

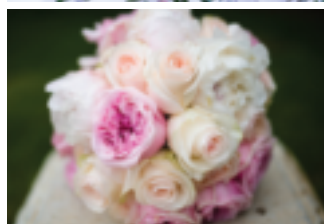
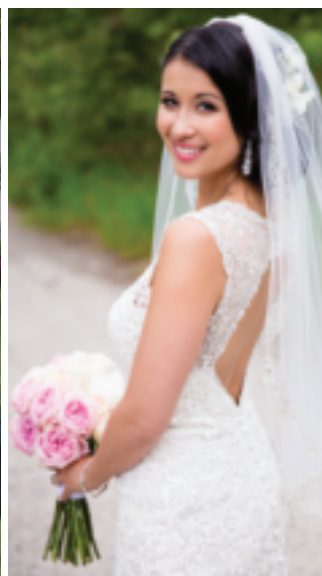


Anna & Eric

Anna and Eric studied nursing in the same program for four years before their paths would finally cross when a mutual nursing friend invited them out for dinner at a pub. This was the least likely place Eric would ever be found but somehow fate had them meet. They were each very curious about the other and found opportunities in study sessions to find out as much as they could, eventually leading to a beautiful beginning.

Their wedding theme was inspired by Eric's proposal, which took place 4 years prior in Kyoto, Japan. Eric popped the question while they were standing on a beautiful bridge under a bough of cherry blossoms in full bloom. Eric had planned the proposal the year before when the idea for the trip first came up and he carried the ring all over Asia before popping the question. He even sneakily took a picture of himself holding the engagement ring on the Great Wall of China. Eric enlisted the help of Anna's best friend, and eventual maid of honour, to capture the moment on video!

They decided for a spring wedding to reflect themes of new beginnings and delicate beauty. The table decor, a beautiful cake, and hand-painted macarons all featured their cherry blossom theme. There were also some fun tie-ins, such as a video game-inspired necklace for Eric, and several music selections for the string quartet featured famous video game themes. Eric's mother, who plays cello, made a lifelong dream come true by playing her son's wedding with her string quartet, Allegra. The wedding day went by too fast, like many couples know it does, but they made sure throughout the day to steal moments away to be mindful of the love that brought them together and that they will carry forever.



Wedding Date: *June 18, 2016*

How long were you engaged?
14 months

Wedding Venue:
The Wedding Pavillion

Officiant: *Abby Charchun*

Hair & Make-Up: *Mountain Beauties*

Bridal Gown: *The Bridal Centre*

Bridal Party Dresses: *Cameo and Cufflinks*

Groom's Attire: *Ed William's Menswear*

Groomsman Attire: *Moore's Menswear*

Cake: *Lauren Eastly (maid of honor's sister)*

Caterer: *The Wedding Pavillion*

Wedding Planner: *Liz Heitman*

Entertainment: *Allegra String Quartet (ceremony) and Pez Productions (reception)*

Flowers: *Funky Petals Seton*

Favours: *Ollia Macarons and Tea*

Invitations/Programs/Stationery: *The Social Page (programs and stationery), Bride and Groom (invitations)*

Photographer: *Cassie's Camera*

Photography Location Shots: *The Wedding Pavillion*

Videography: *Parfait Productions*

Honeymoon Destination: *Bali, Indonesia*