

Dubai summit cable car, Hatta (UAE)

Client

DEWA (Dubai Electricity and Water Authority) - Groupe EDF

Team

Groupe-6 architectes (Architecture, Interiors) - Terrell Group (BET) - DCSA Ingénieurs Conseil (BET)

Completion

2027

Location

Hatta

Program

This project consists of 5.4 km long cable-car to reach the Um Al Nesoar mountain peak at an altitude of 1 300 m, three cable car stations and a visitor's center to promote the exceptional flora and fauna and archeological features in the Hatta National Park

Selection method

Restricted international competition



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The Dubai Summit project, developed by DEWA (Dubai Electricity and Water Authority) together with EDF Ingénierie and Groupe-6 architectes has just been announced by His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, as the backbone of the Hatta development plan. This new, programmatically mixed project integrates, among other things, a cable transport line connecting three stations, a hotel nestled in the mountains and a cultural space celebrating the local natural and archaeological heritage. The construction will underline the hydroelectric

storage plant constructed by DEWA with the assistance of EDF France as both lakes will be overflowed by the cable car.

This plant will store solar power during the day and release it at night, hence participating to the growing use of renewable energy for the Emirate. As a crown on the Al Nesoor peak, the cable-car station will host a “refuge” hotel and a sky-bar and viewing platform suspended over the void. The essence of this project will be to encourage visitors to connect with the spectacular landscape, the unique nature and deep calm found in this remote and undiscovered part of Dubai.

