



Shutter & Melody

WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHY

PRICING & INFO

2024-2025

About Me

aka Shutter & Melody

Hello, my name is Olga and I've been working as a photographer in Berlin for nearly 15 years. I first grabbed the camera when I was still a teenager but it would be a long time before I finally realised that high-school dream. On my way to this career I was lucky enough to have interned and worked for various photo agencies and magazines which trained my eye and gave me the confidence to branch out on my own. The reward I got from satisfied clients over the years was priceless and it continues to encourage me to stick to this path.

When I shoot I try to be like an elusive yet friendly ninja. I wish for everyone to relax in my presence to the point they forget I'm there which in turn allows me to capture their genuine interactions and real moments of joy. I want them to look at the photos and be instantly transported back to that very moment in time because they were experiencing it fully.

In terms of style - I can't say I have a particular one. I like to push myself, keep exploring and continue to grow. Trying out things is part of the fun and I'm constantly inspired to take different approaches and apply tailored editing parameters. Everyone and every setting has a unique vibe and the photos I take have to somehow convey that. You would not be getting cookie cutter images from me.

I would be very happy to document your wedding with those prerogatives in mind. And it would thrill me to no end to surprise you and deliver the type of imagery that would make your heart flutter for years to come.







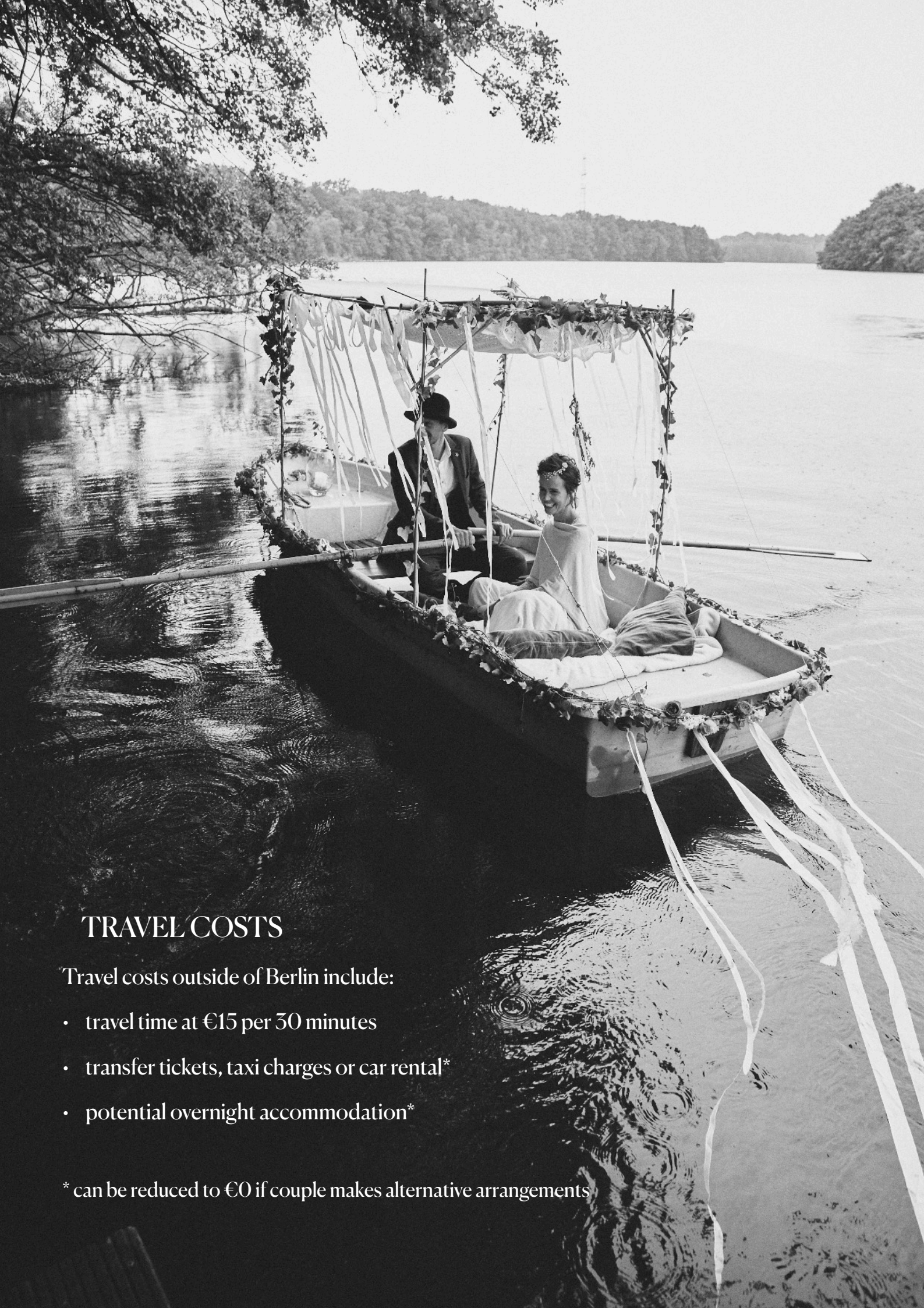
BASIC PRICE

€ 150 per hour (with a minimum 2 hours) which includes:

- the transfer to and from the wedding location within Berlin;
- photographic and lighting equipment;
- post-production (image selection and editing);
- 5-10 images in low-resolution following the wedding;
- delivery of a mix of high-res photographs in colour and black and white.

EXTRAS

- a second shooter - € 150 per hour
- a break between ceremony and reception - € 30 per hour
- prevent image publishing on Shutter & Melody website - € 250 single fee
- prevent image publishing on Shutter & Melody social media - € 100 single fee



TRAVEL COSTS

Travel costs outside of Berlin include:

- travel time at €15 per 30 minutes
- transfer tickets, taxi charges or car rental*
- potential overnight accommodation*

* can be reduced to €0 if couple makes alternative arrangements

FAQ

In this section I answer some common questions concerning my conditions and methods of work. On the [Shutter & Melody](#) website you will find more answered questions and in case you can't find what you are looking for feel free to contact me; I will be happy to answer all Your queries.

DO YOU PHOTOGRAPH SMALL WEDDINGS?

Absolutely. It will be a pleasure to photograph your civil ceremony or just take your portraits at the wedding. There is however a minimum shooting time of 2 hours.

HOW LONG DO WE NEED TO WAIT FOR PHOTOS?

Up to one month. It sounds like a long time but the necessary image adjustments on hundreds of photos take time and I want to be sure I provide you with the best possible end result. However I will do all I can to deliver the images as soon as possible. And just to make the wait a bit more bearable I will send You at least 5 photographs within 2 work days of the wedding to share with Your friends or family.

HOW MANY IMAGES WILL WE RECEIVE?

It will depend on the nature of the wedding but from an hour long shoot You can expect to receive anywhere from 50 to 80 images via a digital link.

WILL WE BE ABLE TO PRINT THE IMAGES OURSELVES?

Yes. Once You receive the final digital images You will be able to make as many paper prints as You need for non-commercial use.

DO YOU ALSO CREATE WEDDING ALBUMS?

Currently it is not part of my standard service but I will be happy to create a printed album for an additional fee or alternatively recommend websites which make the creation of Your own perfect photo album a simple and fun process.

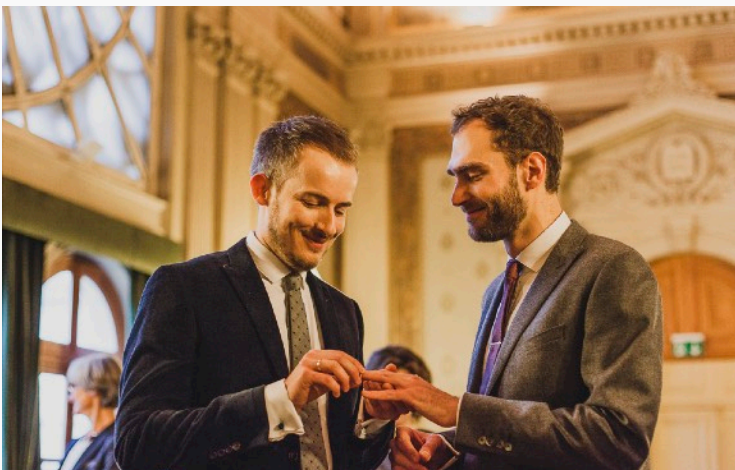
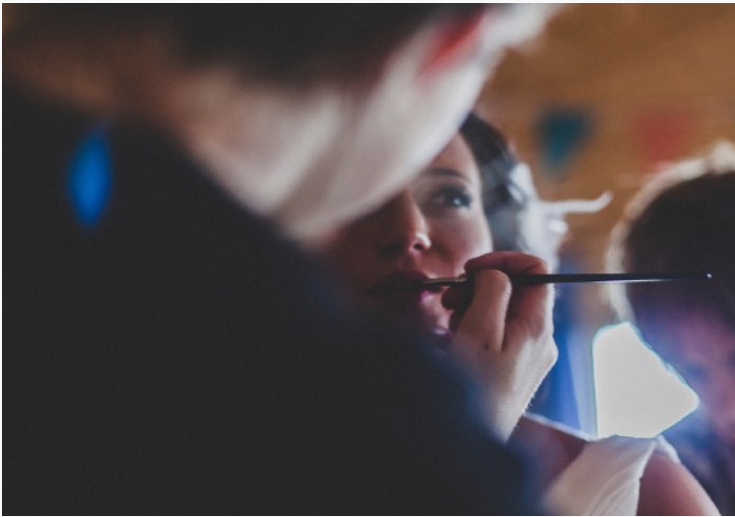
WILL OUR PHOTOS BE PUBLISHED ONLINE?

As a visual artist it is essential to show my work to the wider public. In the past, photographers would have had huge photo albums that anyone could see by coming by the photo studio; times however have changed and most of us look for all sorts of businesses online before we even step out of our homes. This leaves only one viable option for photographers to attract new costumers and that is by showing the most recent and modern imagery online. You yourself are perhaps here to view my portfolio to see if I am up to the task of photographing your wedding.

I understand that this can mean Your privacy is affected but I am always very respectful of you as a couple, the photos I post are carefully chosen, I never post surnames and if there are any individual images that You would prefer for me not to use, You will have the last word. You will also have the option to completely withdraw your permission at any point before or after the wedding for a reimbursement fee.

WILL WE HAVE A CONTRACT?

Absolutely. Ahead of the wedding we will sign an agreement detailing the terms of service.





The word "LOVE" is written in a stylized, hand-drawn font. Each letter is filled with horizontal rainbow stripes (red, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple). The letters have a slightly irregular, brush-stroke-like appearance.

This is an LGBTQ+ friendly business



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