

An invitation to participate in an online talk with Japanese

Welcome to Visionary Lectures

Since 1992 Echan Deravy and Sonia Aichi have been pursuing consciousness raising work with a unique Japanese clientele using their bilingual communication skills. This has evolved over three decades through a global network of researchers, academics and pioneers in consciousness studies, health and well being whose work has been brought to the attention of the general public in Japan. This is being accomplished in the following ways:

- **Publishing and translation:** ‘Power Vs. Force by Dr. David Hawkins, *Indigo Children* by Lee Carroll and Jan Tober, *Earthing* by Clint Ober et al, *The Earth Prescription* by Dr. Laura Koniver, *An analysis of the intelligence of Christ* by Dr. Augusto Cury, *Angels in my Hair* by Lorna Byrne, *Family of Light* and *Bringers of the Dawn* by Barbara Marciniak, *Spiritual Compass* by Satish Kumar together with Sonia’s translations of many of Echan Deravy’s over 40 published books in Japanese. From consciousness research to paradigm shifting eco-spirituality, from ancient civilization to grounded health practices and spiritual intelligence the couple has had a definite impact on the information available to discerning Japanese readers for over thirty years. Echan has produced several books of dialogues with both Western and Japanese researchers such as UK writer Graham Hancock, cosmologist Dr. Jude Currivan, ecologist Satish Kumar, pastor Koichi Hirano (on *The prayer of Jabez*), journalist Kaoru Nakamaru, psychic researcher Makoto Akiyama, Shinto priest Taishu Nara and Ufo researcher Ryo Takemoto,
- **Public speaking:** Since the publication of their first co-written book in 1993 (*The Merging Point*) Echan has spoken to audiences all over Japan at hundreds of venues. Sonia later joined him in presenting talks together as her translation work evolved into her writing her own books including the popular series *The Inanna Bible*.
- **Interpretation and hosting events for Western researchers in Japan:** These include Graham Hancock in Tokyo and Kyoto lecturing on his book *Visionaries*, Satish Kumar speaking on *Soul Soil and Society* in Tokyo and Karuizawa, Lorna Byrne in Tokyo speaking about angelic contact, Dr. Gerald Pollock speaking on the *Fourth stage of Water*, Dr. Philip Frances of Schumacher College in the UK lecturing on holistic science, Yoyo Ma the cellist performing in collaboration with Japanese Kabuki legend Tamasaburo Bando and interpretation for visiting business people also, some wishing to deepen contacts with the Japanese government. Echan also interpreted for Mikhail Gorbechev’s international press agent at the founding of *Green Cross International* in Kyoto.
- **Research/adventure workshops globally:** Over 50 world workshops have been held since 1992 beginning in Canada and then in Hawaii, Mexico, Peru, Costa Rica, USA, Australia, Europe, Scotland, England, Ireland, and Egypt. These workshops offer Japanese totally unique experiences with experts in diverse fields such as shamanism, anthropology, ancient civilization and spiritual communities such as *Damanhur* in Italy and *Findhorn* in the UK.
- **Introducing new ideas to Japan:** Echan and Sonia brought *Earthing*, also known as *Grounding* to Japan in 2014. This has resulted in a nation wide health movement with ‘barefoot park’ free events held from Hokkaido to Okinawa clearly demonstrating its efficacy. The introducing of *Remote Viewing* training since 1997 has resulted in over one thousand graduates of Echan’s basic training, again with positive results in increased intuitive awareness and especially in human communication.

- **Online lectures:** *Echan Juku* was one of the first youtube channels in Japanese to gain popularity from its beginning in 2014. With hundreds of lectures on a great variety of scientific, metaphysical, philosophical and spiritual themes as well as health, history and culture it helped paved the way for a new generation of young youtubers in Japan. All lectures are by Echan Deravy and are in Japanese only.
- **Podcast Interviews:** Since 2018 *Real Rover* has produced interviews with scientists like Susan Greenfield on neuroscience, Jeffrey Mishlove on parapsychology, Eric Wargo on Time Loops and dream precognition, psychologist Donald Robertson on Cognitive Behavioural Therapy and Stoicism, Dr. Laura Koniver and Dr. Gaetan Chevalier on grounding connectivity research, Alberto Villoldo, Wade Davis and Mario Gomez Majorga and Nicki Scully on shamanism and anthropology, Graham Hancock on ancient civilization, Nassim Haramein on the physics of black holes, Dr. Christopher Bache and Dr. Bernardo Kastrup on consciousness and philosophy, Satish Kumar on education and sustainability, Wallace Thornhill on plasma cosmology, Coleman Barks on Rumi and his poetry and Michael Smith on integrative health with an emphasis on oriental medicine. These in depth interviews are being gradually subtitled in Japanese by talented bi-lingual assistants.
- **Documentary films and television:** Echan has produced two documentary films: *Earth Pilgrims* (2008) was filmed in six countries and introduced at the Tokyo International Press Club as well as *Why on Earth* in 2018, (also released at the same press club) a barefoot adventure across Iceland to highlight the health benefits of grounding. Echan has also appeared on a variety of television shows in Japan as commentator and guest speaker. These include the popular year end specials of Beat Takeshi called *TV tackle*.

This brings us to the latest venture by Echan and Sonia entitled ***Visionary Lectures***. Since 2020 the couple has produced two years of monthly talks which a central theme. An example would be *Esoteric Egypt* with its focus on the temples of Karnak and Luxor and the advanced understanding of the brain and consciousness by the ancient Egyptians. Being both Western and Japanese, male and female the series has been very successful with an average of 120 participants monthly from all over the world but principally in Japan. From June 2022 the series will invite innovative guests to share their knowledge via interpretation by both Sonia and Echan. These guest will be paid for their participation and if they show interest in being interviewed for Real Rover will have a unique means to communicate their work in Japan through our youtube channels *Echan Juku* and *Sonia's Sanctuary*. If the interest level in the guests is high enough online workshops will be produced with the guest speakers at future dates.

We invite you to share your knowledge with a highly motivated audience in Japan in this groundbreaking series. The ultimate aim is to assist Japanese in developing their own vision of the future in a world that seems increasingly devoid of such vision. Join us in this pioneering project and get to know some of the most astute and civilized people in the world. We can say this with the utmost sincerity having spent our lives devoted to their *edutainment*. Education as entertainment is the most innovative way to reach the people of this very special country. Join us won't you?

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