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Bumi Mission Statement

At Bumi, our mission is to inspire and nurture holistic wellness by embracing the timeless wisdom of Eastern philosophies. We believe in fostering a harmonious connection with nature and cultivating authenticity in every aspect of life. Through our carefully curated events and community gatherings, we create transformative experiences that evoke clarity, sheer joy, and genuine self-discovery. We are dedicated to supporting individuals on their spiritual journeys, empowering them to live balanced, mindful, and purpose-driven lives.

Our founders created Bumi from their mutual love of community events in the Summer of 2023. Deeply rooted in their learned and lived experiences, both Bibi Rosa and Solmaz are committed to bringing enriching practices to the Greater Toronto Area and beyond. Together, they have built a vibrant community of like-minded souls, united by the shared commitment to personal growth, wellness, and the natural world.





Festival Overview

Welcome to Bumi Festival, where hearts entwine and spirits ascend. We blend the timeless wisdom of ancient tantra, modern mindfulness, sound healing, and sacred movement. Our focus on intentional wellness and spiritual growth is reflected in a diverse array of yoga styles, complemented by immersive experiences of healing through the arts, music, and visual delights.

At Bumi, each session transports you to an ethereal sanctuary, a haven where radiant self-compassion and profound inner bliss flourish. Amidst the serene embrace of nature, participants gracefully flow through tranquil yoga sessions, revel in evocative musical performances, and explore myriad facets of intentional well-being. Our inclusive environment warmly welcomes individuals of all ages, with dedicated spaces for children to engage in mindful play and creative exploration.

Our festival boasts an eclectic lineup of musicians, DJs, and artists from around the globe, curating a dynamic and inclusive atmosphere where diverse practices and traditions converge. Here, we celebrate the essence of love, inclusivity, and the intrinsic beauty of every soul. We embody patience, embrace the beginner's mind, and cultivate trust in the journey. Free from judgment, we relinquish striving and welcome each moment with acceptance, allowing our true selves to radiate.





Join us at Bumi Festival, where we honor the purposeful journey of self-discovery and communal celebration. Through the blend of music, movement, and meditation, we nourish our spirits, preparing to re-enter the world as whole, radiant beings. Together, let us celebrate love, acceptance, and the exquisite art of intentional living.





Founders

Bibi Rosa

- What would you like Bumi attendees and Bumi Magazine readers to know about you?
- One of my favorite things to do at festivals is to stand near a water station and clean attendees' glasses as an act of karma yoga.
- I love reading autobiographies, especially those by women, to explore their journeys, decisions, and the profound wisdom they have acquired.

What is the reason you find yourself in Toronto, Canada?

- I moved to Toronto when I was 24 years old. I have been embraced by the city's diversity in art, culture, ethnicity, food, and more, and I feel immense gratitude for it.

What Impact and legacy do you wish you leave in your life?

- Spreading love. Spreading support. Allowing people to be in touch by unconditional love.





Mehrchi

What is the inspiration for Bumi?

- The inspiration for Bumi originated in 2008, sparked by a photograph from a Rainbow Gathering in the 1990s. This image depicted a diverse group of people from various races and nationalities, united in a large circle, holding hands as a symbol of unity and solidarity, free from politics, beliefs, and religious prejudices. This powerful image became my vision. After years of dedication and with the support and empathy of friends, this vision has finally come to fruition.

Throughout my life, I have endeavoured to foster improvement and alleviate suffering for myself and others, though the extent of my success is uncertain. My hope is that Bumi will become a place where participants can flourish in various aspects of their lives, free from the constraints of societal norms.

What would you like Bumi attendees and Bumi Magazine readers to know about you?

- On a personal note, I have a fondness for various potato dishes
- Occasionally enjoy writing a few lines for my own reflection.





Solmaz

Tell me 3 things about you that the attendees and reader Bumi would not know:

- I can't forget and forgive easily.
- I hate doing house chores and I can do them if and only if I have my podcast on.
- I can't sit still and do nothing for more than 10 minutes, if I do, I get worried, stressed and feel something is wrong

What reason do you find yourself in toronto?

I love the cultural diversity of Toronto. It offers children the chance to grow up in an inclusive environment that respects and celebrates diversity.

What Impact / legacy do you wish you leave in your life?

I believe that embracing self-love at every age is incredibly important. There is always room to grow and pursue your passions. Age should not limit you. I am also a staunch advocate of living life in a way where roles like motherhood or being a wife should not hold you back from your passions. Your dreams never cease to matter.





Festival Overview

Q: How did you start the Bumi Festival?

R: "The Bumi Festival began with me and Mehrchi in 2018, inspired by our extensive travels around the world. We witnessed the power of cultural festivals and were motivated to create something similar that highlighted the Persian community. Our journey led to the realization that there was a unique opportunity to bring this enriching experience to Toronto, celebrating the beauty of Persian culture and art."

S: "I was invited to be a planner for the Bumi Festival, which was a perfect fit for me. I have a deep passion for mixing different artistic elements and creating unique experiences. My vision and taste naturally gravitate towards fusion, blending diverse practices and cultures into a cohesive, vibrant event."

Q: What was your inspiration for Bumi?

R & M: Our journey began in small rural and healing-centered communities, where we immersed ourselves in various monastic and ashram environments. We participated in numerous festivals and engaged with myriad traditions, which profoundly influenced our understanding of community and its role in personal and collective healing. For us, particularly Mehrchi and Bibi Rosa, the teachings we embraced emphasized that true freedom from suffering and greater contentment are achieved when mind, body, and spirit practices are integrated into a supportive community setting.





Q: What are the primary goals of the Bumi Festival?

S: "Our primary goal is to establish the Bumi Festival as an annual event that continues to grow and evolve. We aim to expand its reach beyond Toronto, with invitations to host similar festivals in Turkey, Georgia, and the UAE. We want to share our vibrant cultural fusion with the world, creating a global community connected through artistic practices and traditions."

R: "We are dedicated to curating an event that is not only unique for Toronto but also stands out across Canada. The festival is a celebration of diversity and unity, bringing together different cultures and communities in a way that is distinctly Canadian yet universally appealing."

Q: How do you select the themes and activities for the festival?

S: "The themes and activities of the Bumi Festival are carefully chosen to showcase a variety of practices, blending them into a unique, bespoke event. Our goal is to provide attendees with a holistic experience, where they can immerse themselves in different cultural expressions all in one place. Instead of seeking out individual experiences, they get to enjoy a curated journey that highlights the richness and diversity of our community."





Q: What challenges did you face when you first launched the Bumi Festival?

S: "Launching the Bumi Festival was a challenge because it was a brand new concept that required people to step out of their comfort zones. Even for me personally I had to do a lot of research to understand the concept. Convincing attendees to commit to a five-day festival with strangers was no small feat. I felt that last year, some people didn't fully understand that Bumi is a festival, not a retreat. It took time and effort to communicate the essence of the event and get people excited about this unique experience."

Q: How has the festival evolved since its inception?

S: "The Bumi Festival has bloomed beautifully since it began. People now truly understand and cherish the festival's essence. Last year, many attendees were able to disconnect from their daily lives and fully immerse themselves in the festival's unique and enriching experience. This year, we're seeing a heartwarming change—people are reaching out to us, eager to join the festival, making us feel loved and appreciated, without the need for us to explain or convince them."

Q: Do you have plans to expand the Bumi Festival to the next city?

S: "Absolutely. We are looking at expanding the Bumi Festival to other cities, particularly somewhere in the Near East. Our vision is to create a





network of festivals that celebrate cultural fusion and bring people together in different parts of the world. This expansion will allow us to share the magic of Bumi with a wider audience and continue to build a global community."

Q: How do you measure the success of the festival?

R, M & S : "Success for us is measured by the smiles and positive energy of the attendees. The genuine joy and enthusiasm we see from participants are invaluable. Additionally, the wonderful feedback from the ostads (masters) who participate and their eagerness to join us again is the best compliment we could receive. These heartfelt responses affirm that we are creating something truly special."

Q: What role does community involvement play in the Bumi Festival?

R, M & S: "Community involvement is at the heart of the Bumi Festival. It's about bringing people within the diaspora together, fostering a sense of belonging and connection. We focus on addressing the needs and interests of our community, providing a platform for them to express themselves and celebrate their heritage. The festival is a collaborative effort that thrives on the active participation and enthusiasm of the community, making it a truly inclusive and enriching experience."





What is Bumi?

Meaning of Bumi : Earth-Mother

Bumi is a gender-neutral name thought to have derived from the Sanskrit name Bhūmi. Bumi is the personification of the earth as a goddess and according to Hindu mythology, she married the third avatar of the God Vishnu.

Bumi was created based on the experiences and insights gained by its founders through their travels around the world, learning from diverse teachers of different styles. The festival aims to be a space that represents diverse lineages and practices concerning the mind, body, and spirit. Central to Bumi's philosophy is the concept of the "middle way" –an inclusive path that embraces a variety of practices, languages of love, forms of worship, and expressions of community and wisdom.

Rather than adhering strictly to one particular tradition or style, Bumi encourages an expansive approach where practitioners can explore and find the practices that resonate with them personally. This approach acknowledges the diversity of human experiences, practices, and teachers. Bumi seeks to foster an environment where different teachings can be shared and appreciated, helping individuals recognize their interconnectedness.

The festival features activities such as yoga, meditation, mindfulness, somatic healing, various forms of dance (including sacred dance and body movement), sound healing, and breathwork. Through these practices, participants can deepen their understanding of their own bodies and minds, contributing to the creation of a more inclusive and peaceful world for future generations.

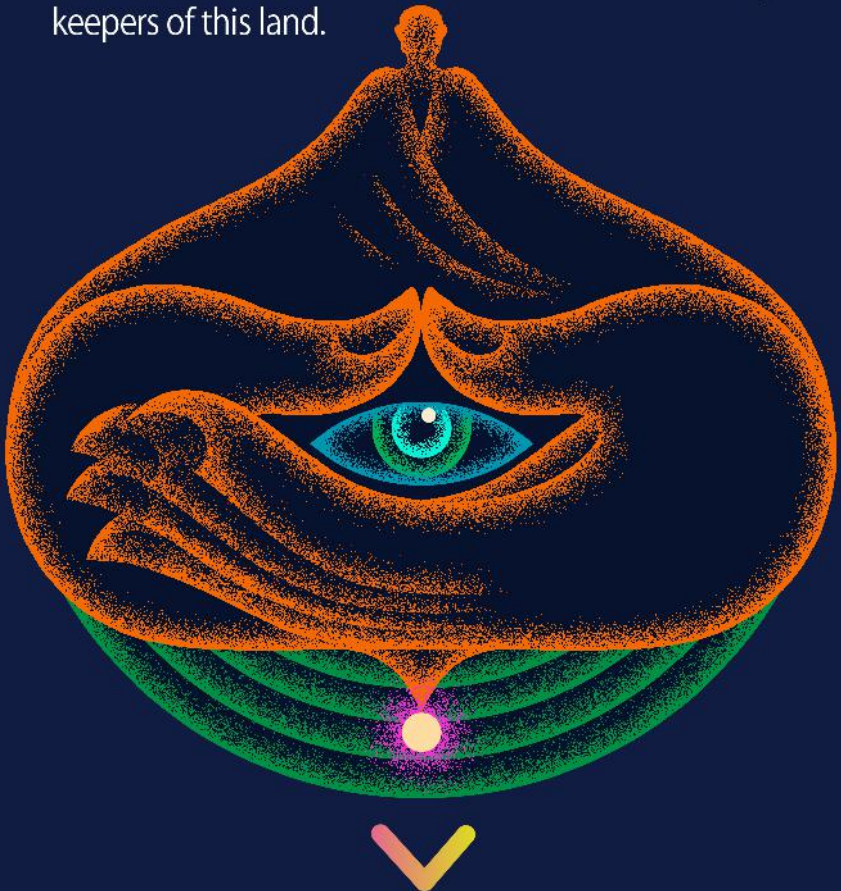




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As we celebrate the Bumi Festival, we acknowledge the ongoing impact of colonialism and pledge to learn from Indigenous values and knowledge, fostering collaboration and respect for the true knowledge keepers of this land.





BUMI Jewels







As Bahramji prepares for his debut performance in Canada at the Bumi Festival, he reflects on his journey with gratitude. His life and music exemplify the power of cultural fusion and the timeless nature of music. "Music has no past and no future," he says. "It has always been there and always will be there. The difference is: it is changing with the time, the place, and the culture of the people."

Bahramji

Bahramji: A Harmonious Journey from Kermanshah to Ibiza Bahram Pourmand, known to the world as Bahramji, was born in 1952 in Kermanshah, Iran. This Kurdish New Age musician has lived a life as dynamic and diverse as his music, which seamlessly blends traditional Persian melodies with contemporary electronic beats. Bahramji's journey from Iran to India, and eventually to the vibrant island of Ibiza, mirrors the rich cultural fusion that defines his unique sound.





Growing up as the eldest son in a loving and traditional family, Bahramji was always surrounded by musicians, singers, and poets. In 1977, seeking greater freedom and new experiences, Bahramji moved to India. There, he met Osho and began his musical career in an ashram in Pune.

In 2003, Bahramji's journey took him to Ibiza, a place that would become integral to his musical evolution. Ibiza provided the perfect environment for Bahramji to experiment and refine his style. Here, he became a respected elder within the year-round community, contributing his unique blend of chillout ambient tunes, psychedelic dub, and deep dance music to the island's eclectic soundscape.

Bahramji's music is defined by the santur, which is said to create the sound of emptiness. He also plays the Persian setar and the ney, a bamboo flute, and incorporates vocals inspired by the mystical poetry of Rumi. His music is a harmonious fusion of ancient and modern, spiritual and technical, East and West. This unique blend has made his sound a staple on dance floors and in chill-out rooms around the world.

Whether performing solo or collaborating with electronic artists, Bahramji's goal remains the same: to bring happiness and silence to his listeners. Bahramji views his mission as bringing joy and tranquility to people, using music as a universal language to connect souls. His ability to merge traditional Persian elements with modern electronic music continues to inspire and captivate audiences around the globe.





Lama Glenn Mullin

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A Journey into Tibetan Wisdom

Lama Glenn Mullin's journey into the heart of Tibetan wisdom began over four decades ago in the Indian Himalayas. Immersed in the rich tapestry of Tibetan Buddhist philosophy, literature, and meditation, he studied under the guidance of thirty-five eminent masters, including the revered gurus Yongdzin Che Chung and His Holiness the Dalai Lama. His profound connection with Tibetan spirituality laid the foundation for a lifelong quest to share its transformative teachings with the world.





As a Tibetologist, Buddhist writer, and translator of classical Tibetan literature, Lama Glenn Mullin has dedicated himself to preserving and disseminating the wisdom of ancient Tibetan traditions. With over 30 books to his name, he illuminates the lives and works of the early Dalai Lamas, offers insights into Tantric Buddhist meditation, and explores the mystical realms of Tibetan spirituality. His contributions have earned him accolades, including nominations for prestigious awards and recognition from esteemed institutions.

Lama Glenn Mullin is a founder of The Mystical Arts of Tibet, he orchestrated the first tours of Tibetan monks to North America, introducing audiences to the sacred music, dance, and artistry of Tibetan monastic life. Beyond his literary and cultural endeavors, Lama Glenn Mullin serves as a guide and mentor for those seeking to explore the Buddhist power places of Nepal and Tibet. Drawing on his extensive experience and deep spiritual insights, he provides invaluable guidance to travelers, ensuring safe and meaningful journeys through these sacred sites.

Lama Glenn Mullin's legacy is one of wisdom, compassion, and devotion to the preservation of Tibetan culture and spirituality. Through his writings, teachings, and cultural initiatives, he continues to illuminate the path of awakening for countless seekers around the globe, guiding them towards deeper understanding, inner peace, and spiritual fulfillment.





Hamed Nikpay

Harmonizing Tradition and Innovation

In the heart of Hamed Nikpay beats the rhythm of ancient melodies, a symphony that resonates with the soul of Persian music. From the streets of Iran to the vibrant stages of the world, Hamed's journey is a testament to the transformative power of music and the timeless beauty of tradition.

Hamed's passion is not limited to vocals; he was determined to master traditional Persian instruments like the Tar, Setar, Tanbour, Oud, and Daf. These instruments became his tools for expressing soulful Persian melodies. Acclaimed as "One of Iran's Best Young Vocalists," his voice and musicianship inspires listeners worldwide.





Hamed's journey is also about courage and solidarity. Amid political turmoil, he uses his music to advocate for freedom and democracy. His anthem "The Owner of this Land – Maaleke een Khaak" has become a symbol of resilience and hope.

Each performance by Hamed is a tribute to the masters of his past, infused with their spirit. Driven by a vision of unity, Hamed builds musical bridges between tradition and innovation. His art invites listeners to discover the beauty of cultural diversity, weaving together East and West in a harmonious symphony. Hamed's notes and lyrics remind us that music can heal, unite, and inspire, echoing timelessly across the ages.

Song Lyrics

مولانا - دیوان شمس

در میان عاشقان عاقل مباحه
خاصه اندر عشق این لعین قباحه
دور بادا عاقلان از عاشقان
دور بادا بوی گلخن از صباحه
گر درآید عاقلی گو راه نیست
ور درآید عاشقی صد مرحباحه
مجلس ایثار و عقل سخت گیر
صرفه اندر عاشقی باشد وباحه
ننگ آید عشق را از نور عقل
بد بود پیری در ایام صباحه
خانه بازآ عاشقا تو زوترک
عمر خود بیعاشقی باشد هباحه
جان نگیرد شمس تبریزی به دست
دست بر دل نه برون رو قالباحه





Shervin Bolorian

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Harmonizing Souls Through Sound

Sound healing can rejuvenate the human soul, fostering deep relaxation and emotional balance. Shervin Bolorian's journey in sound healing showcases the transformative power of music and the human spirit. As the Founder of Sound Healing Bali and a graduate of the 'Tama-Do' Academy of sound and color therapy, Shervin has dedicated his life to exploration, discovery, and healing.





Drawing inspiration from his Persian heritage and a profound respect for the healing arts, he moved to Bali and co-founded the Bali Sound Healers Collective, the world's first community of sound healers. Shervin offers unforgettable experiences as Shervin shares his unique blend of sound and healing arts.

Internationally recognized for his contributions to the field of sound healing, Shervin has been named one of Bali's top healers and has been featured at prestigious festivals and events worldwide. His music albums, endorsed by luminaries such as Coleman Barks, have garnered critical acclaim, earning him THREE Global Peace Song Awards in 2020.

Shervin's music transcends cultural boundaries, uniting diverse audiences in a shared experience of healing and harmony. His collaborations with artists such as Toni Childs, Joseph "Pepe" Danza, and Peia Luzzi have enriched his musical journey and expanded the reach of his healing vibrations.

Shervin's dedication to the art of sound healing and his commitment to spreading its transformative power serve as a beacon of hope and inspiration in an increasingly disconnected world. As he continues to share his gifts with the world, Shervin's legacy of healing and harmony resonates deeply, touching hearts and souls across continents.





Never Will Hope Surrender
By Shervin Bolorian

you may try to silence my voice
you may try to steal my joy
you may try to bind my hands
Break my wings with your demands
All I have maybe lost whatever the cost my heart is
free, whatever you do to my body

I say "No!" Never will hope surrender to fear
and no level of hate will stop love from finding a
way
Oh non Never will hope surrender to fear and no
level of hate will stop love from
finding a way
When you take my life you abuse the powers and
trusted to you
When you hide behind the rules, use whatever
excuse that suits





the spirit of truth will never fade, on the wings of
angels, we'll find a way
My heart will always be free, whatever you do to my
body
I say "No!" Never will hope surrender to fear
and no level of hate will stop love from finding a way
Oh non Never will hope surrender to fear
and no level of hate will stop love from finding a way
Won't you find a way

Rage belies,
Grief - We all hide
Whatever you're holding too tight
Let it go my friend, let the cycle end
our future depends on your strength,
to say No, to say No
On the wings of angels (Repeat x3)
We'll find our way
angels, I won't be afraid
On the wings of angels, We'll find our way
The spirit of Love leads me home
The spirit of Love will never surrender (Never
surrender)





Schirin Chams-Diba

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Schirin Chams-Diba: Weaving Threads of Feminine Wisdom In the heart of Schirin Chams-Diba beats the rhythm of ancient wisdom, a melody passed down through generations of Persian healers and wise women. From a lineage steeped in mysticism and healing, Schirin's journey unfolds like a sacred dance, each step guided by a profound connection to her cultural heritage and a deep-seated longing for truth and healing.

From her youth, Schirin felt the call to dance, to move her body in harmony with the rhythms of the universe. Under the tutelage of masters of classical Persian music, she learned the sacred art of dance, immersing herself in its ritualistic spirit-infused mystery.





As she journeyed deeper into the realms of movement and healing, Schirin's quest led her to explore the rich tapestry of feminine wisdom woven into the fabric of yoga, tantra, and esoteric arts. Through her intuitive understanding, she recognized the common threads that bound these practices together – the heart medicine, the breath connection, the body wisdom – all reflections of the elemental dance of life itself.

Schirin has crafted her own method, the 'Essence of the Feminine,' a sacred synthesis of yoga, dance, and healing arts. Through this transformative practice, she has sought to empower women to reclaim their innate wisdom, to dance with abandon, and to celebrate the divine essence within. For over a decade, Schirin has journeyed across continents, sharing her wisdom with women from all walks of life. From the lush landscapes of Bali to the ancient temples of Greece, she has held space for healing, connection, and transformation, guiding women on a journey of selfdiscovery and empowerment.

As a founding member of the world music project Karavan Sarai, Schirin's artistic expression knows no bounds. As a naturopath, herbalist, and flower essence practitioner, Schirin also offers her expertise to those in need, guiding them on a path of holistic wellness and vitality.

Driven by a vision of unity and wholeness, Schirin continues to dance, to heal, and to inspire. With each step she takes, she breathes life into the ancient wisdom of her ancestors, weaving threads of feminine wisdom that will endure for generations to come.





Mehdi Zarei - Art Director

As the Art Director of the Bumi Festival, Mehdi Zarei brings a unique vision to life, blending everyday elements with nature to craft an immersive experience for attendees. His approach is rooted in transforming ordinary indoor items into outdoor spectacles, inviting guests to view familiar objects in a new light amidst the festival's natural backdrop. "We take items that are used in everyday life within the home or indoors and bring those items into the outdoors," Mehdi explains, his voice animated with the passion of an artist envisioning a canvas. "It's about creating intrigue with our decor, prompting attendees to see these objects in a fresh, outdoor context."





Central to Mehdi's design philosophy is the juxtaposition between urban life and the natural world, an interplay that defines the festival's ambiance. "We emphasize the contrast between city living and the outdoors, encouraging a deeper appreciation for nature," he elaborates. "For instance, placing a chair in a creek invites someone to pause, sit, and connect with the environment."

This year, the festival's main stage embodies a new focus on wellness and tranquility.

"We're symbolizing wellness through our color choices and setting a mood of calm," Mehdi shares thoughtfully. "It's about creating an environment where attendees, instructors, and planners alike can feel deeply connected to the ambiance and setting."

Mehdi's journey to the Bumi Festival is as heartfelt as his artistic vision. "Rosa is an old and dear friend," he reveals with a warm smile. "That's how I became involved with Bumi." His connection to the festival runs deep, infused with personal ties and a shared commitment to its cultural mission. I also work closely with Solmaz, whose vision for the look and feel of the event emanate during the course of the five day festival.

Incorporating cultural diversity is paramount to Mehdi's artistic direction. "On the main stage, we're integrating traditional Iranian elements like handcrafts, art, rugs, and tapestries," he notes. "It's not just about showcasing Iranian culture within Canada but also celebrating the indigenous cultures that enrich our Canadian landscape." For Mehdi Zarei, the Bumi Festival is more than an event; it's a canvas where art,

nature, and culture converge to create a tapestry of experiences. Through his design choices and cultural curation, Mehdi invites attendees to explore, reflect, and connect with the beauty and diversity that define the festival's essence.





Teachers & Performers

Alphabetically



Alfredo Cáceres
Latin Grammy award winner
Flamenco guitarist and composer



Anooheh
Dancer



Dr. Heidi Walk
(M.D., C.C.F.P.)
physician psychotherapist



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Yoga Instructor



Hosein Aura
BreathWork Coach



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DJ





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Dancer



Linda
Aerial Yoga Instructor



Harpeet Singh
Musician



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Yoga Instructor



Kimia
Yoga Instructor



Nilou
Yoga Instructor



Luciana
Vocalist, Sound Healer, DJ



Medusa Odyssey
DJ





Moksha Element (Mina)
Clinical Hypnotherapist
and a Holistic Life Coach



Moskitto Bar
Musician



Nima
DJ



Pyra
Dancer



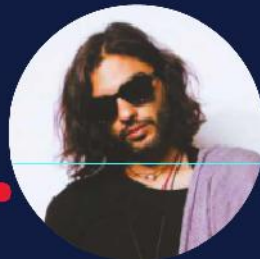
Sahara Rose
Artist, Author, founder of
"Highest Self Institute" Podcast



Saba Zamani
Singer



Shahriar Siavash
Musician



Shan Nash
DJ





Sina Bathaie
Multi-instrumentalist,
Producer and Compose



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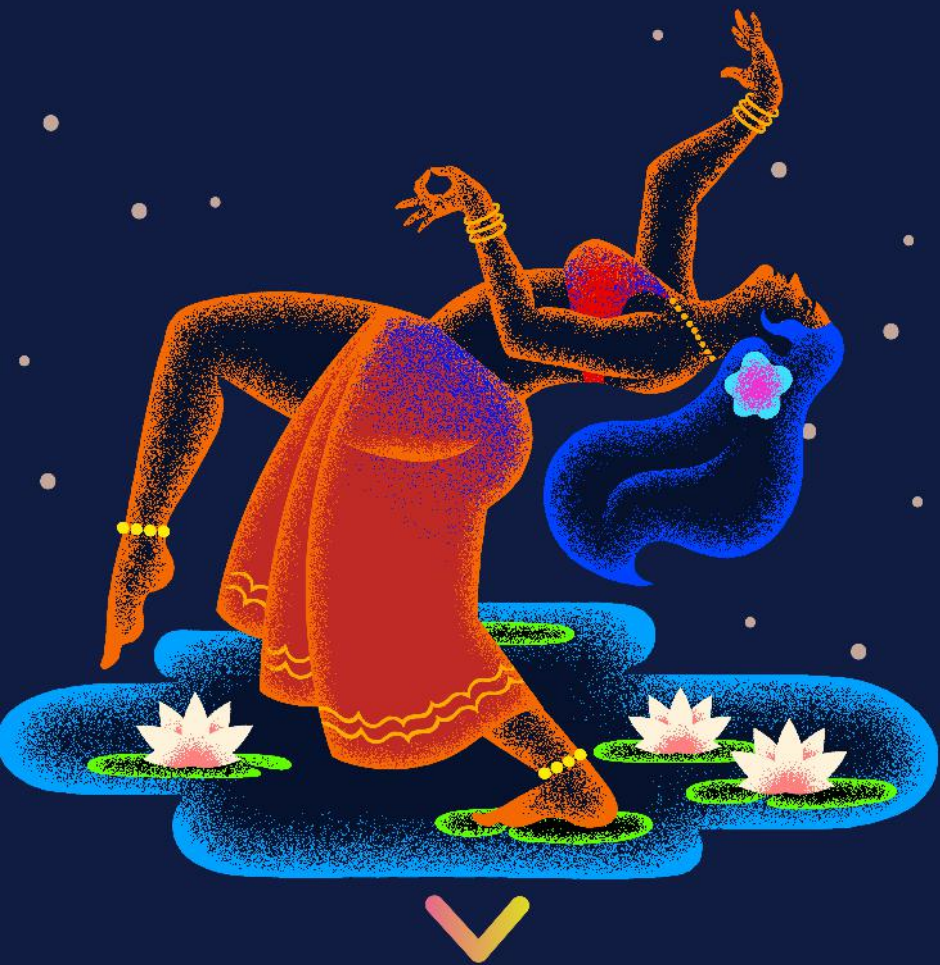


Tara Moneka
Singer



Tangi Lion
Musician







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We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our esteemed sponsors, whose generous support has been pivotal in bringing Bumi Festival to fruition. Their unwavering commitment and belief in our vision have played a crucial role in creating a transformative and inclusive gathering for all.

With their invaluable contributions, we have been able to cultivate an atmosphere of holistic wellness, cultural celebration, and community connection.

We deeply appreciate their partnership and dedication to making the Bumi Festival a memorable and enriching experience.





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Step into a world where wellness meets creativity at Bumi Festival 2024.

Panasonic, our trusted technology partner, provides the cutting-edge projectors and cameras that allow our community's artistic visions to flourish.

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Discover how Panasonic's expertise makes this enchanting experience possible, and join us at Bumi Festival 2024 to be part of his extraordinary journey.






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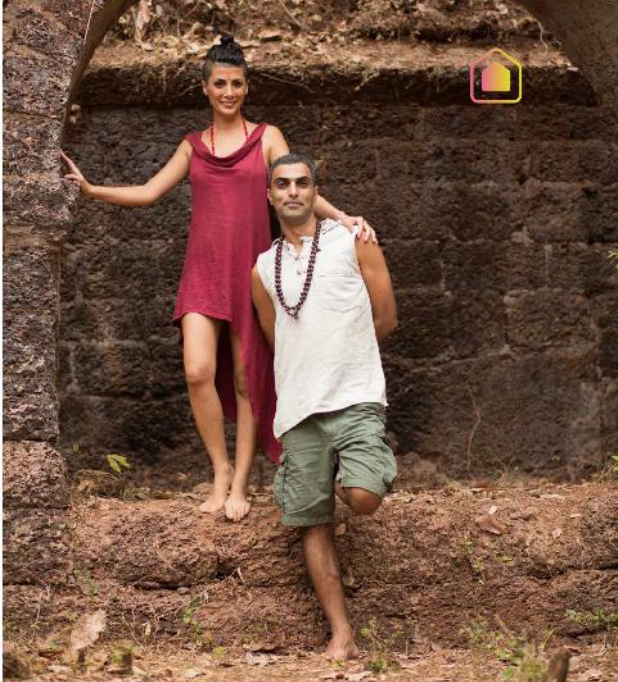
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Spotlighting our First Attendee - Hedyeh

A Journey of Discovery and Community at Bumi Festival

In the bustling heart of Toronto, amidst the city's vibrant culture, there's a festival that captures the heart and spirit of one extraordinary attendee, Hedyeh. Her journey with Bumi Festival begins as a spark of curiosity, igniting a path of personal growth and community engagement that continues to flourish.

"I heard about the Bumi Festival through YogiBash's Instagram stories and thought, why not?" Hedyeh chuckles, recounting her initial dive into the unknown. "I bought my ticket before even checking if I could get the time off work. I just knew that I had to be there."

What starts as a spontaneous decision soon evolves into something deeper. Hedyeh's involvement with Bumi grows organically from being the first confirmed attendee to now lending a hand in organizing events post-Bumi. "I wouldn't say I'm a full-on organizer," she says with a grin, "but I'm helping plan some stuff for the teachers. It's my little way of giving back to this amazing community."

Reflecting on her personal and professional gains, Hedyeh's face lights up with joy. "The wisdom and humility of those world-renowned teachers wow!" She recalls how sessions with Shervin Bolorian's sound healing left her utterly amazed. "I never thought I'd be into sound healing, but here I am, practicing it on my friends and family. They love it!"





More than just skills, Bumi Festival sparks a sense of purpose in Hedyeh. "Meeting these teachers and hearing their life stories has opened my eyes to new possibilities," she says earnestly. "It inspires me to pursue what truly makes me happy."

Looking ahead, Hedyeh is excited about the festival's future. "I'm not setting any big goals, but I'm here to help out wherever I can," she declares with enthusiasm. "Bumi Festival has so much potential, and I can't wait to see it grow."

For the Bumi team, Hedyeh isn't just an attendee. She's a ray of sunshine, bringing energy and support to every event. Her journey embodies the festival's spirit of discovery, joy, and mutual enrichment.

As the Bumi Festival continues to evolve, Hedyeh stands as a living testament to its transformative power; a real-life tale of laughter, learning, and community spirit.





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BUMI Site Map 2024





Daily Schedule

Moon Stage

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Friday, June 28th

- | | |
|----------|------------------|
| 5:00 pm | Opening |
| 5:30 pm | Shervin Bolorian |
| 6:30 pm | Sina Bathaie |
| 8:00 pm | Hamed Nikpay |
| 10:00 pm | Luciana |





Closing

uesday, July 2th

- 7:00 am Sunrise Yoga
- 8:00 am Karma Yoga
- 10:00 am Special Closing Ceremony
- 12:00 pm Check Out





Earth Stage

Saturday, June 29th

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| 7:00 am | Shiva Mahdavi
Sunrise Yoga |
| 8:30 am | Luciana
Sacred Heart Circle |
| 10:00 am | Kimia
Nature flow Yoga |
| 11:30 am | Schirin Chams
Sacred Dance Workshop |
| 2:30 pm | Bibi Rosa
Mindfulness/Meditation |
| 4:00 pm | Shahriar & Harpreet Singh
Tar & Tabla |

Sun Stage

Saturday, June 29th

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| 8:00 am | Ghazal
Hatha Yoga |
| 9:30 am | Hosein Aura
Breath Work/Meditation |
| 11:00 am | Lama Glann
Tibetan Kundalini |
| 2:00 pm | Mina
Becoming Magnetic |
| 3:30 pm | Samin Solum
Vinyasa |





Earth Stage

Sunday, June 30th

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|----------|--|
| 7:00 am | Shiva Mahdavi
Sunrise Yoga |
| 8:30 am | Shervin Bolorian
What is Sound Healing |
| 10:00 am | Samin Solum
Vinyasa |
| 11:30 am | Vielight
Neuroscience |
| 2:30 pm | Bibi Rosa
Mindfulness/Meditation |
| 4:00 pm | Hosein Aura
Breath Work/Meditation |

Sun Stage

Sunday, June 30th

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|----------|--|
| 8:00 am | Mina
Ashtanga Yoga |
| 9:30 am | Lama Glenn
Meditation |
| 11:00 am | Dr. Heidi Walk
Mindfulness |
| 2:00 pm | Schirin Chams-Diba
Sacred Dance Workshop |
| 3:30 pm | Luciana
Heart Expansion |





Earth Stage

Monday, July 1th

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| 7:00 am | Shiva Mahdavi
Sunrise Yoga |
| 8:30 am | Luciana - Vocal
Freedom Workshop |
| 10:00 am | Lama Glenn
Tantra |
| 11:30 am | Hosein Aura
Breath Work/Meditation |
| 2:30 pm | Bibi Rosa
Mindful Presence |
| 4:00 pm | Schirin Chams
Sacred Dance Workshop |

Sun Stage

Monday, July 1th

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| 8:00 am | Leila
Iyengar Yoga |
| 9:30 am | Anooheh
Turning Emotions into
Dance |
| 11:00 am | Ehsan Salami
Art of Clarity |
| 2:00 pm | Nilou
Dance Flow &
Soul Sound Tuning |
| 3:30 pm | Samin Solum
Vinyasa |





Moon Stage

Saturday, June 29th

- 12:30 pm Shervin Bolorian
- 6:30 pm Moskitto Bar
- 8:00 pm Bahramji & Medusa
- 10:00 pm DJ Kash Omch

Forest Camp

Saturday, June 29th

- 5:00 pm Sahara Rose
Ecstatic Dance

Kids Village

Saturday, June 29th

- 8:00-10:00 am Kids Yoga
And Activities
- 4:00-6:00 pm Painting
And Kids Program





Moon Stage



Sunday, June 30th

12:30 pm **Bahramji & Amu**
Special Music & Meditation

6:30 pm **Shervin Bolorian**
What is Sound Healing?

8:00 pm **Sina Bathaie**

10:00 pm **Shan Nash**

Kids Village

Sunday, June 30th

8:00-10:00 am **Kids Yoga**
And Activities

4:00-6:00 pm **Painting**
And Kids Program





Moon Stage

Monday, July 1th

12:30 pm **Special Performance**

6:30 pm **Saba Zameni**

8:00 pm **Hamed Nikpay**

10:00 pm **Nima Sepehr**

Forest Camp

Monday, July 1th

5:00 pm **Sina Bathaie**
Ecstatic Dance

Kids Village

Monday, July 1th

8:00-10:00 am **Kids Yoga**
And Activities

00-6:00 pm **Painting**
And Kids Program





Letter of Gratitude

As we eagerly anticipate the beginning of the second Bumi Festival, our hearts are already brimming with immense gratitude and joy. Each of you is poised to contribute to what promises to be a tapestry of transformative experiences, heartfelt connections, and radiant joy.

To our esteemed teachers, your wisdom and guidance are the beacons of light that will illuminate the paths of countless individuals on their journeys of self-discovery and holistic wellness. Your teachings will inspire and nurture our community, fostering a deep connection to ancient wisdom and modern mindfulness. We are endlessly grateful for the love, patience, and authenticity you bring to each session, creating sanctuaries of learning and growth.

To our cherished participants, your vibrant energy and open hearts are what will make the Bumi Festival a true celebration of life, love, and community.

Your willingness to embrace new experiences, connect with others, and explore the depths of your own being is already inspiring. Each of you will contribute to the festival's unique and inclusive atmosphere, making it a place where every soul can shine. Thank you for your trust, enthusiasm, and for choosing to be part of this beautiful journey.





To our incredible behind-the-scenes team, your tireless efforts and unwavering commitment are the foundation upon which the Bumi Festival will stand. From organizing and planning to ensuring every detail is perfect, your hard work will not go unnoticed. You are bringing our vision to life with grace, precision, and a deep sense of purpose. We are immensely grateful for your dedication, creativity, and the countless hours you have invested in making this festival a resounding success.

Together, we are about to create a sanctuary where hearts entwine, spirits ascend, and profound inner bliss flourishes. The Bumi Festival is more than just an event; it is a manifestation of our collective love, dedication, and commitment to intentional living and holistic wellness where joy meets community.

This is only the start of a beautiful journey for everyone involved. We are honored to embark on this journey with each of you and look forward to experiencing the growth, celebration, and community that lie ahead.

With deep gratitude and love, Much Metta,

Bibi Rosa, Mehrchi, and Solmaz
Co-Founders, Bumi Festival





Love Letter to Toronto

Dear Toronto,

With all our hearts, we thank you for being the vibrant, nurturing home where the Bumi Festival can flourish. Your streets, filled with the rich mosaic of cultures and communities, are a beacon of inclusivity and diversity. It is within your embrace that we find the inspiration to bring together ancient wisdom and modern mindfulness, creating a haven for holistic wellness.

Your spirit of acceptance and unity allows events like ours to blossom, fostering profound connections and transformative experiences. We are deeply grateful for your open arms and the endless possibilities you offer. Together, we celebrate the beauty of intentional living, shared joy, and collective growth. Thank you, Toronto, for being the radiant heart that makes it all possible.

With love,

Bibi Rosa, Mehrchi, and Solmaz
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