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## **Embassy Suites Seattle-Bellevue Hotel Launches Contest to Give a Free Wedding to a Gay Couple**

*The Embassy Suites Seattle-Bellevue Hotel is celebrating Washington state's legalization of same-sex marriage by giving away a wedding to a gay couple. The hotel is partnering with local sponsors to give the special couple a wedding package valued at \$10,000.*

Bellevue, WA - June 4, 2013 - The [Embassy Suites Seattle-Bellevue](http://www.seattlebellevue.embassysuites.com) hotel is excited to announce a contest to give away a wedding to a gay couple in honor of Washington State's legalization of same-sex marriage. Partnering with generous sponsors, the package includes a wedding ceremony for up to 100 guests, floral, ceremony music, photography, officiant, wedding cake, hors d'oeuvres and champagne, luxury limousine, invitations and a two night stay in a spacious suite. The Embassy Suites Seattle-Bellevue has proudly served couples on their special day by providing a beautiful venue with impeccable food and service and now celebrates the opportunity to serve all couples in love.

"For years, our hotel has been a member of the Greater Seattle Business Association (GSBA)," explains Louis Haslett, GM of Embassy Suites Seattle Bellevue, "This association serves the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender community and I am so pleased to be able to extend our service by providing a venue for same sex marriages. As a past board member I feel especially grateful to be able to serve this diverse community and this contest will be an exciting way to celebrate this milestone in Washington state."

Eligible couples can enter the contest on Facebook by visiting [bit.ly/LoveWinsWeddingGiveaway](http://bit.ly/LoveWinsWeddingGiveaway) and filling out the form with their story and picture. Entries will be accepted from June 1<sup>st</sup> to July 31<sup>st</sup> 2013 and then a special couple will be selected and the wedding date announced.

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### **About the Embassy Suites Hotel Seattle-Bellevue**

Expect more at the Embassy Suites Seattle Bellevue hotel where you can relax and unwind in a spacious two-room suite, enjoy a complimentary cooked-to-order breakfast each morning and gather with family and friends for complimentary cocktails and snacks at the nightly Manager's Reception. Host a meeting in the hotel's 12,000 sq. ft. of meeting space or celebrate a special occasion in the Embassy Ballroom or Garden Atrium with cascading waterfall. The largest room provides 4,716 sq. ft. of space - perfect for small to large events and weddings. For more information about the hotel please visit

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