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# T.M.Revolution (Takanori Nishikawa) at Montreal's Otakuthon Festival

MONTREAL – May 27th, 2019. Otakuthon announces today its newest guest from the Japanese music industry: **Takanori Nishikawa** (西川貴教) (TMR). This year marks the 14th edition of Otakuthon, the Japanese comics and animation festival to be held from August 26 to 18, 2019 at the Palais des congrès de Montréal.

Japanese artist Takanori Nishikawa is a musician, signer, producer, actor and voice actor. He has been the lead singer of the group **Abingdon Boys School** since its formation in 2005. He now performs under the stage name **T.M.Revolution** (TMR). He will be making his first appearance on stage in Canada at Otakuthon this year. A concert not to be missed!

The concert will be held in Room 210 on Friday, August 16, 2019 at 8:00pm. Tickets are \$30 with a convention admission. This concert booking is in association with **J-rock North Promotions Inc.** and **Sony Music Entertainment Inc**.

Takanori Nishikawa has established his reputation with his catchy tracks, polished and fascinating concerts, and overwhelming live performances, while he consecutively released monstrous hits such as *High Pressure*, *Hot Limit*, *White Breath*, and *Invoke*. Since his debut, TMR has built a global fan base and reputation among Anime fans for his contributions to ending and opening themes to many notable anime and game series. *D-Gray man, Mobile suit Gundam, Sengoku Basara* and *Soul Eater*.

Otakuthon's other music guests include **MIYAVI**, **FAKY** and **Yoshihisa Hirano**. Attendees will also have the chance to meet different voice actors including **Marina Inoue** and **Rica Matsumoto** who will give panels and sign autographs.

**WHEN?:** Friday August 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019 from 10 AM to 3 AM

Saturday August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019 from 10 AM to 3 AM Sunday August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 from 10 AM to 6 PM

WHERE?: Palais des congrès de Montréal

201 Viger Ouest Avenue Montreal (Québec) H2Z 1H2

#### ABOUT OTAKUTHON

Otakuthon is Canada's largest bilingual festival celebrating Japanese animation (anime), graphic novels (manga), gaming, and pop culture. The first of its kind in Montreal, Otakuthon is a full-fledged, bilingual anime convention that features a number of special guests as well as many panels, activities and events spotlighting all the aspects of the Japanese culture. Each year, the event is organized by passionate volunteers who give their free time to make a convention for fans by fans.

#### **SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS**

Web Site: <a href="http://www.otakuthon.com/2019/home/">http://www.otakuthon.com/2019/home/</a>
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