

BAM

BAM PERCUSSION BIOGRAPHY

Steve Burman, Jean-Sebastien Dallaire and Frederic Gauld create BAM in February 1999. (In 2001, Frederic Gauld leaves the BAM Percussion to start his own company). Denis Richard jr joins and completes the dynamic trio.

Between 1999 and 2005, BAM Percussion tours Europe, Asia, Africa and New-Zealand.

(Please see "Past Performances" for more details)

In 2006, in Philadelphia, BAM Percussion present their new indoor production, that brings together physical comedy and high energy percussion.

In 2007, Steve Burman very sadly passes away. To honor their fallen friend and colleague, Jean-Sébastien, Denis and Vincent Boudreau (who had replaced Denis Richard jr from 2003 to 2005) decide to continue to do what BAM does best, and what Steve loved to do more than anything... making people laugh like crazy!

In 2011, BAM Percussion welcomes Krystina Marcoux, who takes over for Vincent Boudreau (Vincent Boudreau is still active with the company). Krystina brings new energy to BAM Percussion.

Today, BAM continues to grow on an international level while perfecting the art of comedy-percussion.

BAM dedicates every show to the life and formidable energy of their friend and BAM Percussion co-founder Steve Burman.

BAM in numbers :

Over 2000 high energy performances

In front of over 500 000 spectators

In 28 countries on 5 continents

Making everybody laugh in their own langage !

The Blue Barrel Show is **THE ULTIMATE FAMILY SHOW!**



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The BAM Team :



Jean-Sébastien Dallaire

Cofounder, Comedian, Percussionist

Jean-Sébastien Dallaire made his debut on the professional music scene in 1994 with the alternative rock band STUM. From 1995 to 1997, the group is quite active in the Montreal and Outaouais regions alternative scene. The group released two independent albums and produced a video which was aired on MuchMusic. In 1998, Jean-Sébastien wins the CEGEP Public's Choice award with a first version of BAM. A year later, with the help of Steve Burman, a new version of BAM is created. From 1999 to 2014, BAM tours 28 countries and 5 continents.



Denis Richard jr

Comedian, Percussionist.

Denis Richard jr joins BAM in 2001. His experience as a professional drummer and his numerous trainings in jazz, rock and African music, not to mention his openness to try something different and his natural talent for physical comedy, made Denis the perfect partner to complete the trio. They toured together in no less than 16 countries. www.denisrichardjr.com



Vincent Boudreau

Comedian, Percussionist.

The proud owner of a diploma for superior studies in percussion at the Québec Conservatory of Music, as well as the owner of a Masters degree in percussion from the University of Montreal, Vincent Boudreau had great credentials to join the group and was hired without delay. From the end of 2003 to 2007, they visited no less than 20 countries together. www.sonartmusique.com



Krystina Marcoux

Comedian, Percussionist.

In January 2011, Krystina Marcoux becomes the first lady of BAM. At 25, this young percussionist is just about to finish her masters in percussion at McGill University in Montreal. She recently received a medal from the Lieutenant Governor of Quebec and a grant for excellence in her field. She is now doing her masters in Lyon, France. She brings new energy to the company.

