





# OFFICIAL INVITATION QUEBEC OPEN WORLD MARTIAL ARTS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025

Quebec, January 8th, 2025

To whom it may concern,

Mon Art Québec (OSBL) would like to invite you and your team for the 42<sup>th</sup> Annual Quebec Open International Karate Championship. The tournament will be held on April 24th, 25th & 26<sup>th</sup> 2025, at the PEPS of Laval University, Quebec, Canada.

This tournament, which is rated respectively NASKA "AAAAA" for weapons and forms divisions, and also sanction by WAKO Canada for all fighting divisions, is now considered as one of the most important in the world. The international reconnaissance of the tournament encourages the best athletes in the world to participate every year. The 42th edition expects more than 1500 competitors from more than 15 different countries. More than \$28 000 CDN in cash and \$50 000 CDN in trophies are offered in more than 500 different categories (8 places/category).

Over the last 41 years, the 300 volunteers of the Quebec Open organization team have developed great experience in the management of the event. This experience allows us, among others, to respect the quick efficiency of the tournament's schedule. From these 300 volunteers, 150 referees are divided up in 30 different areas in which the action of the 500 categories is taking place simultaneously. This impressive number of 30 tatamis allows dynamism for a rapid and well-organized tournament.

The schedule of the tournament is organized as follow:

#### Thursday Apr 24th 2025 at 6h00 PM:

. Seminars (Team Kiraly, Casey Marks-Nash, Esteban Tremblay & Ryan Chamberland)

### Friday Apr 25<sup>th</sup> 2025 at 11h00 PM:

. WAKO divisions

#### 2h00 PM

- . Creative Weapon
- . Extreme Weapon
- . Musical Weapon
- . Extreme Form
- . Musical Form
- Team Synchronize and Team Demo
- Team Fighting & Continuous Fighting (Sr. and Jr. for both division)
- · Self-Defense

Expected to end: 10h00 PM

## Saturday Apr 26th 2025 at 9h00 AM:

- · Weapons Traditional Chinese Creative
- · Forms - Traditional Chinese Creative
- Fighting

Expected to end: 3h00 PM

Again this year, the tournament will close with the Super Saturday Night Show in which many Grand Champs will be presented. This great evening is seen as one of the finest and spectacular attraction of the Quebec Open. Year after year, each participant pushes the limit of the martial arts, with new moves and feats. Last year, more than 5000 spectators have witnessed these incredible performances.

The spectators will also have the chance to assist too many demonstrations from the best athletes around the world. Many prestigious teams from USA, Canada, Europe, Asia, Central and South America have already confirmed their participation.

Pre-registrations can be processed by internet on <a href="http://www.quebecopen.com">http://www.quebecopen.com</a>. For hotel registration, see website at: <a href="https://www.hotelsjaro.com">www.hotelsjaro.com</a> (**Plaza** hotel is the tournament's host). Tel 1-800-567-5276.

Your presence to our Championship improves the quality of the competition. This will also provide a good opportunity for your students to compete against the best competitors around the world. Also, your visit will give you the chance to visit the beautiful historic City of Quebec, CANADA. I joined a list of athletes and coaches that are invited to the tournament. Please see below.

If you need more information, please call us at: 418-841-0213, or send us an e-mail at: info@guebecopen.com.

Hope to see you,

David Bossinotte,

Co-promoter of the Quebec Open International Karate Championships

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Quebec open international, 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> of April 2025