



Bridal Lift, Atrium Hotel

The Atrium Hotel is a brand-new urban retreat, offering guests sophisticated design, contemporary furnishings, luxurious amenities and only the finest food. This iconic hotel allows visitors to experience modern luxury and extraordinary service coupled with the convenience of being only one stop away from London's Heathrow Airport, catering for travellers and business people alike.

NLC Nova Lift Company became involved in this special lift application, when they received a hand drawn sketch from hotel owner Stephen Hung, with his creative idea for adding a wow factor to the hotel's wedding reception venue, a majestic Romeo and Juliet balcony glass and gold bridal lift.



Project Overview



Hotel owner, Stephen Hung's vision was to install a majestic bridal lift within the wedding venue



Working with the hotel architect and structural engineers, the lift was designed in 3D CAD software



The concept was chosen to ensure maximum visibility of the bride coupled with a stunning design



On approval of the 3D design, the bridal lift was factory preassembled in specific sections to fit the project schedule



The lift was delivered in several parts allowing engineers to work split shifts for rapid installation



Scaffolding is erected to allow the guide fixing brackets to be fitted up the full travel height of the lift



The lift guides are then installed on which the bridal lift will travel between the ground and first floors



The lift car was then assembled and installed, including bespoke lights, gold canopy and glass walls



A pit could not be excavated in the ground floor, so it was hidden within a raised staging area



The raised platform became the ground floor stop and was removeable when not in use for weddings



Full testing was completed on the bridal lift installation before the project hand over



The installed lift now provides a wow factor to the venue and a setting to make brides' dreams come true

Project Scope

The scope of this project was to design and install a bridal lift, to add a wow factor to the Atrium Hotel wedding venue. Hotel owner, Stephen Hung's vision was to install a Romeo and Juliet balcony glass and gold lift, to allow the bride to descend in majestic style, coming down in full view of all the guests assembled for the wedding ceremony. And after the reception, the couple could ascend as husband and wife, waving to guests as they retire or leave for their honeymoon.

The bridal lift was to provide a setting to make any bride's dream come true on her special day, by providing a breath-taking centre piece for those very special moments.

Nova Lifts recommended an motor room less (MRL) traction lift, with a square lift car, for maximum visibility on all sides that would purposefully operate at a slow rate of descent from the luxurious top floor bridal suite to the bottom floor staging platform, where the bride would enter the wedding venue.



To achieve the required deadlines of designing, supplying and installing the bridal lift, Nova Lifts worked alongside the hotel architect and structural engineers, working split shifts. For this kind of project, lifts are normally factory preassembled, but to ensure everything was ready on time for a wedding already booked at the venue, the lift was stripped down and delivered in parts.

In addition, as there was no pit on the ground floor, a platform was added to the design to elevate the ground floor, allowing the lift to be fitted. This raised staging area also had to be removeable as the lift was only to be operational for weddings.



Aesthetics

NLC Nova Lift Company designed the lift using 3D CAD drawings to finalise the fine details for this special project and installed the bridal lift for the Atrium Hotel. The overall style and design incorporated glass walls to maximise the exposure of the bride, and a gold polished canopy top and bottom of the car to enhance the luxury and opulence of the design. The overall style complemented the other finishes within the wedding venue and the interior design of the bridal lift was achieved through bespoke choices; low LED interior lighting to highlight a white wedding dress, LED exterior lighting around the circumference to spot light the lift within the large venue, and floor and wall designs incorporating customer specific colours and finishes.



Conclusion

Nova Lift Company is extremely proud to have been involved with this project, providing a unique and bespoke design to meet the both the technical requirements of the project, but also the visual concept and wow factor to hopefully exceed the expectations of any bride on her special day.

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