chinese Pole, Magic, and acrobatics

The Wiggle Room Voix de Ville Variety Show - 2024 - Montreal, Canada

- Created and performed a comedy Linking Rings and card magic routine.

Magic Shows - December 2023 - Aosta, Italy

- Stand-up and strolling magic shows
- 4 Christmas shows at private events

Street Shows in Old Port of Montreal - 2016–2017; 2025–present - Montreal, Canada

- Performed an original mime & juggling act as well as classic pantomimes

Film Acting ([IMDb page](#))

“Ghosts” Season 5 - 2026 - Creators Joe Port & Joe Wiseman

- Actor role of Mime

“Villeneuve: Rise of a Champion” - 2026 - Director Yan Lanouette Turgeon

- Actor role of Luigi

“Plan B” Season 3 - 2025 - Directors Francois Gingras & Marianne Farley

- Actor role of Athletic Boy

“Catching The Light” - 2020 - Director Koura Linda

- Male lead actor role of Jeb Wiseman
- Watch Trailer: [link](#)

“Big Top Academy” - 2018 - Directors Francois Gingras & Guillaume Lonergan

- Special Skills Extra

“The Walk” - 2015 - Director Robert Zemeckis

- Actor role of young Philippe Petit

Creative Writing ([Amazon Author page](#))

- “12 Predictions by Interesting Characters” (2018), a Sci-Fi comedy book
- “Philosophical Trilingual Poetry” (2019), a poetry collection in English, Italian, and French
- “Anthology of The Library” (2023), a philosophy essay on Universal Libraries
- Short stories “Prayer App Review” and “Death Loop” on Hitrecord, a collaborative online production community

Creations & Performances

Mime

- “The Box” pantomime (2025): [link](#)
- “The Powerlifter” pantomime (2025): [link](#)
- Mime & Juggling Act (2025): [link](#)

Clowning & Character Work - Created clowning gags and comedy characters

- “Comedy Linking Rings” (2025; *WIP, submitted to the 2026 Mtl Clown Festival*): [link](#)
- Comedy Magician Act (2024): [link](#)
- “Magikoo & The Clumsy Fairy” (2017): [link](#)

Juggling

- Juggling Dance Flow (2024): [link](#)
- Irish Concert “Jazz Juggling” (2024): [link](#)
- Juggling in the Mountains (2024): [link](#)

Chinese Pole

- Chinese Pole Act from **Celestia Nouveau** (2024): [link](#)
- “The Anti-Gravity Potion” (2019): [link](#)
- Chinese Pole Act from **Carnival** (Circus Smirkus 2019 Big Top Tour): [link](#)
- Chinese Pole Act from **Flare, A Campfire Story** (Circus Smirkus 2021 Show): [link](#)

Wire Walking

- Wire Walking Act from **Vaudeville** (Circus Smirkus 2018 Big Top Tour): [link](#)
- Wire Walking Act from **Carnival** (Circus Smirkus 2019 Big Top Tour): [link](#)

Magic - Created and performed comedy and non-comedy magic acts

- Magic Acts from **Vaudeville** (Circus Smirkus 2018 Big Top Tour): [link](#)
- “The Multiplying Bottles” (2018 stage version): [link](#) (2023 restaurant version): [link](#)
- “Cups & Balls” (2019 stage performance): [link](#) (2023 home practice): [link](#)
- Invented original card tricks and built a close-up card magic show: [link](#)

Writing

- “12 Predictions by Interesting Characters” (2018): [link](#)
- “Trilingual Philosophical Poetry” (2019): [link](#)
- “Death Loop” (2019): [link](#)
- “Prayer App Review” (2020): [link](#)
- “Lol. I Crashed Again.” (2023): [link](#)
- “Anthology of the Library” (2023): [link](#) published by ē, the University of Toronto’s undergraduate philosophy journal

Training, Education, & Other Skills

Zani Clown & Comedy School - 2025–2026 - Montreal, Canada

- Education in clowning following the Francine-Côté method
- Classes in clown improv, mime, slapstick, bouffon, and more.

Mime lessons with Mario Diamond - 2019, 2025–2026 - Quebec

- Learned the theory and techniques of mime (4 dynamics of movement, 7 axes of the body)
- Learned classic pantomimes (the wall/box, the powerlifter, the marguerite, and more)

Humanitarian Clown Workshop Pascal Duguay-Gosselin - 2025 - Montreal, Canada

- Techniques for intervention in refugee camps through clowning
- Leading and co-leading games to engage children in difficult humanitarian situations

Clown Workshop with Fiona Griffith - 2025 - Montreal, Canada

- Pochinko's 10 Clown Rules, Clown Turn structure, exploration of one's own clown

University of Toronto / Concordia University - 2023-2025 - Canada

- Completed part of a bachelor degree in Psychology

The Second City Toronto - 2023 - Toronto, Canada

- 2 sessions of 7-week long improv comedy classes on “yes, and” improvisation philosophy, improvised scene creation, and character work

Magic classes with Peter Snow - 2013-2019 - Montreal, Canada

- Learned the basic techniques of card, coin, and rope magic
- Learned the theatrical and presentational aspects of performing magic
- Built magic shows for various settings and events

École Nationale de Cirque - 2013–2015 - Montreal, Canada

- 2 years of PFS (after school) program; got accepted to CES (secondary school) program
- Trained Juggling, Chinese pole, Wire Walking, Clowning & Jeu d’acteur, acrobatics
- Co-creation and performed in end-of-year shows “La Petite Genèse” (2013) and “Décollage Décoiffant” (2014)

Coding skills

Practiced Wing Chun Kung Fu

Student Ultralight Pilot (experience with 3-axis aircraft and motor hang-glider)

Worked as an Ontario Fire Ranger (Summer 2022)