2020 StairCraft Awards
Best Production Stairway

Aesthetic Value:
Beautiful stacked circulars giving a congruent, open view with a grand 2-story foyer making a striking first focal point in this home. Your eyes are naturally drawn to the extravagant metal baluster layout.

Stair Safety:
Compliant with all IRC code requirements and built with a comfortable 10" run at walk path. All components are QA checked and railings inspected again for layout, code compliance and fit after installation in home.

Quality of Workmanship:
Solid oak treads, 3/4" oak risers & top edge-eased stringers. Precision-cut components on CNC machine and assembled in shop. Curved lander is cut on CNC making a precise, true fit to specifications provided by builder.

Technical Challenge:
Stairs moved after rail install - framing code violation. A custom, complicated, baluster layout with 5 varied styles in specific placement throughout system. Resetting stairs created new layout installed by new guy who rocked it!
Entry 22

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Aesthetic Value:
This stunning stair design complete with a "floating landing" was designed for a high end production builder as an optional upgrade. Eleven of this stair design have been installed in the community with more underway.

Stair Safety:
These stairs were designed and built to comply with all local building codes.

Quality of Workmanship:
From the metal fabrication to the finish carpentry the quality of this turnkey stair design is above and beyond, especially when considering the production environment they are being installed in.

Technical Challenge:
The balance between high-end design aesthetic and value engineering on these optional production stairs is the challenge. They have to be beautiful so buyers select the option but also cost effective and efficient to install.

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Aesthetic Value:

This is a sleek modern stairway built in a model home and sold as an option in this house. It was offered with Horizontal bar railing, Cable railing, or glass railing.

Stair Safety:

All rails were Type 1 with a perimeter of not more than 6 1/4”

Quality of Workmanship:

Would you expect anything other than perfect for an SMA member 😊

Technical Challenge:

Getting one run of cable to run up and thru 2 corners on the stairs and 2 corners on the floor level.

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