



MICHAEL ANDERSON

LEAD ZARDOZI ARTISAN

PROFILE

Accomplished Zardozi Artisan with a passion for blending traditional craftsmanship with modern design aesthetics. Renowned for creating stunning handmade pieces that encapsulate cultural narratives and artistic innovation. Extensive experience in collaborating with fashion designers and brands to develop unique embroidered textiles that elevate fashion collections. Proven track record in project management, with the ability to handle multiple projects simultaneously while maintaining high standards of quality and craftsmanship.

EXPERIENCE

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Couture Stitches

2016 - Present

- Directed the embroidery division, overseeing the production of couture garments with Zardozi embellishments.
- Collaborated closely with fashion designers to create exclusive embroidery designs.
- Implemented training programs for junior artisans, enhancing skill sets and production efficiency.
- Established quality assurance protocols that improved client satisfaction ratings.
- Participated in international trade shows, representing the brand and showcasing craftsmanship.
- Managed vendor relationships to ensure the procurement of premium materials.

ZARDOZI CRAFTSMAN

Traditions Embroidery

2014 - 2016

- Created bespoke Zardozi pieces for high-end clients, ensuring meticulous attention to detail.
- Worked with a variety of fabrics and threads, experimenting with textures and patterns.
- Assisted in the development of seasonal collections, contributing innovative embroidery concepts.
- Maintained accurate production records, ensuring timely completion of projects.
- Provided exceptional customer service, building long-term client relationships.
- Conducted market research to stay updated on industry trends and competitor offerings.

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SKILLS

- Zardozi artistry
- design collaboration
- project oversight
- artisan training
- customer engagement
- market analysis

LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish
- French

EDUCATION

DIPLOMA IN FASHION DESIGN, PEARL ACADEMY, 2013

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Earned recognition for innovative designs at the International Embroidery Festival, 2021.
- Increased production output by 40% through streamlined processes.
- Featured in a documentary highlighting traditional artisans and their crafts.