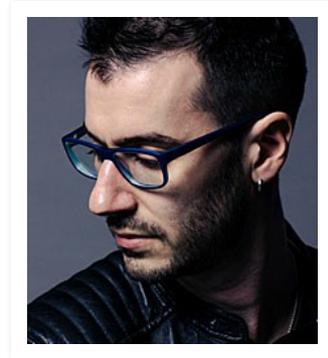


SK Shlomo

Singer-songwriter and record-breaking beatboxer

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About

Simon Kahn is an award-winning beatboxer, producer and live looping technologist who performs under the stage name SK Shlomo.

A Guinness World Record breaker, SK Shlomo gave up his astrophysics degree to perform his amazing vocal pyrotechnics. It was a good move. Since then he has won global acclaim and worked with Bjork, Damon Albarn, Martha Wainwright, Basement Jaxx and The Specials. In the process he has continually pushed the boundaries of beatboxing, bringing the art form to new and unexpected audiences.

Raised on a strict childhood diet of orchestral percussion and jazz drums, SK Shlomo instinctively began making vocal music as a small child. He first found critical acclaim as a beatboxer aged 18 when he began touring with the award winning multinational hip hop group Foreign Beggars. Soon after, SK Shlomo was collaborating with Bjork on her all vocal album Medulla.

After appearing on BBC2's Later with Jools Holland, he formed the pioneering beatbox group Shlomo & the Vocal Orchestra and gained international recognition through The Beatbox Choir, a TV documentary following the journey of the group's inception to their sold out debut show.

As well as being an artist in residence at London's Southbank Centre, SK Shlomo is a sought after composer writing for choirs, stage shows, films and adverts. His works include a score for the BFI's restoration of Alfred Hitchcock's Downhill, a commission for the Royal Festival Hall's organ and a nomination for the British Composer Awards for his piece for the National Youth Choir.

SK Shlomo is a firm favourite on the festival scene, bringing out guests like his friend Ed Sheeran (whom he has taught a number of tricks), Lily Allen, Jarvis Cocker and Rudimental. He has played the main stages at Glastonbury more times than he remembers, won rave reviews for his autobiographical one-man shows and even had a feature film made about him.

Performance

Live Performances

SK Shlomo is in huge demand to perform at **festivals, live events, corporate functions, award ceremonies, product launches, international conferences, team building workshops** and **private parties**. He has performed at every Glastonbury Festival since 2005

Live, Shlomo performs either solo or with his eight-piece vocal group, The Vocal Orchestra. He can also host interactive workshop events.

SK Shlomo has twice held the record for the World's Largest Beatbox Ensemble, and is the current holder for directing a group of 2,081 Google employees at the Dublin Convention Centre in November 2011.

Previous clients include Google, Ford, Smirnoff, BBC Music, Glastonbury Festival, Bacardi, Bestival, Xbox, Red Bull, Nokia, Southbank Centre, Microsoft, WIRED, Viacom, TEDx, Sony, Lloyds Bank, Vauxhall, War Child and Royal

Video



Testimonials

“

An inspiring insight into his personal story bookended with jawdropping performances. Everyone in the office is still talking about Shlomo.

Accenture.

“

SK Shlomo's energy and skills are mind-blowing. My entire team was laughing, vocalising and interacting with each other throughout the whole day.

Dyson.

“

A huge success. Everyone was genuinely captivated... thank you sooooo much for doing such an amazing job.

LinkedIn.

“

We were thrilled - Shlo is a special guy! We are already looking for ways to work with him again.

Novartis.

“

Absolutely terrific - he lifted the room, with so much energy and talent. It was such a highlight of WIRED.

Wired.

“

Shlomo you were amazing. Thanks for spending time with the staff. We felt a little special hanging out with you.

WAR child.

“

SK Shlomo was incredibly dynamic, engaging and enlightning, and his interactive presentation had my whole team on their feet.

ITV.

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