

Seaside Wedding in Cannes: Couture Lehengas, Golden-Hour Vows

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Sarina Vaswani and Lavine Hemlani connected through mutual interests in youth empowerment and education across continents unexpectedly.

Initially introduced for work projects, their conversations around culture, impact, and travel gradually deepened into love in Dubai.

After months of long distance, they met in Dubai—the city they now call home—and everything unfolded naturally.

Choosing a Dream Destination

They considered Italy and Spain for celebration; Lake Como held sentimental value due to romantic proposal by sunset. However Cannes won their hearts with Château de la Croix des Gardes surrounded by gardens overlooking Mediterranean vistas.

The French Riviera offered both glamour and intimacy, combining their desire for elegance with natural beauty effortlessly.

Their wedding week included diverse events: a bohemian mehendi, traditional Punjabi Sindhi rituals, and Sheesh Mahalinspired sangeet evenings.

Planners Aditya Motwane and Nitin Mathur styled minimal décor, white blooms, letting natural surroundings shine through artistic touches.

Guests loved intentional details: personalized favors, custom portraits, and puzzles inspired by bride and groom's journey together.

Couture Lehengas and Bridal Splendor

The bride commissioned Manish Malhotra for custom lehengas, including coral hued corset style for sangeet and story-driven bridal piece.

Her wedding lehenga featured embroidery referencing their Dubai meeting and Lake Como engagement within its motifs meaningfully.

She wore two veils—one dramatic entry piece and another ceremonial veil—paired with heirloom jewellery and custom kaleeras by Mrinalini Chandra.

The groom matched in couture Manish Malhotra sherwani and later complemented morning's elegance with white tuxedo for reception.

Music, Performance & Joyful Revelry

Celebrations included gifted performances by Sonu Nigam, Jason Derulo, Sukhbir, and other artists adding diversity to every event.

Glimpses into their personalities: Hemlani played water drums at sangeet, bride DJ-ed at baraat, laughter weaving through speeches.

Live band Goldsingers uplifted intimate moments; speeches by both fathers added warmth and familial connection throughout festivities. Sarina and Lavine's wedding in Cannes sets a benchmark for destination weddings combining couture, emotion, scenic beauty masterfully.

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