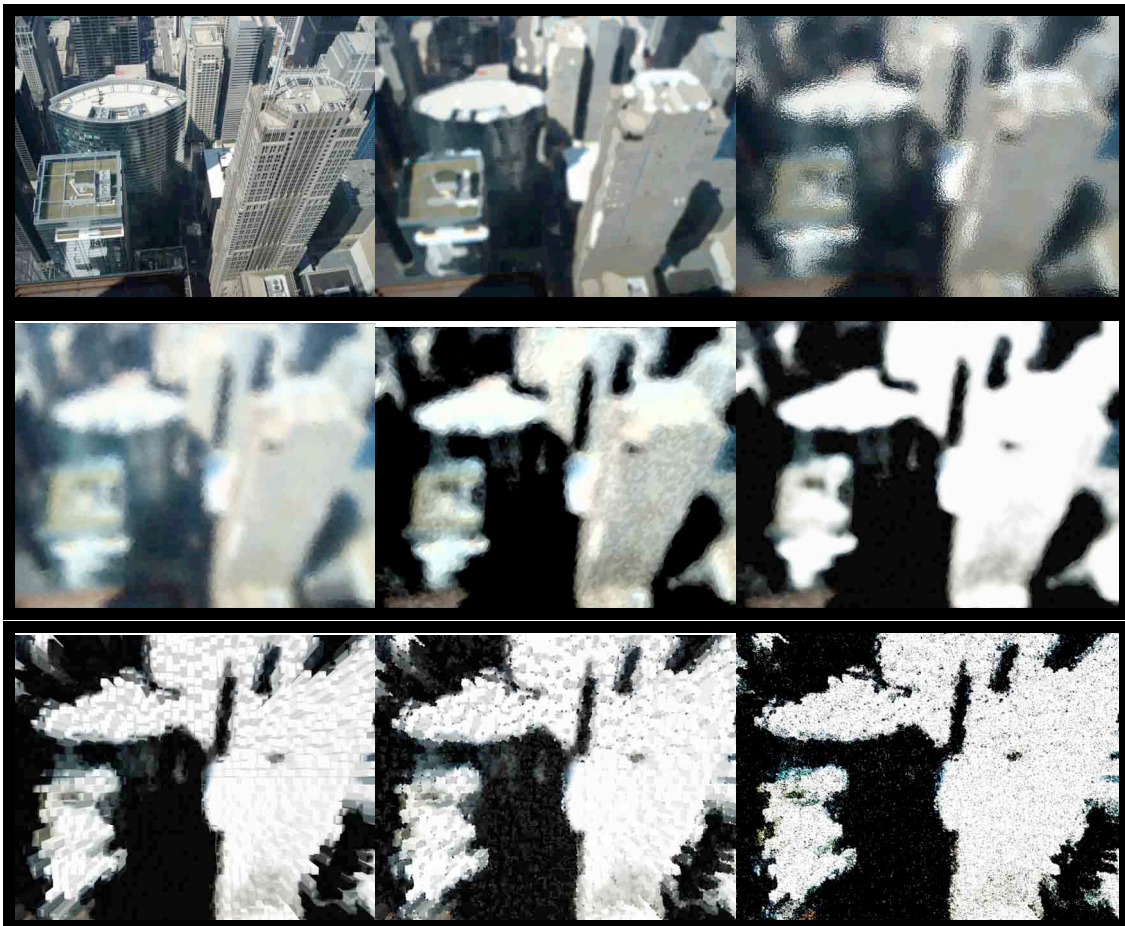


SOUND MATTER

Collectively transforming city sound environments into sonic virtualities

“Sound Matter” is a series of collective projects conceived and directed by sound artist **Francisco López**. In each project a small group of experienced sound artists / composers is teamed up to work collectively in and on the city where they live / work. The artists explore the city sound environments, gather field recordings, generate a series of shared pools of sonic materials -both original and transformed- and then create several original pieces that are presented live in an immersive multi-channel set-up, in which a new sonic virtual city is generated.

<http://www.franciscolopez.net>



BRUSSELS SOUND MATTER (2004)



Organized by **Argos**

Participating artists:

Aernoudt Jacobs, Martiens Go Home, Johan Vandermaelen, Building Transmissions.

CD releases:



"This Place is Dreaming"
(K-RAA-K, Belgium, 2004)



"untitled #164"
(unsounds, The Netherlands, 2006)

Info links:

<http://www.argosarts.org/>

<http://www.kraak.net/en/releases.php?ID=4>

<http://cdbaby.com/cd/fransiscolopez>

MONTREAL SOUND MATTER (2006)



Organized by **Quartier Éphémère**

Participating artists:

Hélène Prévost, Steve Heimbecker, Louis Dufour, Tomas Phillips, Chantal Dumas, Aimé Dontigny, Mathieu Levesque.

CD releases:



"Montreal Sound Matter"
(Pogus Prods., USA, 2006)



"untitled #188"
(con-v, Spain, 2008)

Info links:

<http://www.fonderiedarling.org/>

http://www.fonderiedarling.org/soutenir_e/index.html

<http://www.pogus.com/21041.html>

VICTORIAVILLE MATIÈRE SONORE (2007)



Organized by **Victoriaville Festival**

Participating artists:

Hélène Prévost, Steve Heimbecker, Louis Dufour, Tomas Phillips, Chantal Dumas, Aimé Dontigny, Mathieu Levesque.

CD release:



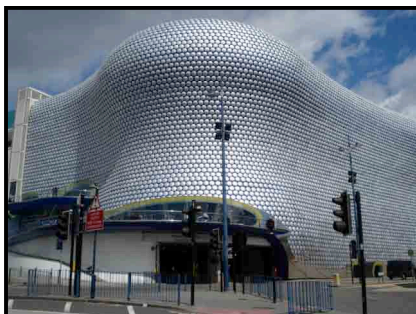
"Victoriaville Matière Sonore"
(Victo Records, Canada, 2009)

Info links:

<http://www.fimav.qc.ca/>

<http://www.waysidemusic.com/ProductInfo.aspx?productid=VICTO%20113>

BIRMINGHAM SOUND MATTER (2009)



Organized by **Modulate**

Participating artists:

Helena Gough, Annie Mahtani, Nicholas Bullen, Cormac Faulkner, Martin Clarke, Bobby Bird, Mark Harris.

Info links:

<http://www.modulate.org.uk/>

<http://en.wordpress.com/tag/modulate-birmingham/>