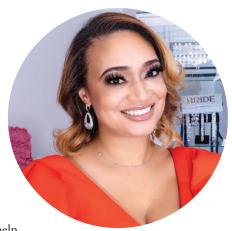


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SASS & SPARKLE

Every bride grew up dreaming of her big day, and Atlanta-based designer Stacie
A. Sanders Martin is following her childhood dream by helping you fulfill yours.
Martin learned how to design during the pandemic. Sparkle & Sass by Stacie's showroom offers both custom and handpicked ready-to-wear gowns from designers all over the world. Each design is made with the intention of celebrating the bride's elegance and beauty with a touch of sass. Every brand she works with has the same goal as hers, which is to be "customer-obsessed" to be able to fully cater to every bride's needs. With an exclusive experience, brides can create the wedding of their dreams with outstanding customer service and elegant designs. From stitching to beading to hemlines, every detail is executed with perfection in mind. Timeless styles such as classic silhouettes and pearls that are paired with high-quality materials help the bride's personality shine through. Stacie A. Atelier's showroom is by appointment only. 4651 Roswell Road, Bldg. G, Ste. 601, 770.821.1992, sparkleandsass.net – IB

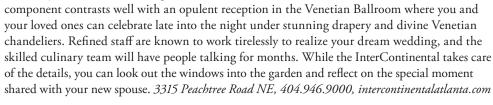


Owner and Atlanta-based designer Stacie A. Sanders Martin



NEW AND IMPROVED

Face-lift! The InterContinental Buckhead Atlanta is following through with a complete renovation this summer. The urban getaway will update over 400 rooms, indoor and outdoor layouts and meeting spaces, and open signature Italian steakhouse Americano, started by two-time James Beard Awardwinning chef Scott Conant. After taking in the palatial yet palatable decor, direct your guests to the Windsor Garden for an intimate ceremony in an urban landscape. The nature



SPACES ABOUND

A pair of new wedding venues boast innovation and romantic flair.

By Mary Peeples



GET ELEVATED

Incorporated into a 420-foot tower, the new home of TKE's North American headquarters, a new type of venue is bringing the wedding party to The Battery Atlanta. Overlooking Truist Park, the new spaces literally elevate a gathering and, combined with a sleek color palette, become a blank canvas for your wedding aspirations. The two ballrooms vary in size to accommodate a plethora of events with the potential to take the average reception to a one-of-akind experience where your guests absorb panoramic views of Atlanta and socialize in a modern yet classic atmosphere. The smaller of the two spaces, the Elevation Ballroom, is over 3,000 square feet with an additional mezzanine. Expanding over 5,000 square feet, the Horizon Ballroom can accommodate an entire wedding event with its versatility and size. Your guests never have to leave the towering escape from the busy city and bask in the backdrop of your special event. 404.233.3993, batteryatl.com

From top: InterContinental Buckhead Atlanta's ballroom has been transformed into a new and improved event space ready to take on whatever theme you wish; the floor-to-ceiling windows at TK Elevator let in an amazing amount of light in the daytime, and at night, a twinkly view of the city.