



## las vegas wedding vendors

- Bachelor(ette) Parties (8)
- Bands (2)
- Bridal Fashions (7)
- Calligraphy (1)
- Caterers (3)
- Dance Lessons (2)
- DJs (7)
- Favors (1)
- Flowers (19)
- Gown Cleaning & Preservation (2)
- Health & Beauty (16)
- Invitations (3)
- Lighting & Decor (1)
- Officiants and Premarital Counseling (5)
- Party Rentals & Service Staff (1)
- Photographers (16)
- Reception & Ceremony Sites (55)
- Rehearsal Dinners & Bridal Showers (15)
- Rings and Jewelry (2)
- Travel & Honeymoons (3)
- Tuxedos and Formal Wear (1)
- Unique Wedding Ideas (7)
- Videographers (3)
- Wedding Cakes & Desserts (8)
- Wedding Planners (4)
- Wine, Champagne & Liqueur (3)

## las vegas wedding blog

[HOME](#) > [BLOG](#)

[next article](#)

### The International School of Hospitality's Wedding Coordination and Design Program

The International School of Hospitality (TISOH) in Las Vegas is one of a kind. Founded in 2004 by University of Nevada, Las Vegas professors, TISOH offers an unprecedented educational experience. With the pineapple as their symbol, TISOH educates in all areas of hospitality. Their Wedding Coordination and Design (WCD) Certification provides students with the knowledge needed to fully coordinate a wedding.

Recently, I had the amazing opportunity to meet with TISOH's Director, Timothy Lam, MBS, MS. With a background in International Marketing, Tim had always loved hotels, which inspired him to make a career change. Tim hopes that TISOH can give other people the same opportunity to follow their dreams in a career they are passionate about. He and the other professors understand that a four-year college education isn't for everyone, which inspired TISOH's programs. Along with Wedding Coordination and Design, other programs include Conference Management and Event Planning, Meeting and Event Catering, Hotel Operations, and Concierge.

The Wedding Coordination and Design Program features a unique curriculum covering everything from cultural and religious ceremonies to green weddings, and all of the essentials that go into planning the big day. Taught by industry professionals, classes of six to ten students receive a hands-on education. During the program the students actually plan a real wedding. They are also required to a 30-hour externship.

TISOH's programs offer a once in a lifetime networking opportunity. Instructors like Brit Bertino, CSEP, who started her own wedding planning company, Simply Weddings by Brit Bertino, build personal relationships with students and enjoy enhancing their education by taking them on as interns and possibly even employees!

Since TISOH's opening, Mr. Lam has seen many changes. He is proud that the quality of the students continues to improve, and the school's ability to attract high level industry professionals is increasing. With more alumni graduating each year and returning to help out at TISOH, all of the programs are improving.

Mr. Timothy Lam hopes to elevate the status of the industry by continuing to produce alumni that are fully prepared to plan exquisite weddings.

The Wedding Coordination and Design program is a 90-hour program that can be completed in either a three-month semester, meeting two times each week, or on the fasttrack which means five days a week for one month. For more information on the WCD program click [HERE](#) to visit TISOH's website.

If you're passionate about planning weddings and want to get your start in the industry, enroll online! TISOH has WCD programs starting on October 31, 2011 and January 23, 2012.

-- posted by *Brit Bertino*  
posted on *Tuesday 09/20/2011*

[bookmark and share](#)   [email to a friend](#)   [print](#)

### from the community

No posts yet.

Add your comments, tips and ideas here

Want to share your thoughts? [Log in](#) to leave a comment.

### about our featured blogger



Please welcome Brit Bertino of [Simply Weddings](#) as our new Las Vegas wedding blogger! Since opening her own company in 2002, Brit Bertino is fast becoming one of the most sought after new event producers. With almost 10 years of experience in the Northern California and the Greater Las Vegas area, she has built outstanding relationships with some of the top vendors in the industry. Her innovative ideas and unique solutions provide clients with something beyond their expectations, regardless of budget -- along with a great attention to detail and a fun sense of humor to boot!

### las vegas wedding board

[See all](#)

Answers to all Vegas-wedding related questions...IN HERE! RachNRich Tuesday, September 20, 2011	16 Replies
Wedding Porn!!! Look in here for lots of past brides Wedding Porn!!! RachNRich Monday, September 12, 2011	37 Replies
Potential Vegas GTG times vegasmgroom Saturday, September 10, 2011	29 Replies
Sharing Vendor Review s RachNRich Wednesday, September 07, 2011	7 Replies
Room Blocking for guests? goodtobeking Tuesday, September 20, 2011	3 Replies
where to get married.. in las vegas.. eveschroeder Tuesday, September 20, 2011	1 Replies
Vegas Wedding in December ¿too cold? Outdoor wedding Terrace SUITE MGM pamelavinueza Tuesday, September 20, 2011	3 Replies
Vegas Wedding in December ¿too cold? Outdoor wedding Terrace SUITE MGM pamelavinueza Tuesday, September 20, 2011	7 Replies
1 month left! LIMissScareAll Tuesday, September 20, 2011	13 Replies
Platinum all inclusive? Chetes93 Tuesday, September 20, 2011	5 Replies

Special thanks to Ashley Bartoletti Photography and Las Vegas Best Photography for our featured Las Vegas wedding photos

Budget Weddings  
DIY Weddings  
Vintage Weddings  
Retro Weddings  
Fall Weddings

Vineyard Weddings  
Sports Weddings  
Second Weddings  
Gay Weddings  
Destination Weddings

Luxury Weddings  
Chinese Weddings  
Gothic Weddings  
Japanese Weddings  
Indian Weddings

Interfaith Weddings  
Italian Weddings  
Greek Weddings  
Military Weddings  
Blue Weddings

Yellow Weddings  
Purple Weddings  
Brown Weddings  
Gray Weddings  
Black + White Weddings