### **RESUME**

## Florian Boulais

## **Education**

- 2000 License for Aircraft Maintenance Personnel issued by the Swiss Confederation Heavy-Duty Maintenance
- 1995 Brevet de Technicien Supérieur en optique photonique et technologie laser, Académie de Strasbourg, France (equivalent to a Canadian Diploma - after: World Education Services, Ref. 5443950)
- 1993 Diplôme du Baccalauréat Technologique, Spécialité Électronique, Académie de Strasbourg, France (equivalent to Canadian Highschool Graduation with focus on science and technology)

### **Other Training**

### **Complexity Science and Systems Thinking**

- 2022 Building Adaptive Capacity, online course, Human Systems Dynamics Institute (US)
- 2022 7 Systems Dragons Course, online course, Human Systems Dynamics Institute (US)
- 2021 Systems Practice, online course, Acumen Academy (US)
- 2021 Sensemaking 101, online course, Rebel Wisdom (England)

### Leadership, Coaching and Business Administration

- 2023 Resilient Minds Trainer Certification for Fire Fighters, Canadian Mental Health Association, Whitehorse
- 2019 Integral Associate Coach Certificate, Integral Coaching Canada, Vancouver
- 2012 Accounting level 1, Yukon College, Dawson City
- 2011 Managing in The Middle, Banff Center, Banff

### Information Technology

- 2003 Computer literacy, Yukon College Dawson City
- 2003 Computer Graphics, Yukon College Dawson City
- 2004 Adobe Creative Suite, Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Yukon College Dawson City
- 2004 Web design, Yukon College Dawson City
- 2010 Apple Certified Technician, MEADIAsolutions, Whitehorse

### **Health and Safety**

- 2023 Basic Fire Fighter Level, Ibex Fire Department, Whitehorse
- 2022 Wildfire Orientation Training Course, Hootalingua Fire Department, Whitehorse
- 2022 WHIMIS 2015 for Workers, Ibex Fire Department, Whitehorse
- 2021 Emergency Medical Responder Certificate, EMS, Whitehorse
- 2020 First Aid, Golden Horn Fire Department, Whitehorse
- 2013 Food Safe, Yukon College, Dawson City

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#### **Arts**

2003	Art Foundation, Yukon College, Dawson City
2003	Design and color, KIAC, Dawson City
2003	Introduction to Photography, KIAC, Dawson City
2003	Traditional & Digital photography, KIAC, Dawson City

### **Building**

2005	Carpentry - pre apprenticeship level one and two, Yukon College, Dawson City
2006	Introduction to Welding, Yukon College, Dawson City
2007	Introduction to Electricity, Yukon College, Dawson City
2007	Introduction to Plumbing, Yukon College, Dawson City

## **Work Experience**

## Since 2020 Principal of F&B Consulting, Whitehorse

Facilitation of difficult and complex meetings and interdepartmental working groups using a cross disciplinarian approach including a wide array of tools and techniques including Complexity Science, Systems and Design Thinking and Human Systems Dynamics

Analyzing and mapping complex situations

Development and delivery of workshops fostering the understanding and practice of personal and systemic resilience for individuals and institutions, including Yukon Government, Yukon University, Yukon Education and First Nations Organisations

Managing all administrative tasks including web site development and maintenance, advertising, accounting and networking

### Special projects:

- Assessment of the resiliency of the electric grid in the Yukon using Complexity Science, Systems Thinking and Systems Mapping
- 2021 Working with the Fire Marshall Office to assess the potential wildland fire situation around Whitehorse using Complexity Science, Systems Thinking and Systems Mapping

Since 2022 Emergency Services Dispatcher on call, Delta 1, Whitehorse

Since 2020 Substitute teacher on call, Yukon Education, Whitehorse

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## 2013 to 2019 Owner and operator of the Alchemy Café and Bnb, Dawson City

Networking with local farmers and business to provide quality food to customers and increase food resilience in the Yukon

Managing multicultural staff in a highly stressful environment

Performing all administrative tasks including payroll and accounting

Managing stocks

Cooking and performing speciality drinks to the highest standards

Advertising, web site development and maintenance

## 2007 to 2019 Apple Certified Technician, MEADIAsolutions, Whitehorse

Assessment and repair of all Apple products

Perform all related administrative tasks

Interact and coach/teach customers

Train new technicians

# 2005 to 2019 Self-employed Handy Man (intermittently), Dawson City and Whitehorse

Contracts in repair and maintenance in the fields of electricity, welding, plumbing, carpentry, building maintenance. Clients included e.g. Yukon Housing in Dawson City

### 2009 to 2013 General Contractor

Design, management and construction of the Alchemy Café and Bnb including, harvesting logs, milling, architectural drawing, traditional English tenon and mortise timber framing, stick framing, plumbing, electricity, setup of commercial kitchen, performing all administrative task associated with building including fund raising

2010 to 2012 Educational Assistant at Robert Service School, Dawson City

2007 to 2009 Studio Technician at the Yukon School of Visual Arts, Dawson City

Including IT, video, photography, wood shop, developing and implementing safety procedures

2006 Computer technician work at Comp Tech, Dawson City

2005 Fire Smarting for West Dawson Association, Dawson City

2002 to 2006 Carpentry work with Narrow Gage Construction

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## 2003 Instructor, Yukon College Dawson City

Introduction to Microsoft Excel

# 1997 to 2001 Licensed Jet Engine Mechanic at Swiss Airlines, Basel, Switzerland

Disassembly, inspection, assessment, repair and reassembly of jet engines

Performing all related administrative tasks

Supervising trainees

Performing jet engine tests

Maintenance and development of Jet Engine test facility

## 1996 to 1997 Helmsman in French Navy on a 300 ft frigate in the Indian Ocean

More than 100 days at sea, visited more than 20 countries including low risk conflict areas

## **Strengths**

Lifelong learner, intrinsic motivation

Work well in a team as well as individually with no supervision

Ability to manage and supervise staff

Ability to remain centered and problem solve while in intense discomfort and/or under high pressure (Navy, volunteer work with EMS and Fire Department)

Ability to gather data from various sources, integrate, synthesize and present large amounts of data in a comprehensive way

High level of general knowledge including but not limited to art, philosophy, psychology, systemic risk, complexity science, emotional intelligence, economy, sociology, history, meditation, the great spiritual traditions

Public speaking including writing speeches and delivering to hundreds of people such as Remembrance Day speeches or the creation and delivery of multi day workshops

High degree of fluency with computers including Microsoft Office, web design and Adobe Creative Suite.

Physical fitness and ability to sustain extended periods of physical and mental stress - Cross Fit, running of Alchemy Café, navy, ice dipping, 10-day silent meditation retreats

Extensive experience with safe handling of tools ranging from chainsaws to welding apparatus, all woodworking and mechanical tools, logging machinery, ...

Extensive experience with repair of mechanical devices and building including electricity and plumbing

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## **Service in Non-Profits and Other Organizations**

## Since 2022 Member of Wildfire Awareness Society, Whitehorse

Development of a strategy in coordination with Wildland Fire Department and citizens groups to bring increased public and political awareness to the wild fire risk incurred by Whitehorse

## Since 2022 Member of Jack Cable Citizen Group, Whitehorse

Development of a strategy to bring increased public and political awareness to the fragility of the electric grid and the need to increase personal and systemic electric resilience

Since 2020 Volunteer for the EMS services, March Lake and Dawson City

Since 2020 Volunteer for the Ibex Valley Fire Services Department

2010 to 2013 Vice President of the Conservation Klondike Society

### 2012 Co-creation of the Dawson City Food Secure Advocacy Group

Organization of six public presentations about increasing use and production of local food in partnership with the Tr'ondëk Hwëch'in First Nation Government

2019 to 2014 Vice President of the Klondike Sun Newspaper Board, Dawson

City

2005 Member of the Community Library Board, Dawson City

2005 Member of the Dawson City Arts Society Board, Dawson City

2002 to 2004 Member of the Yukon College Board, Dawson City (acting chair)

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## Other Skills and Interests

### Languages

English Fluently spoken and written
French Fluently spoken and written

German Fluently spoken

### **Drivers Licence**

Class 4, 5, 6

### **Physical Fitness**

Ice Dipping Regularly

Cross Fit Two to three times a week

Running Once a week

Swimming In lakes in the summer, 30 to 50 km per year

## In depth understanding of indigenous ways of being and doing

One year living on the land with Ojibwa people in Ontario from 2001 to 2002

## **Expert level chainsaw skills**

Acquired through doing fire smart, log harvesting, log building and teaching log building to high school students

### Musician

25 years, blending traditional instruments such as percussions, accordion, voice and modern electronic music

### **Visual Artist**

20 years, for enjoyment, design of advertisements, logos, websites to supporting businesses and non-profits

### Meditation

Daily practice since 2011amounting to more than 5000 hours. Exploration of a wide array of practices and modalities.

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