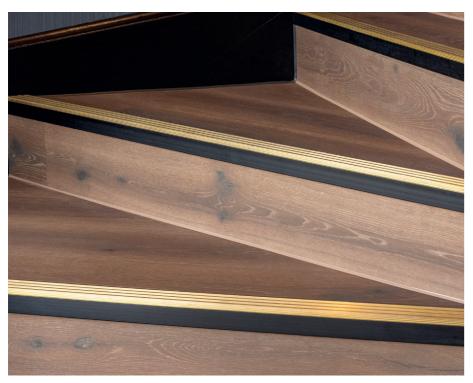
## Case Study

## **Stair Edgings**

**Project: The Yacht Torquay, East Street Pub Company** 







We had the exact finish we wanted in the new XT range, it was a no-brainer.

Brendan Lovett, Area Sales Manager

## **Product Specified:**

- ASXT20
- GXT11

As part of a high-spec refurbishment ahead of the grand opening of The Yacht Torquay, Gradus stepped in to supply stair edgings that not only met the practical demands of hospitality design but also delivered on a precise and elevated aesthetic.

Central to the transformation was the main staircase connecting the bustling bar area to the first-floor lounge, alongside raised booth seating accessed via additional steps. Here, Gradus ASXT20 and GXT11 profiles were specified with black anodised channels and satin bronze inserts a striking pairing that aligned perfectly with the interior concept. This paring shows perfectly how the Gradus bronze and metal finishes can be mixed and matched to create unique design statements.

While other stair nose options may fall short in delivering true aesthetic appeal and a design-led finish, the Gradus XT bronze and metal finishes range stands out for its refined look and wide variety of stylish finishes.

The client first engaged Gradus following a detailed site visit and live product sample review, which confirmed that the specification aligned with their aspirations. The result was a flawless finish that integrated beautifully with the surrounding materials elevating not only the space but the experience. The response from stakeholders was glowing: "Absolutely buzzing!" was the verdict from East Street Pub Company.

The client acknowledged that the nosings "delivered the high-end finish and visual integration needed, and there was nothing else like it on the market."

XT also features a patented design that maximises slip-resistance at the leading edge, providing enhanced safety for stairs without compromising the overall aesthetic.

The Yacht Torquay is a stand out example of Gradus delivering both specification confidence and aesthetic excellence. The success of this installation has positioned Gradus as the preferred choice for future developments with East Street Pub Company.

