



Vertical Transportation Design

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WILSHIRE GRAND

"The global knowledge and expertise that Fortune Shepler has brought to Korean Air's New Wilshire Grand, a 73-story office/hotel landmark downtown Los Angeles, was a turning point in solving a complex building core with extraordinary elevator service for a stacked, mixed-use occupancy. Jim Fortune and Scott Shepler have provided the highest level of consulting service and been present at all times when called upon. These guys are great!"

Carey McLeod, AIA, DBIA Principal AC Martin





"Having worked together for many years, including on the Burj Khalifa, it was almost automatic for us to call Jim when we were given the opportunity to compete for the commission to design the next world's tallest building, Kingdom Tower in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. As the design has developed, FSC has keep up with the many twists and turns inherent in a project of this nature, keeping us on track and providing sound advice and service of the highest quality. We would highly recommend FSC for timely and expert vertical transportation consulting."

Peter A. Weismantle FAIA, RIBA

Director of Supertall Building Technology

Adrian Smith + Gordon Gill Architecture



Jim Fortune, Principal

Project Experience

Kingdom Tower Jeddah, KSA

Jamsil Lotte Seoul, Korea

International Commerce Center Hong Kong

Wuhan International Wuhan, China

Pearl River Tower Guangzhou, China

Taipei 101 Taipei, Taiwan

Burj Kahlifa Dubai, UAE

United Overseas Bank, Singapore

Developed Expertise

As a global leader in vertical transportation design, Fortune Shepler Saling Inc. is engaged to develop solutions for Tall and Supertall towers worldwide.

Our expertise covers commercial, residential, hospitality and mixed use developments. Clients seek this expertise to ensure their project's vertical transportation meets World Class Standards.

While we are not, nor will we ever be, the largest lift consultancy in the world, our goal is to provide the best, responsive, expertise in our discipline.

Mr. Jim Fortune has 40+ years of vertical transportation experience. Mr. Fortune is the world's foremost expert in super-tall towers, a reputation earned as a result of his consulting on projects such as Taipei 101 – Taiwan, International Commerce Center – Hong Kong, and the world's tallest building, the Burj Khalifa Tower – Dubai. Fortune has also been commissioned for the world's next super-tall, the 250 Story, 1001m high, Kingdom Tower – Jeddah.

Fortune has written extensively about vertical transportation design issues, his publications can be found in industry and architectural readings. He has spoken at numerous industry gatherings and symposiums about new design techniques. Fortune was the originator of the "Lifeboat" Emergency Evacuation operation that is becoming the standard for evacuation of Super-tall towers.



Kingdom Tower Jeddah, Saudi Arabia



Scott Shepler Principal



John Saling Principal



Steve Mikkelsen Principal

Design Solutions

It is a nature tendency in our discipline to become focused on the mathematics of vertical transportation analysis. While calculations and simulations are a part of our processes, our recommendations are influenced with our knowledge of how buildings operate, and how building tenants move within their environment.

Services

Fortune Shepler Saling has an extensive list of project experiences. From this experience we

- develop vertical transportation solutions
- customize project specifications
- develop job specific designs
- review project tenders
- commission project installations

all to ensure our clients' projects function over the long term.

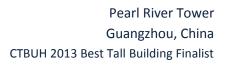


Wilshire Grand Los Angeles, California



Jamie Fortune, Project Manager

Fortune Shepler Saling Inc. Project Experience







Jinan Financial Center Jinan, China



International Commerce Center
Hong Kong



Shanghai Expo Shanghai, China



Kempinski Hotel Jeddah, KSA