



YEAR IN REVIEW

Part 2

Devolutions 2017 Year in Review: Part 2



YESTERDAY WE BEGAN OUR TRADITIONAL LOOK AT
THE PAST YEAR HERE AT DEVOLUTIONS.

TODAY, WE [CONTINUE THE JOURNEY](#) WITH A LOOK
AT THE SECOND HALF OF THE YEAR:

JULY

In July, we wondered if we entered a wormhole because half the year had flown by so quickly. Don't ask us where the time goes. On a more practical level, we launched **Wayk Now version 1.2**, which is a kind of “bridge” to version 1.5 (which

will be dropping soon). And of course, since we're all big geeks around here, **we dutifully celebrated [Sysadmin Day](#)**.

AUGUST

In August we started thinking about building a new technology center in Lavaltrie next to our office. So, we got together with partners in the public and private sector, and started creating the [Technocentre](#), which will open its doors early 2018 (we can't wait!). The Technocentre will welcome a few meticulously chosen technology start-up that will be independent, but supported by Devolutions. We still have

some offices left! [Please contact](#) us for more information. August was a big month for Sysadminotaur fans, because [Patrick Desilets](#), the creator, writer and illustrator of the beloved IT comic strip, joined our team full-time. We also posted an [updated Road Map](#) to keep you in the loop, and announced that [Devolutions had officially joined Reddit](#) (because we're as addicted as you are...can I get an upvote?).

SEPTEMBER

September was an epic month! To start with, **we were listed in [Gartner's 2017 Market Guide for Privileged Access Management](#)** (PAM) in the Other PAM Solutions category alongside a small number of vendors — including Red Hat and Microsoft — that effectively deliver an alternative way to mitigate the risks around privileged access, or provide a set of specific and deep capabilities to augment existing PAM deployment. Then, we were ranked #74 on

the PROFIT 500, which is the definitive ranking of Canada's fastest-growing businesses. And before we said goodbye to the month, we launched a brand new website for the Sysadminotaur gang, and released Devolutions Server 4.6. One of the key new features in this version is the ability to see and edit passwords/entries for many types of sessions directly from the DVLS web page.

OCTOBER

Because October is a creepy month (due to Halloween) we started off on a scary note with **a look at [some of the worst data breaches in history](#)**. And to help you avoid being victimized, my colleague Jenny explained the [differences between 2FA and MFA](#). Speaking of helpful colleagues:

Derick shared [5 YouTube channels](#) to boost your IT knowledge. We also explained **how you can [submit a support ticket](#) directly from within Remote Desktop Manager**, and ended the month by giving you a sneak peek at the upcoming [Sysadminotaur short animation](#) feature.

NOVEMBER

November witnessed a momentous event in the history of Devolutions: **our most popular poll ever!**

As you may recall, we asked: [are you Mac or Windows?](#) As you probably guessed, [Windows easily won](#), but both tribes had good arguments.

Even more importantly, we released [Remote Desktop Manager 13](#) — and the feedback we've received so far has been overwhelmingly positive. **Some of the key features in the latest version include:**

- [Documentation](#) (markdown)
- HTML (markdown) everywhere (secure note, description, HTML document)
- Multi-monitor tabbed view support
- [Check In/Check Out](#) management
- [Time-based](#) access usage
- [Favorite folders](#)
- [Tag manager](#) (batch edit and advanced search)

If you haven't experienced RDM 13 yet and want to see what the excitement is about, here's [an article](#) with more details. And we wrapped up the month with **a look at [7 easy ways to contact our support team](#)**.

DECEMBER

To celebrate **the [holiday season](#)**, we launched **a [free webinar](#) that invited IT pros to ask questions about RDM 13**, and it was very successful and informative.

THANK YOU!

To those of you who were with us all year, and to those of you who joined us along the way: **THANK YOU for your support and feedback**. You're the reason we exist, and we'll never take your loyalty for granted. Be assured that while you have high expectations of us, what we demand of ourselves — and each other — is even higher. We never stop improving and finding better ways **to help you control the IT chaos in your world**.

On behalf of everyone at Devolutions, **we wish you a very happy and joyful holiday season, and a wonderful start to the new year**. Speaking of which: our CEO David is putting the final touches on the 2018 Road Map. Stay tuned, he'll be posting it soon!