

## MUSIC AWARD JAPAN: Japan's Largest International Music Award

### MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN 2025

## NHK to Broadcast Awards Ceremony Live on Thursday, May 22

#### Broadcast Schedule

- MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN 2025: Red Carpet Live Special  
May 22 (Thursday), 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM (JST), NHK BS
- MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN 2025: Part 1  
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- MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN 2025: Part 2  
May 22 (Thursday), 10:00 PM – 10:45 PM (JST), NHK General TV

**The Japan Culture and Entertainment Industry Promotion Association (CEIPA) is proud to announce that the MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN (MAJ) 2025 awards ceremony will be broadcast live on NHK General TV and NHK BS on Thursday, May 22.**

CEIPA is a newly formed organization established by five of Japan's leading music industry bodies: the Recording Industry Association of Japan (RIAJ), Japan Association of Music Enterprises (JAME), Federation of Music Producers Japan (FMPJ), Music Publishers Association of Japan (MPA), and the All Japan Concert and Live Entertainment Promoters Conference (A.C.P.C.).



With the theme “Connecting the World, Illuminating the Future of Music,” MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN — Japan’s largest international music awards — will be held over two days, May 21 (Wednesday) and May 22 (Thursday), at ROHM Theatre Kyoto.

The main awards ceremony on May 22, where winners in the major categories will be announced, will be aired live on NHK General TV from 7:30 PM to 10:45 PM (JST), with a 75-minute intermission for scheduled news programming. The broadcast will also include exclusive performances from top Japanese artists, with the performer lineup to be revealed soon.

Leading into the main event, NHK BS will air a special live program, MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN 2025: Red Carpet Live Special, starting at 6:00 PM (JST). The program will feature real-time coverage of the red carpet arrivals, highlights from the first day of the ceremony, and the announcement of sub-categories and special award winners.

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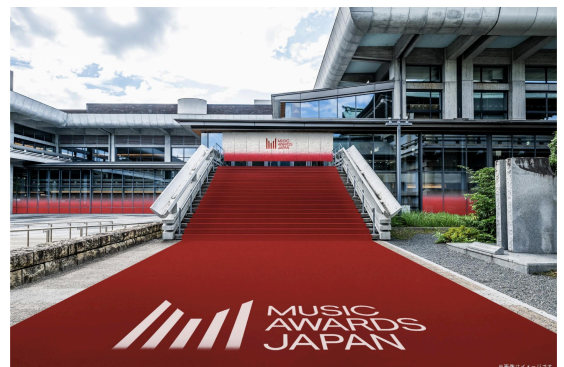
## MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN 2025 KYOTO Ceremony Overview

- Dates: Wednesday, May 21 and Thursday, May 22, 2025
  - \*Award Week: Saturday, May 17 – Thursday, May 22, 2025
- Venue: ROHM Theatre Kyoto
- Broadcast: Airs live on NHK (May 22 only)
- Livestream: Scheduled to stream globally on YouTube (Global Streaming Partner)
  - \*\*Excluding certain regions
  - On-demand viewing will be available on Lemino
- Official Website: <https://www.musicawardsjapan.com/ja/>
- In cooperation with:
  - Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) \*\*\*To be confirmed
  - Agency for Cultural Affairs
- Endorsed by:
  - Kyoto Prefecture
  - Kyoto City
  - Kyoto Chamber of Commerce and Industry

## MUSIC AWARDS JAPAN Social Media

- Official X: [https://x.com/MAJ\\_CEIPA](https://x.com/MAJ_CEIPA)
- Official YouTube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/@musicawardsjapanceipa>
- Official Instagram: [https://www.instagram.com/maj\\_ceipa\\_official/](https://www.instagram.com/maj_ceipa_official/)
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- Official TimeTree: [https://timetreeapp.com/public\\_calendars/musicawardsjapan\\_ceipa\\_official](https://timetreeapp.com/public_calendars/musicawardsjapan_ceipa_official)

Please note that general public tickets for this awards ceremony will not be available for sale. Further details regarding the awards ceremony and related events will be announced separately.



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