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Personal Profile

Aspiring painter and decorator with hands-on experience through volunteer projects. Quick learner with strong attention to detail, teamwork, and adaptability in diverse environments. Eager to apply newly developed painting skills in a professional setting and committed to continuous learning and delivering high-quality results.

Skills

- Surface preparation and painting techniques (brush, roller, spray)
- Colour mixing and matching
- Decorative finishes and basic plaster repair
- Working at heights and ladder safety
- Attention to detail and quality workmanship
- · Team collaboration and adaptability

Education

City & Guilds Painting and Decorating

Manchester College of Arts and Trades, 2024

Volunteer Work

Painter| Community Centre, Edinburgh, UK | 2025

Participated in a community project to revamp local buildings. Developed an aptitude, learned basic painting techniques and collaborated effectively with a diverse international team.

- Contributed to the successful painting of 3 community buildings within a week.
- Recognised for exceptional teamwork and adaptability, leading to an offer of an extended stay and formal apprenticeship.

Courses & Certficates

Colour Mixing Certification - National Institute of Paint and Coatings, 2024

Wallpapering Techniques Certification - Painters and Decorators Association, 2024