## Metabolic Montréal

Montréal's new REM system which connects the peripheries with the city center provides a unique opportunity for movement and migration. Through a socialist system of seed exchange as fare, and rewilding the spaces adjacent to the REM, it is no longer simply a means for reaching a destination, but an integral part of the urban ecosystem. A network of both planned and spontaneous urban green spaces provides a multiplicity of functions including combatting the heat island effect, flood mitigation, and providing corridors for animal migration. Further, as a response to the post-pandemic downturn in transit usage, the reimagined REM reinvigorates urban movement and encourages urban dwellers to explore the peripheries of Montreal and the wealth of ecological knowledge that comes with it.









