



# CROWNE PLAZA®

## HOUSTON WEST ENERGY CORRIDOR

### Wedding on Us 2011 Contest - \$5000.00 Giveaway

#### OFFICIAL RULES

**SPONSOR:** Intercontinental Hotels Group (IHG), d/b/a Crowne Plaza Houston West – Energy Corridor located at 14703 Park Row Blvd, Houston, TX 77079.

**ELIGIBILITY:** The Wedding on US 2011 Contest (“**Contest**”) is open to two-person couples, each member of which:

- a. Is a legal resident of the fifty (50) United States and
- b. Is 21 years of age or older at the time of entry; and
- c. Is engaged to be lawfully married to the other member of the couple at the time of entry (for purposes of these Official Rules the term “lawfully married” also includes couples who intent to unite in a commitment ceremony; “wedding” includes commitment ceremony; and
- d. Is willing to comply in full with these Official Rules and all other terms and conditions of the Contest

Each couple, the members of which are in full compliance with the above criteria, shall be referenced herein as an “**Entrant**” or, collectively with other such couples, as “**Entrants.**” Each member of an Entrant must be willing to sign an affidavit attesting to the truth of all facts stated in such Entrant’s entry and accompanying materials (described below) and further attesting to the fact that each member of the Entrant meets all eligibility requirements stated above and herein.

#### HOW TO ENTER:

1. The contest will begin February 14, 2011 and officially ends on March 14, 2011, 11:59pm CST. The winner will be announced on May 26, 2011, 5:00pm – 7:00pm, during the Crowne Plaza Houston West Spring Reception.
2. Entrants must register at **www.cphoustonwest.com** and download the Wedding on Us 2011 official rules and registration form to enter the contest. Entrants must complete the registration form, submit an engagement or best couple picture and a story “why your special someone was made just for you”. Incomplete registration forms will automatically be disqualified. Registration form and picture must be e-mailed to **salescpwest@ihg.com** by March 14, 2011, 11:59pm CST.
  - a. Picture specifications: Must be in jpeg format, file size from 500 kb to 1 mb
  - b. Story specifications: Write a story about why entrants are meant for each other. 200 – 300 word limit
3. Up to ten (10) finalists will be selected by IHG members and announced via website, **www.cphoustonwest.com** on March 20, 2011. Judging process for the ten (10) finalists is based on creativity and originality. To be eligible to win, finalists (entrants) must be present at the Crowne Plaza Houston West Spring Reception, March 24, 2011, 5:00pm-7:00pm.
4. Publicity Release: By entering the Contest, the Entrant (and each member of such Entrant) consents to the use of all information in the Entry, including, without limitation, each member’s name, picture, and other information, for any and all publicity, or promotional purposes as Sponsor may select at its discretion.
5. There is no purchase necessary to enter. One entry per registrant.
6. In case of dispute over internet malfunctions, human error, circumstances beyond the control of Sponsor and/or other mishaps, the decision of Sponsor is final.
7. Winner may not substitute prizes or place a monetary value on item(s) won. Prize is non-transferable.
8. Winner will receive:
  - a. **A \$5000 prize credit to be applied towards a minimum spend of \$7500 (plus tax and service charge) wedding reception held at the Crowne Plaza Houston West. Prize credit is applied towards applicable wedding reception packages or catering menu items including food, beverage, set-up and service fees. Any outstanding amount is not redeemable for cash or outside the wedding packages provided.**

- b. Winner will choose from the Crowne Plaza Houston West wedding packages. Prices subject to change without notice.
- c. Standard Wedding Package includes:
  - i. Reception
    - 1. Custom Wedding Cake
    - 2. Satin Chair Covers with Sash
    - 3. Champagne Toast
    - 4. Assorted Wines
    - 5. Choice of Three Hors d'oeuvre Selections
    - 6. Domestic & Imported Cheese Display with Assorted Crackers
    - 7. Fresh Vegetable Display with Ranch Dip
    - 8. Bridal Punch in Fountain-(non alcoholic)
    - 9. Starbucks House Blend Regular & Decaf Coffee Complimentary Cake Service
  - ii. Seated Dinner:
    - 1. Upon arrival, guests will enjoy 45 minutes of Butler passed wine selections, accompanied by a domestic and imported cheese display with assorted crackers, and two hot hors d'oeuvres.
    - 2. Each entrée selection includes your choice of salad, fresh vegetable, appropriate starch, A custom wedding cake for dessert, ice tea, and Starbucks House Blend Coffee Service (50 person minimum)
  - iii. Guest Room Accommodations:
    - 1. Bride & Groom will receive a complimentary Presidential Suite (based on availability) and full-breakfast for two in Park Restaurant & Grille
    - 2. Discounted group rate for overnight guests
- d. Reception date must be set by April 30, 2011, 11:59pm and at least 30 days prior to requested reception date (subject to availability). Prize credit will be forfeited after this date and time. Reception date must be held between May 1, 2011 – April 30, 2012.**
- 9. Sponsor employees and all contest sponsors, and employees of their advertising agencies or representatives, vendors, attorneys, and assigns are not responsible in any way for any defects, malfunctions, or any unforeseen problems with prizes awarded.
- 10. Sponsor and contest sponsors cannot be held liable for loss incurred in travel. The Winner, in accepting this prize, agrees that all risks inherent in travel and their safety and welfare are their sole responsibility and hold the Sponsor and subsidiaries strictly harmless.
- 11. Sponsor and all participating sponsors, their relatives, and employees of their advertising agencies or representatives, vendors, attorneys and assigns and participating sponsors are not eligible to participate or win in the contest.
- 12. Sponsor, their agencies, employees and representatives absolve themselves and shall be held harmless from any action or liability arising from any Sponsor contest, or prizes awarded in any contest.
- 13. Additions or deletions to these rules may be made at any time by the Sponsor management, without notice, but will be put in writing and be made available for public inspection.
- 14. All entries become property of the Sponsor
- 15. Multiple entries by the same person will be discarded and may be deemed by the Sponsor management cause for disqualification, unless otherwise stated.
- 16. All contest rules, execution thereof, participation, winning results, dispute of, and any information pertaining to contests are judged by the Sponsor management and staff, and are subject to their decision. The decisions made by the Sponsor judges are final.
- 17. By registering for the contest at [www.cphoustonwest.com](http://www.cphoustonwest.com), I, the registrant, understand and agree to comply with all of these rules.