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# ABOUT

Hey there, I'm Nadya Salim! Co-founder of ArtisanMalaysia.com, where we specialize in making spaces come alive with beauty and vibrant energy. Since 2012, I've been on a mission to beautify any wall space with affordable and stunning art pieces that bring joy, boost productivity, and spark creativity. I'm all set to serve you with style. Let us transform your space into an artful haven that reflects your unique style. Say hello to me at [enquiries@artisanmalaysia.com](mailto:enquiries@artisanmalaysia.com)

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Immerse yourself in a world of vibrant beauty as ArtisanMalaysia.com adorns your space with captivating wall art, oil paintings, and mural art. Let colours dance and emotions come alive, as each stroke of their masterpieces elevates your home. Experience the transformative power of art and create a haven that reflects your unique style and personality. Let us colour your world and elevate your space to new dimensions of artistic excellence.

"HARD TO SAY THE PRICE ON SUCH A BEAUTIFUL MASTERPIECE. HOW MUCH DO YOU HAVE?"





# WHAT IS YOUR AESTHETIC?

YOUR STYLE  
YOUR SPACE

Interior design is a creative field that allows for a lot of personal expression and experimentation. While there are general principles and guidelines that can help create a cohesive and aesthetically pleasing space, there's also room for breaking the rules and taking creative risks. So, what is YOUR aesthetic?

# COASTAL LIVING

Well, you don't have to live near the beach to appreciate the tranquil atmosphere of coastal interior design. If you have your own space, it can be a great location to start, by combining the colours of the sky, sea, and sand to create a dreamlike motif.

Coastal living has gained popularity for its refreshing and airy atmosphere, offering an escape from the fast-paced modern world. To achieve a coastal look, incorporate natural materials like rattan, wicker, and driftwood furniture, along with nautical-inspired decor such as seashells, ropes, and marine-themed artwork. Soft and flowing fabrics in light tones further enhance the fresh and relaxed feel.





i lost  
my heart  
to the  
Sea



The key to coastal living is incorporating colours that you would normally find on a beach.

When you think of the colour cyan or turquoise, it immediately transports you to a serene beach environment. For example, the combination of cyan and white resembles the water and sand, creating a refreshing and soothing atmosphere. Incorporating hues of cyan as well as white into your living space can mimic the tranquillity and beauty of your favourite beach getaway.

Remember, coastal design is not just limited to beachfront properties. With the right colours, textures, and elements, you can create your own coastal retreat right in the comfort of your own home, allowing you to enjoy the soothing ambience of the beach anytime you desire.

## COASTAL LIVING



*We are all dreamers, aren't we?  
But with a little imagination,  
this can all be a reality.*



*From coastal turquoise to bright tropical palettes, there are many different shades of colour that can help bring your favourite hues to your home.*

*Take a look at some oil paintings or printable art inspiration for your home.*

# URBAN Beige

Urban beige is a trendy and contemporary choice for interior design, offering a stylish and up-to-date look. Its versatility allows it to complement various decor styles and colour palettes, making it a popular choice for those seeking a modern and on-trend aesthetic.

Let's take a moment to appreciate the stunning oversized textured art that commands attention in the room. With its unique textures and captivating presence, it adds an element of intrigue and serves as a focal point. Accompanied by the designer sofa, featuring an elegant and eye-catching curved design, it creates the perfect spot to unwind and indulge in luxury within your space. The combination of these two statement pieces elevates the overall aesthetic, adding style and sophistication to your interior.





Beige  
baby



To complete your urban beige look, consider incorporating these stunning-modern oil paintings into your interior. These artworks will add a touch of sophistication and artistic flair to your space, enhancing the overall aesthetic.

Choose paintings that feature contemporary styles, bold brushstrokes, and vibrant colours to create a visual contrast against the neutral backdrop of urban beige. The artwork will serve as a focal point, drawing attention and infusing your space with personality and creativity.

## URBAN Beige



# MINIMALIST LOOK

Generally speaking, minimalism is the ability to live in a place that is congenial, useful, and at the same time, aesthetically pleasant. The bigger meaning suggests living with less.

Minimalism is one of the greatest modern-day designs, it will add elegance and grace to your home's decor. While on the surface, this work appears to be simple enough, it is in fact tougher than one would anticipate. The best impact is achieved by using neutral or monotonous colours.

In reality, designing a beautiful, practical home with a basic concept is one of the most difficult tasks. Modern design is popular these days, especially among individuals whose primary concern is the functionality of their house. Aside from that, the clean and sharp design of contemporary interiors attracts homeowners who like a clutter-free and stress-free environment; a nice contrast to our stressful and busy lives.

WHEN IN DOUBT, CREATE A

## Moodboard

Get an oversized statement piece!

The Inspiration.

Simple and stylish Yet UseFull!

Elegance is Key to keep it Minimal.

Time isn't the main thing. Its the ONLY thing!

We have gathered a selection of wonderfully basic home design ideas for you to utilize as inspiration for improving your home.



*there is  
beauty  
in  
simplicity*



## MINIMALIST LOOK

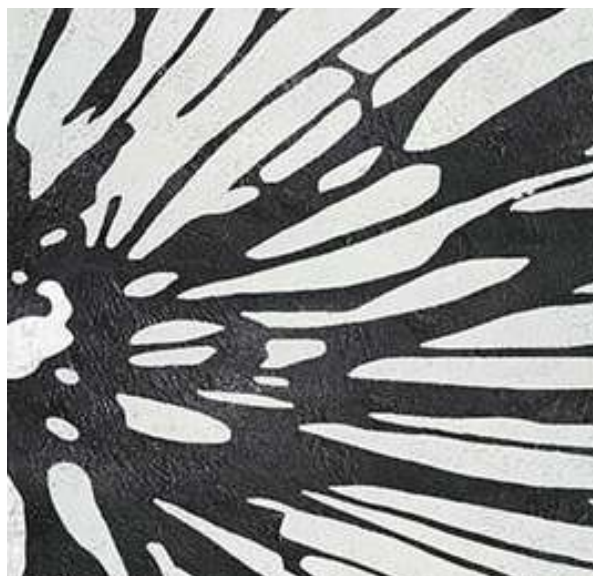


In minimalistic decor, people often opt for black, grey, and white, but don't limit yourself to these muted tones for standout oil paintings. Embrace vibrant colours like pink, blue, and green as accents to make a bold statement while maintaining the minimalist theme.

Repetition is a key characteristic of minimalism, with many artworks featuring simple and basic compositions.

Paintings often use minimal lines and shapes to convey the image, while some areas are smooth and polished without visible brushstrokes. Abstract art aligns well with minimalist design, allowing for a focus on form and simplicity.

Embrace the essence of minimalism by combining elegant colours, showcasing statement pieces, and opting for simple and understated artwork.





# BOHEMIAN

# Beauty

If you like unique pattern, braids, flowly dresses and unique art, bohemian style may just be the right design for you! Bohemian beauty design is all about unconventional lifestyle. It is about adding many different types of elements from different parts of the world. It unleashes pop of colours, patterns and texture in a way that offers a relaxed and unique aesthetic.

The Bohemian style encourages embracing the unconventional, unique, and free-spirited. It's a lifestyle that breaks away from norms and celebrates freedom of expression.

Inspired by travellers, authors, and artists, the bohemian style is characterized by its eclectic mix of patterns, textures, and colours from different cultures. It's a relaxed and laid-back aesthetic that encourages individuality.

With vintage and handmade pieces, natural elements, and vibrant accents, bohemian spaces have a distinct and inviting vibe. It's a style that celebrates imperfections and tells a personal story. Embracing the bohemian style allows you to create a one-of-a-kind space that reflects an artistic and adventurous spirit.





You have the potential  
to make  
*beautiful*  
things



Since bohemian design is heavily influenced by artists, a boho-centric area will generally have a variety of handcrafted products and accessories. These objects might take the shape of artworks, fabrics, carpets, or sculpture, all of which helps to preserve individual originality.

There are also many natural elements to be found. This idea manifests itself in the shape of textiles as well as plants. By filling a room with potted and hanging plants as well as succulents, and ferns it manages to bring the outside in while also creating a relaxing and serene look.

The distinct feature of bohemian beauty is that no two rooms are ever exactly identical, owing to your particular touch and expertise. Every single piece will always have a backstory—your narrative.

**BOHEMIAN** *Beauty*



Here are some ideas of artworks  
for you to get inspired.  
Remember, you do you!



# SCANDINAVIAN | STYLE

The Scandinavian style has gained immense popularity in the interior design world for its minimalist and functional aesthetic. It's all about those cool and calming vibes that come straight from Nordic countries. Think light and muted colours with clean lines, creating a polished look. Similar to the minimalist style mentioned earlier, but with a touch of warmth and cosiness.

Scandinavian design is all about simplicity and functionality. It's about creating spaces that make you feel at peace and relaxed. Natural light is key, so open up those windows and let the sunshine in! Keep the decor to a minimum, embrace empty spaces, and let the simplicity shine through. It's about decluttering and organizing, so you can enjoy a clutter-free and serene atmosphere. In a nutshell, the Scandinavian style is like a breath of fresh air for your home.





simplicity  
is the  
ultimate  
form of  
sophistication



If you search online for Scandinavian-style ideas, you'll find that carpets are rarely used as they are not necessary. Instead, the focus is on wooden flooring in its natural or white-painted form.

The essence of Scandinavian style lies in clean, sleek, and contemporary furnishings inspired by nature. Contrary to popular belief, Scandinavian designs don't have to be boring. You can add flair to your Scandinavian-inspired home by complementing furniture with clean-lined artwork.

As for oil paintings, consider incorporating abstract or pieces inspired by the natural world that add texture and visual interest to your space, enhancing the overall Scandinavian aesthetic.

## SCANDINAVIAN | **STYLE**



# PRETTY Pastel

There is something special and utterly comforting about pastel colours. Pastels are pleasant and soothing to the human eye. They have a calming impact that can convert a cold and uninviting space into a peaceful refuge. Pastel is a great colour palette to look at when decompressing after a long day at work.

To start your pastel living space you can combine white, the colour of perfection and purity, with colours such as pastel turquoise or purple. There are specific colours like mint green, peach, cotton candy pink, and delicate lemon that compliment each other very well to create a Pastel paradise. Don't those colours just make you feel all warm inside? Oh, it sure does for me!







To boost this matter, pastel colours are fantastic since they go with almost every piece of furniture or décor. It can be crystal, dramatic lighting from a chandelier, sumptuous fabric, mirror, faux fur, and or even a table lamp! Those items are just a few of the materials that may help you create a sophisticated and beautiful atmosphere.

You could consider the mood board as a source of inspiration; amazingly well-chosen pastel art pieces, a vintage ottoman, and a stunning gold home décor item that creates the ideal combo!

## PRETTY Pastel



# MODERN DESIGN

The most conventional design in the interior world nowadays is modern design. It lives up to its name and offers versatile and functional space, and it can make a bold statement in any interior area.

We might add that if you like spacious areas, clean lines, and a hint of minimalism, modern design may be the best style that suits you. By focusing on this particular style of design, you do not need to worry about having to maintain its contemporary flair.

Besides, it is difficult to specify its characteristics because this style is always evolving in the interior design world. There is still debate over what defines modern design, but one thing we can all agree on is that modern design is all about simplicity and functionality as well as incorporating geometric shapes.





out  
with  
the *old*,  
in  
with  
the new



When browsing the market for properties, you might observe that modern interior design is extensively used for houses, workplaces, and public areas. Its clean lines and simplicity create a trustworthy and professional appearance, which is a key selling factor among owners.

But then again, it does not mean that you cannot apply this style to your space. The simplest method to accomplish this design is to use white, beige, grey, and black as the primary colour palette for your interior area. Other colours can be used as well, as long as they are more earthy in tone. Additionally, metal, glass, and steel are commonly used when constructing and furnishings of current design styles.

Here is a modern design mix that will do well for your living room ideas. See how the monochrome colours complement each other?

## MODERN DESIGN



# Vintage Glam

When you think about vintage design, the first thing that springs to mind is undoubtedly outdated and definitely old-fashioned, but that is not always the case!

To characterize it, a vintage interior design style typically evokes feelings of nostalgia and the reminiscence of elegant times, particularly of the 1940s. Back in those days, things were absolutely in their own element.

Typically, vintage interior design combines sumptuous textiles, dreamlike chandeliers, sparkly metal, and a blend of delicate and powerful contrast. To put it simply, this type of design was often bold and seductive.

Create a moodboard to put your creative ideas together!

WHEN IN DOUBT, CREATE A

Moodboard



Dreamy chandelier is a must!



Get vintage items to complete the look!



Now, if you want to complete your vintage design look, we suggest styling these stunning vintage pieces with some modern oil paintings to add some glamour to your interior.



*I'm Just a Vintage  
soul*



As for the colours, vintage interior design mainly combines white, beige, lilac, and other light-coded colour schemes ranging from blue grey to greyish green and to pastel pink.

Shifting into decorations, mixing different vintage components from different eras of designs and items such as lovely spring colours of charming floral designs, antique frames, grandma's favorite plates, crystal or even metal vases, and many more is one of the best methods to create an appealing vintage aesthetic.

When it comes to combining all the pieces together, it will produce a timeless, romantic, and melancholic feeling with the ideal mixture of glam and vintage, which may generate the face of ultimate luxury and elegance.

## *Vintage Glam*



# ECLECTIC Vibes

Being a fan of eclectic vibes and vibrant colours can make it challenging to bring everything together harmoniously. It's easy to get carried away and buy decor pieces on impulse. However, the key to achieving an appealing aesthetic is to plan your core colour palette in advance.

Eclectic decor can be flashy and flamboyant, not necessarily appealing to everyone. Its charm lies in the freedom to mix and match different elements.

The essence of eclectic style is its boundless expressiveness, allowing you to freely mix and match a diverse collection of items. However, the crucial question to ask is,

**"How will all these design elements harmoniously flow together?"**





*Creativity  
never goes out  
of style*



To achieve a captivating eclectic vibe, start by selecting a core color palette as your foundation. Consider the scale, proportion, and placement of your pieces, ensuring a balanced composition. Embrace variety while avoiding overcrowding for a flowing look. Trust your instincts, enjoy the process, and have fun creating your unique eclectic space.

In eclectic design, you can incorporate various materials, styles, trends, and colors. Embrace polka dots, geometric forms, and unconventional patterns. Add patterned rugs, scatter cushions, vintage candle holders, and treasures from different eras and countries to infuse your space with interest and surprises.

Let your creativity soar as you curate an eclectic environment that reflects your personal style.



Creating a gallery wall is another great method to create a beautiful eclectic interior!

"HOW CAN I RELAX WHEN I KNOW YOUR PAINTING IS SENGET"





# INSPIRE THROUGH ART

Elevate your space with captivating paintings! From bold abstracts to tranquil landscapes, find the perfect art to inspire and transform your walls. Unleash your creativity and enhance your living and working environment with the power of art.





# ABSTRACT

Abstract art, the reigning star of the art world, is celebrated for its universal appeal, endless interpretations, and captivating expressions. It breaks free from reality, using shapes, colors, and expressive marks to convey its message. The best part? You get to interpret it your own way.

Abstract art transcends language and culture, stirring emotions and challenging norms. With its experimental nature, it grabs attention and fosters a deep connection. It invites personal interpretation and sparks boundless creativity.

Recognizing abstract painting is easy—just let your imagination roam. It's a surefire way to create a captivating focal point that adds personality and charm to your home, leaving a lasting impression.



*For inspiration, have a look at our latest update of abstract styles attached. Explore more captivating designs at [ArtisanMalaysia.com](http://ArtisanMalaysia.com). Let your creativity soar!*



## ABSTRACT painting

For most individuals, appreciating abstract art does not come naturally. To put it mildly, we frequently overhear someone's comment, "Even my 5-year-old can paint this." Most people are unaware that a skilled abstract artist must have years of expertise, technical abilities, and mastery of colours and brush strokes.

Abstract art is an ideal addition to any home because it adds a touch of ambiguity and creativity. Its unique and open-ended nature allows it to complement various decor styles, while its ability to spark conversation makes it a captivating focal point that brings vibrancy to your living space.

Here are a few inspiring abstract design ideas to explore for your home:



*What others have on their wall*



# MINIMAL

Minimalist art is all the rage in design. It's all about simplicity, geometric shapes, and a limited colour palette. Think monochromatic paintings with precise boundaries between colours.

In minimalist spaces, functional furniture and geometric elements take the lead, with black, grey, and white as the go-to colours. The trick is to make a statement with a single piece of artwork on an otherwise bare wall. This intentional simplicity puts the focus on the artwork and adds visual impact to the room.

Minimalist design is all about clean lines and a peaceful atmosphere, promoting a space clear of clutter and a tranquil vibe. By embracing minimalist art and design, you can create a sleek and sophisticated space that exudes modernity.



Remember, in minimalism, less is more! Embrace the simplicity and elegance of minimalist art to create a visually captivating space. For more inspiration, explore [ArtisanMalaysia.com](http://ArtisanMalaysia.com).



Adding minimalistic paintings to your interior space brings a sense of calmness and sophistication. With their clean lines and minimalistic aesthetic, they create a visually pleasing and harmonious environment.

Minimalist art serves as captivating focal points, infusing the space with a subtle yet impactful statement. It promotes a clutter-free and serene atmosphere, allowing for a clear mind and enhanced focus.

By incorporating minimalist paintings, you can create a contemporary and stylish ambience that complements various design styles, while also expressing your appreciation for simplicity and refined beauty. So, keep it simple and let the art speak for itself!



## *What others have on their wall*



# SCENERY

The world we live in is a breathtaking creation, offering a wide array of sights to behold. From lush jungles to vast oceans to modern cityscapes, there's something for everyone's eyes.

Artists have always found inspiration in the beauty that surrounds us. Many incredible works of art capture the essence of our everyday lives and the rare moments that take our breath away.

Scenic art, in particular, showcases the splendour of our natural environment. It can take various forms, whether surreal, realistic, or abstract, allowing artists to unleash their imagination.

Scenery painting captures the beauty of natural landscapes, including mountains, valleys, trees, rivers, and forests, often presented in a wide panoramic view. It skillfully combines these elements into a cohesive composition.



*For more inspiring designs, we feel free to visit our website at [ArtisanMalaysia.com](http://ArtisanMalaysia.com)*



So, how does scenic art impact the overall ambiance of your space? Well, in these times when we're spending more time indoors, it's crucial to create an engaging environment. And we all know that colors have a significant influence on our mood. By incorporating scenic art into your space, you can uplift the atmosphere and make it more vibrant and captivating.

Indulge in the captivating images below, and allow yourself to be transported to the serene beauty of nature captured in these remarkable works.



*What others have on their wall*



**CHANGE  
KEY**

# VIETNAMESE

Vietnamese art has become a global sensation, and let me tell you, it's no surprise why! This art style rocks a unique painting technique that is just mesmerizing. Picture this: the artists skillfully blend their vision of lively communities and countryside farmers, creating a masterpiece on canvas.

The brushstrokes in Vietnamese art, especially when it comes to trees and landscapes, are absolutely mind-blowing. The trees have these unique thick texture brush strokes that are mesmerising. They're bursting with vibrant hues that bring the artwork to life. It's like stepping into a world of colour and feeling its energy radiate from the canvas. These artworks have a secret power—they can instantly lift your spirits and fill you with a sense of gratitude just by looking at them. To own a Vietnamese-style painting is to own a mood booster on your wall!



Check out our recent Vietnamese styles! For more inspiration, visit [ArtisanMalaysia.com](https://www.ArtisanMalaysia.com) to discover a wealth of captivating designs.



# VIETNAMESE *painting*

Having a Vietnamese painting on your wall has been in popular demand for home decor enthusiasts and interior designers alike.

So, whether you're an art lover or just someone who wants a daily dose of awesomeness, Vietnamese art is where it's at. It's a delightful celebration of life, culture, and natural beauty that will leave you smiling from ear to ear. Get ready to be wowed and inspired by the magic of Vietnamese art!



*What others have on their wall*



# FENGSHUI

Fengshui, which literally translates to "wind and water," refers to a set of principles that govern the placement and orientation of many types of goods inside a space.

Incorporating Fengshui art into your home decor is important for several reasons. Firstly, it promotes a harmonious and balanced environment by aligning the energy flow within your space. This can have a positive impact on your overall well-being and create a sense of tranquillity. Secondly, Fengshui art adds a cultural and aesthetic element to your decor, infusing it with symbolism and meaning. It can serve as a visual reminder of the ancient wisdom and traditions associated with Fengshui.

Lastly, by intentionally incorporating fengshui art into your home, you are actively engaging in creating a space that supports positive energy and invites abundance and prosperity into your life. For example, a bamboo painting represents longevity and growth, while a mountain painting in the office creates a sense of strength and support. By incorporating these art pieces, you infuse your space with symbolic energy, promoting positive vibrations and aligning with Fengshui principles for a harmonious and auspicious environment.



*Explore our latest update of fengshui styles! For further inspiration, explore [ArtisanMalaysia.com](https://www.ArtisanMalaysia.com) to discover a diverse range of designs that harmonize with your space.*



# FENGSHUI *painting*

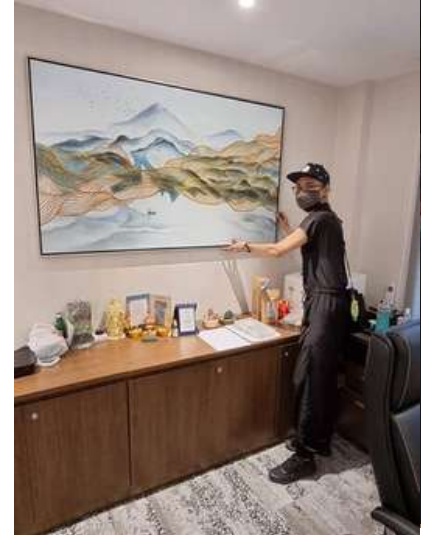
We have an abundance of knowledge on how colour influences our emotions and how we perceive our sense, whether they are good or bad. Plus, we have talked about how having an art installed in your space can greatly improve your mood.

When it involves interior design, fengshui art focuses on the application of colour, the value of symbols, and the arrangement of furniture. It mainly utilizes the benefit and the usage of suitable amenities.

Just in case you want to create harmony in your house or office, having fengshui oil paintings created by a master fengshui may improve your living environment and expectantly, your life too.



## *What others have on their wall*





# FLOWERS

When it comes to home decor, incorporating flowers is an absolute delight! It's an effortless way to infuse your space with vibrant colours, natural beauty, and a sense of freshness. Whether you opt for real flowers or flower paintings, they have the power to instantly uplift your surroundings and create a welcoming atmosphere.

Flower paintings, in particular, offer a unique advantage. They allow you to enjoy the beauty of flowers without the need for constant care and maintenance. With a well-chosen flower painting, you can capture the essence of your favourite blooms and preserve their allure forever.

Beyond their visual appeal, flowers hold a special place in our emotional well-being. They have the ability to evoke positive emotions, boost our mood, and promote relaxation. By incorporating flower art into your home, you create a space that not only pleases the eye but also nurtures your soul.

Moreover, flowers have symbolic meanings associated with different types and colours. You can select flowers that align with your personality, values, or intentions for your space. For instance, roses symbolize love and passion, while sunflowers represent joy and positivity. By choosing flower art that resonates with you, you infuse your home with a deeper sense of meaning and personal connection.



*For further inspiration, explore [ArtisanMalaysia.com](https://www.ArtisanMalaysia.com) and immerse yourself in a world of exquisite floral designs that will add beauty and grace to your space.*



Assuming that you look at art galleries or somewhere online, you will probably discover that most artists, whether amateur or professional, enjoy painting flowers. The rationale is simple: flowers are a pleasurable endeavor that is undisputedly obtainable owing to its natural shape. It is also a great challenge in terms of forms, range, and most importantly, colours!

To be frank, it is not an overstatement to suggest that a splash of colour may go a lengthy way. Try and prop some flowers in your room, whether it is genuine or even in a painting, without any doubt will improve your mood and help you interact with others more effectively.



*What others have on their wall*



# CUSTOMISED

When it comes to commissioned art, many people envision grandiose and expensive paintings. However, in today's diverse art world, there are countless options available, making it easier to find something that truly resonates with your personal taste. However, even with an abundance of choices, it can still be challenging to find the perfect piece that captures your unique vision. That's where the beauty of commissioned art comes in.

By commissioning a piece, you have the opportunity to collaborate directly with an artist and have custom artwork created solely for you. This process allows you to express your individuality and bring your artistic vision to life. From discussing your preferences and desired style to selecting the perfect size and color palette, every aspect of the artwork is tailored to your liking.

The result is a masterpiece that reflects your personality, evokes emotions and perfectly complements your living space. Commissioned art adds a personal touch to your home and creates a lasting connection between you and the artist.



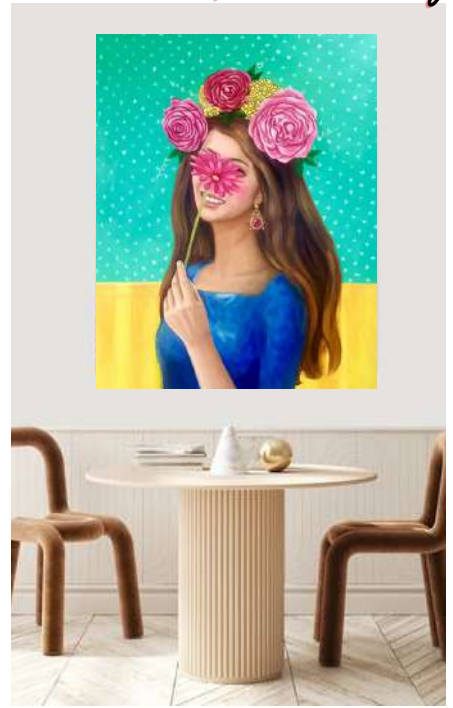
Visit [ArtisanMalaysia.com](https://www.ArtisanMalaysia.com) for stunning commission work by talented artists. Create a unique masterpiece that adds beauty to your space.



Commissioning artwork is an incredible experience where you are putting your trust in an artist to bring your vision to life.

The best part is the freedom to explore various designs and styles, making it truly unique to you. Whether you want something abstract or realistic, the possibilities are endless.

Commissioned art becomes a cherished part of your space, reflecting your taste and adding a touch of individuality. It's an opportunity to create something extraordinary that will be treasured forever. So why settle for generic when you can have a one-of-a-kind masterpiece made just for you?



*What others have on their wall*



# PO R T R A I T

Portraits have always been a way to capture someone's look and show off their status, beauty, and taste. Oil paintings are a classic choice because of their rich colours and long-lasting quality. With oil paint, artists have more control over their brushstrokes, creating unique and captivating portraits.

When you choose an oil portrait, you're not just getting a picture, but a personal and timeless piece of art. It's a way to honour someone and preserve their memory. Plus, oil paintings make a great investment because they hold their value over time.

So, if you want to add a touch of elegance and personality to your space, consider commissioning an oil portrait. It's a unique and meaningful way to decorate your home or office with a piece of art that reflects your style and captures the essence of your subject.

Portraits come in various styles: oil painting, pastel, charcoal, digital, and more. Each style offers a unique aesthetic and allows artists to capture the essence of their subject in different ways.

## *Oil Painting*



Oil painting is a traditional medium known for its durability and vibrant colors. It has stood the test of time and is considered a valuable long-term investment. The slow drying time of oil paint allows artists to make adjustments and have better control over the brushstrokes, resulting in captivating and expressive artwork.

## *Pastel*



Pastel painting is an art media that comes in the shape of a stick and is made up of powdered pigment and a binder. This particular medium is favored by many, and frequently given as a present as it is more economical than oil and has the shortest time to lead to finish.

## *Digital*



Digital painting offers endless creative possibilities with its versatile tools and software. Artists can simulate various traditional art styles, experiment freely, and easily incorporate textures and effects, resulting in captivating portraits.



## Sketch



A pencil sketch is a black and white drawing created freehand, using only graphite pencils. It captures various shades of gray and is often used for preliminary sketches or as a thoughtful gift. It is a relatively quick art form to create, similar to pastel drawings.

## Mix Media



Mixed media art combines various artistic materials and techniques, such as pencil, pastel, and spray paint, to create a unique and multidimensional artwork. It breaks boundaries and allows for endless creative possibilities, pushing the limits of traditional art forms.

## Illustration



Digital illustration is a rad way to create awesome artwork using digital tools. With a stylus and digital canvas, artists can let their creativity flow, exploring different brushes and effects for eye-catching results. It's a cool and modern approach to art!

## Other Portraits we did





# MURALS

As you take a stroll down the street, have you ever noticed that certain buildings have amazing illustrations painted on their surface? Those amazing artworks are called murals and their distinctiveness is captivating.

What makes mural art so unique is that it can cooperate with the surface's own physical attributes to enhance its traits and make the space vibrant and livelier. For instance, adding a mural to an empty wall can be a great way to boost the appearance of the space thus making it look much more interesting to look at.

Picture strolling through streets like Chinatown, Kuala Lumpur, or Arab Street in Singapore, adorned with breathtaking murals. Check out our tropical art—it's a feast for the eyes!



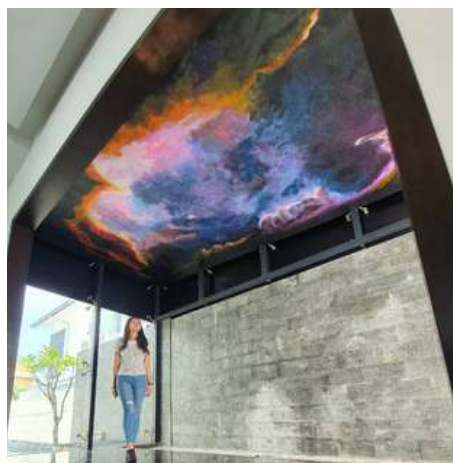


Contrary to popular belief, murals don't have to be exclusive to the outdoors. Murals such as the ones below are perfect for livening any type of space with blank walls. For example, a mural can be used in a living room to bring colour to an otherwise bland room; or it can even be used for spaces with children like a nursery or kindergarten as to encourage interactivity.

Whatever your interest or passion, there are so many creative mural designs to choose from!



## *Other Mural we did recently*





"I AM LOOKING FOR A PAINTING TO MATCH MY PILLOW."



"MY FENGSHUI MASTER ASKED TO REMOVE ANYTHING THAT IS STRESS-RELATED. I FEEL A LOT BETTER NOW!"





# MY FAVE COLOUR IS YOU



Step into a world where colours ignite your home's soul. Discover how each hue carries meaning and reflects your unique personality. Let's dive into the captivating realm of interior design and unleash the power of colors in creating a space that truly embodies you.

# Shades of BROWN



“EARTHY, *warm*, SOLID,  
COMFORT, *RICH*”

Brown is a versatile colour that can add depth and warmth to any space. From the deep, rich tones of mahogany to the soft and neutral shades of wood, brown can be incorporated in various ways to create a cozy and inviting atmosphere. It exudes a sense of earthiness, providing a grounding and stable presence in your decor.

Brown is indeed a welcoming and comforting colour, reminiscent of a warm cup of coffee in the morning. It has become such a familiar background colour that its potential to bring warmth and comfort is often overlooked.

The versatility of brown is a key characteristic that makes it a suitable choice for various spaces. With its wide range of shades, from deep mahogany to lighter wood tones, brown can seamlessly blend into any design scheme. It adds a natural element to a home, particularly in the living room, which serves as a sanctuary after a long day's work.





Brown has the power to create a soothing and cosy atmosphere, evoking a sense of relaxation and calmness. It pairs well with other colours, allowing for endless possibilities in creating a harmonious and inviting space. By incorporating brown elements into your living room, you can enhance the overall ambience and create a warm and inviting environment that welcomes you back home.

Choose brown furniture or a feature wall in your living room to match an abstract oil painting, creating a cosy and harmonious space with a touch of warmth and cordiality.



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# **BROWN** *Inspirations*



# Do something Green



Green



“ABUNDANCE, *fresh*, PEACE  
GROWTH, HEALING”

Green is the colour of fresh starts and good vibes. It's all about growth, balance, and feeling zen. Surrounding yourself with green brings a sense of peace and positivity, like a breath of fresh air in a chaotic world.

Of course, one of the first things that strikes you is how much you miss the lovely greenery outdoors, whether it is the plants in between the road dividers or the small landscape just outside your office door as you walk to work. Nowadays, a simple trip outdoors or breathing in some fresh air right outside your home appears to be a luxury.

A fantastic house or home office should energize you, and there are several methods to do this...





Experimenting by adding the colour green to your house or office is one of the simplest ways to transform them into energy-giving environments. Regarding that, green is a colour that provides a sense of freshness to any room. Consider a vacation where you are surrounded by trees and wildlife, swimming in a gorgeous ocean that mirrors everything around it.

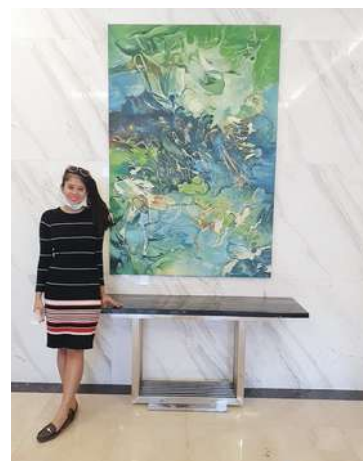
Obviously, that place would not be as peaceful without the colour green. As you may have heard, green represents harmony in many South-East Asian nations because of its connection with nature. It is often associated with nature and harvest, as well as the colour of pleasure wealth, and fresh starts.

So go green and let the good vibes flow!



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# Green *Inspirations*



# Gold is the New *Black*



“VERSATILE, *Glam*, LUXURY  
OPTIMISM, INTENSE”

There must be some reason why the first thing that springs to mind when you think of black is being dark, gloomy, and gothic. Funnily enough, the truth is that it is not always about feeling lost and being in the dark.

In fact, according to psychology, people who like black have the most vivid and colourful minds,

The combination of black and gold brings an air of luxury and opulence to any space. It's a timeless duo that signifies triumph and success. When used in the living area, this pairing creates a sense of grandeur and sophistication.

Imagine a room adorned with black furniture and gold accents, like metallic finishes, decorative accessories, or even artwork. The contrast between the boldness of black and the richness of gold adds a touch of glamour and elegance to the overall aesthetic.





Whether it's a sleek black sofa with gold throw pillows or a statement gold chandelier against a black ceiling, these elements create a visually stunning and captivating atmosphere. The black and gold combination effortlessly elevates the space, making it feel refined and stylish.

So, if you're looking to infuse your living area with a sense of luxury without too much effort, consider incorporating black and gold accents. It's a surefire way to make a statement and create a lavish ambiance in your home.



# Gold *Inspirations*



# Well-Red *And Happy*



“COURAGE, *Sexy*, ACTION  
STIMULATION, ENERGY”

Let's set the record straight. I may not be a fan of red, but I can't deny its rising popularity in home decor. When used tastefully, it can create a jaw-dropping and awe-inspiring interior space. Get ready to be amazed by the mesmerizing effects of this trendy color.

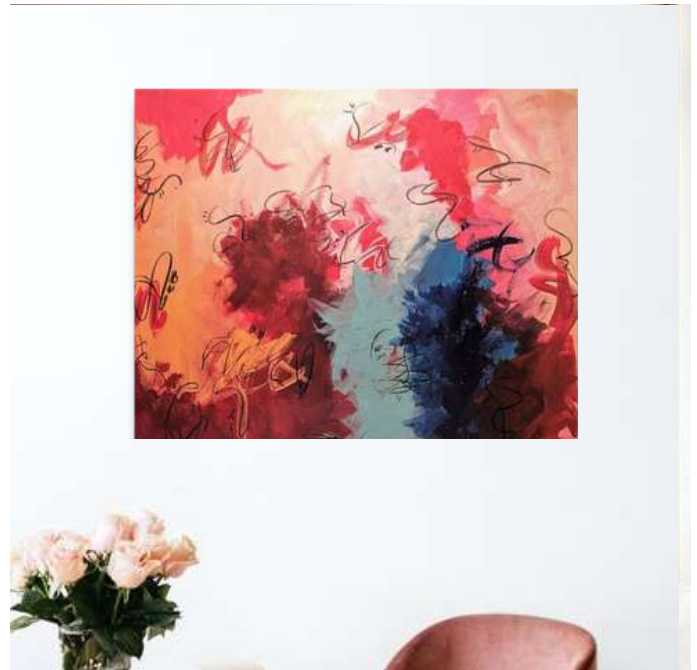
The widely use of red as the primary colour in modern home design and décor conveys a sense of power and strength. To achieve said traits and virtue, incorporating red interior design and decor ideas are the finest methods to bring life into your house and brighten up your living space.

The traits that made up the colour red are mainly strong and appealing. Various shades of red differs from red hot to dark and rich have the quality to instantly stimulate our vitality. Plus, modern interior design and decoration ideas that include red paint colours or red painting patterns able to stir our emotions and inspire us to act victoriously. Thus, that is why it represents leadership characteristics, encouraging ambition and tenacity.





However, red interiors are not for everyone as they are often seen as provocative and sometimes even overbearing. It is safe to say that decorating interior spaces using a vibrant red isn't the easiest option, but when done correctly can have a great and lasting impact. One reason why a person may want a bright red pop in their interior is to encourage a sense of passion and romance. Below are some red oil painting ideas to perhaps inspire you to try something a bit bold and different!



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# Red *Inspirations*



# Pretty in Pink



““ FEMININE, *love*, PLAYFUL  
AFFECTIONATE, KIND ””

Pink is an adorable and delightful color that perfectly captures the essence of love. Its soft and gentle quality has a way of enchanting us, making us feel warm and fuzzy inside. Being surrounded by this lovely hue brings a sense of joy and adds a touch of magic to our surroundings. It's a colour that never fails to make us smile and feel happy.

Pink is undeniably charming and sweet, captivating us with its lovely appearance. It envelops us in a warm embrace, evoking feelings of comfort and tenderness. Pink is often associated with passion, femininity, and, above all, love.

What makes pink so appealing is its versatility in shades, ranging from delicate pastels to vibrant hot pink. It is the perfect color for cultivating a romantic atmosphere in your home. Whether through soft pink accents, blush-colored decor, or a statement pink feature wall, incorporating this hue can instantly create a romantic ambiance that exudes warmth and affection. Let pink embrace your space and infuse it with love and romance.





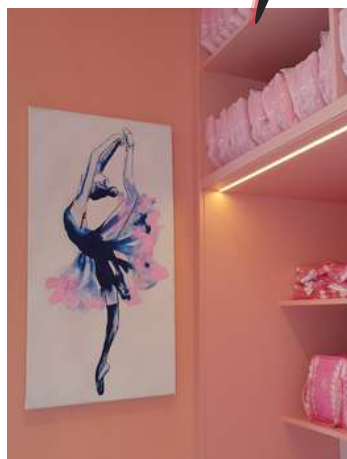
Using a light pink shade, like pastel or pale pink, can help to tone down the vibrant nature of the color. Pairing it with soft pastel hues can create a soothing atmosphere, making the room a peaceful haven for a quiet evening at home. On the other hand, if you're bold and outgoing, you can opt for bolder and more vibrant shades of pink.

Whichever shade you choose, incorporating pink into your home can bring out your charming and feminine side. It adds a touch of elegance and grace to the space, creating a warm and inviting ambiance. Whether you prefer a subtle and understated look or a bold and vibrant statement, pink can enhance the overall aesthetic and personality of your home.



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# **Pink** *Inspirations*



# Living in Yellow



“CHEERFUL *Sunshine*. CREATIVE  
HAPPINESS OPTIMISM”

What first come into your mind when you see yellow? Something happy, isn't it?

My immediate reaction when I stumble upon the colour yellow, I straight away think of the sun, sunflowers, and honeybees! It is such a cheery colour that it brightens people's life.

Yellow colour has such great vibe even from the moment we see it. Without a doubt this colour brings out and amplifies the happiness in ourselves! A splash of yellow will brighten up any area in the house. To add further, yellow also improves the atmosphere and works nicely in every interior area (when done correctly). To be honest, yellow is more adaptable and versatile than you may imagine since it has never really gone out of style.

Frankly speaking, yellow can definitely be a wonderful and lively colour in the living or guest rooms. Imagine stepping into a room that incorporates yellow so well you gasp in awe while admiring the interior. That is what we are trying to insinuate. The colour is vibrant and lively and is also able to bring great energy into places whilst being easy on the eyes. It can also stimulate creativity and enhances memory along with improving communication.







# The Colour Purple



“WISDOM, *lavish*, COMPLEX  
CREATIVITY, INSPIRATION”

In the matter of establishing a classy and fashionable interior area, the infamous purple turns out to be a colour that a lot of people think about.

Simply said, purple is a one-of-a-kind, magnificent vibrant colour. Apparently, the colour purple stimulates lofty ideas and is associated with spirituality and imagination.

With regard to that, it is a colour that helps you to connect with our innermost ideas; it demands respect, especially in darker tones. When mingling with darker shades, purple can be overwhelming. So, be careful not to go overboard with it.

As we all know, purple is created by combining the ferocious and robust mood of red with the serene steadiness of blue.

Not to mention, purple is frequently linked with wealth, nobility, ambition, and vigour. It is said to be so because historically, only royalty could afford to wear purple as it is costly to make, displaying of power when worn. Anyhow, purple is also associated with creativity, riches, extravagance, knowledge, dignity, serenity, pride, and magic.





Aside from that, purple has traditionally been utilised as a transition colour in many teenage or young girls' bedrooms. With that being said, many adult rooms, such as the living room and bedroom, also use purple, but as the primary colour.

Using pink-violet, lavender, or even magenta to appear sophisticated in contrast to light purple which has a feminine vibe.

The secret to applying an appealing shade of purple is to conduct a little study before deciding on any decorative colour. This is because the colour you choose for your interior space defines a large part of who you are and may provide a more intimate and personal glimpse into your own personality and behavioural patterns.



# Purple *Inspirations*



# Grey Area



“NEUTRAL, **MODERN**, WISDOM  
UNDERSTATED, OPTIMISM”

Being a fan of vibrant colours, I have a love-hate relationship with grey. Vibrant colours tend to express what I feel but I don't feel the same with grey. The blend of white and black makes it rather subdued, quiet and lacking in personality (or at least in my opinion).

However, it is the neutrality of the colour that sets itself as a key colour in many Minimalist and Scandinavian interior spaces. The dullness in grey works well in bringing out the simplicity and functionality which helps to portray the space as clean and coherent.

Psychologically, grey is a colour of compromise - coining the term “grey area”, for being neither black nor white and the shade depends on the intensity of either colour. Each shade is capable of creating a different feel, look and style for each room. The more black you add to it, the more dramatic and mysterious it becomes. In turn, adding more white will give off a brighter and livelier shade.



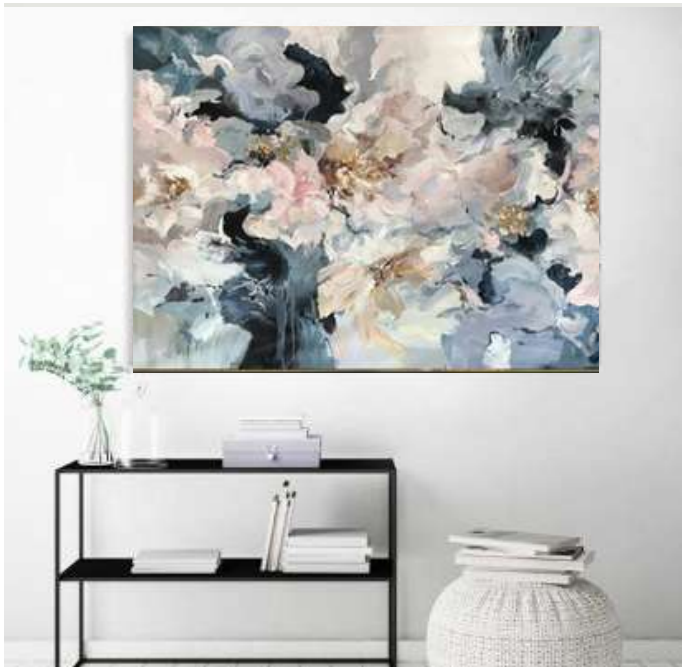


The colour grey has proven to be popular among the interior design community over the past year or so, despite the controversy that surrounds it. It's not a secret that some people associate the colour to be sad and depressing. Given the fact that it is virtually absent of colour and draws no attention to itself.

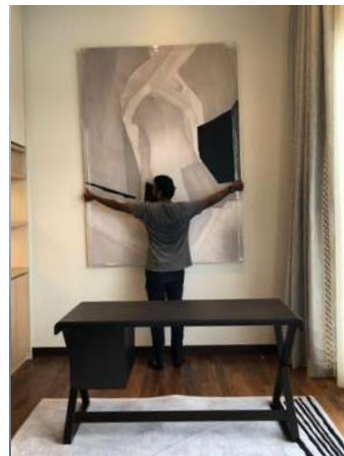
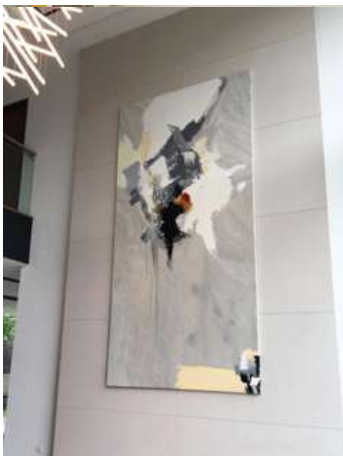
Having said that, grey also colours give stark neutrals a warm uplift of a classy and sophisticated look to emphasise the brightness of a space.

Grey goes with everything so it's the perfect contrast to host vibrant colours as discussed on our previous blog.

If you love the look of beautifully smooth grey and white interior as many interior designers do, then this is a great set of inspirational home designs for you to consider... It is particularly appealing for a living room.



# Grey *Inspirations*



# Think Orange



ORANGE



“BRAVE, SUCCESS, SOCIABLE  
ENTHUSIASM, CREATIVE”

When it comes to making a change and creating a cheerful atmosphere, the color orange is a fantastic choice. It is a vibrant, passionate, and energetic color that brings feelings of warmth and joy. With its association with the sun and fire, orange brings a sense of vitality and enthusiasm to any interior space.

Incorporating orange into your surroundings can instantly uplift mood and create a fun and vibrant ambience. Whether it's through orange accents, such as throw pillows, curtains, or artwork, or by painting a feature wall in a bold shade of orange, this color can make a powerful statement and add a touch of playfulness to your home.

Moreover, orange has the unique ability to stimulate creativity and encourage social interaction. It can be a great color choice for spaces where you want to foster lively conversations and positive energy, such as living rooms or dining areas.



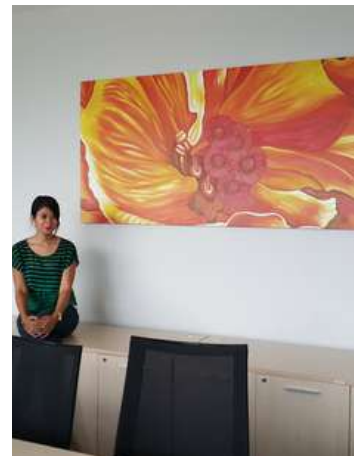


The versatility of light and deep orange tones makes them suitable for any space or interior design style. Incorporating orange oil paintings or accessories like candle holders, floor rugs, or pillow covers adds warmth and positive energy, creating a fashionable and welcoming ambiance.

So, if you're looking to inject some excitement and cheer into your interior space, embrace the fiery and passionate nature of orange. Let it infuse your surroundings with its vibrant energy and create a space that radiates warmth, happiness, and a zest for life.



# Orange *Inspirations*



# Blue Blue Sky



“CALM, **TRUST**, RELIABLE  
CONFIDENT, SECURITY”

Blue is a naturally soothing colour that reminds us of the vast sea that surrounds us and a cloudless sky. Research has shown that this colour can invoke rest and causes the body to produce certain chemicals which result in us feeling calm.

In the hustle and bustle of our daily lives, it's easy to overlook the simple beauty of the clear blue sky. We often find ourselves absorbed in the glow of electronic screens, missing out on the calming effect that the true blue sky can bring. However, taking a few moments each day to appreciate and reconnect with the colour blue can profoundly impact our well-being.

Introducing a light shade of blue into your home office can create a sense of calmness and tranquillity, which can significantly benefit your productivity and overall mood during work hours. From blue decorations and stationery to blue accents on your desk or walls, these subtle touches can help destress and rejuvenate you amidst your work-from-home routine.







# Black and White



“PERFECTION, *light*, SAFE  
POWER, ELEGANCE”

If you're feeling overwhelmed with color choices for your interior space, it might be the perfect time to consider the timeless combination of black and white. The beauty of black and white lies in its simplicity and versatility.

Black and white create a classic and elegant look that can fit into any design style. Whether you prefer a modern, minimalist approach or a traditional, sophisticated ambience, black and white can adapt seamlessly. This monochromatic palette allows you to play with contrasts, textures, and patterns, adding depth and visual interest to your space.

Moreover, black and white provide a clean and crisp backdrop for other elements in your decor. You can easily incorporate pops of colour or metallic accents to create focal points or add a touch of glamour.





A black-and-white palette offers a classic and versatile look for your living area. It can be both sophisticated and modern, allowing for creativity and personalization. You can choose to incorporate other colours or focus on one dominant colour to create your desired effect. It's all about your preferences and the overall aesthetic you want to achieve.

By choosing black and white, you can achieve a stylish and cohesive interior that will never go out of style. It's a safe and sophisticated choice that offers endless possibilities for creativity for personalisation.



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# Black and White

*Inspirations*





Crafting a home you adore requires time and dedication, and my own personal space has been a constant work in progress; always evolving and shifting. It's like a living art project, where I playfully experiment with new ideas and embrace the beauty of imperfection. Every day brings a new chapter in the story of my home—a reflection of my ever-changing tastes and personal journey. It's a cozy haven where I freely express my creativity and surround myself with the things that bring me joy. So, come on in and experience the delightful transformation of my coastal paradise, filled with laughter, warmth, and a sprinkle of whimsy.



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# MY HOME | MY STYLE



*Boho  
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Chic  
Lifestyle*

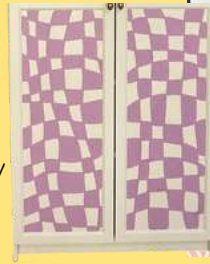


## A CHANGE MAY BE JUST AROUND THE CORNER.

Quite literally! The legendary lounging corner. It's where I shamelessly indulge in the fine art of lazy work (I know it's bad for my back). This corner is also a playground for my fabulous feline squad of five. Picture plush cushions, cosy blankets, and a dash of whimsy that makes the corner come alive.



one of my DIY projects!



## WHAT'S FOR DINNER?

Reality check: if not in arts, my dream would be hosting as a private chef for billionaires in the Hamptons. But hey, I still love having people over (maybe I need more friends, LOL) I've found my true passion in hosting and bringing people together! My dining table overlooking a mesmerizing muted tropical wall art mural, with my favourite whimsical collection of flower girl adds an extra sprinkle of fabulousness.



## WILL YOU BE MY GUEST?

Step into my vintage tropical guest room, where coastal vibes meet tropical charm. It's the perfect spot for a sleepover you won't forget!

QUOTE FROM SARA SHUKRI:



*Designers now will have to create more*

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IMPACTFUL,  
and more UNIQUE,**

*design to the clients individual lifestyle*



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