



Navigating the Complexities of Woodwork Stripping & Finishing

[Complete Guide]



What We'll Be Covering

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 - **Going from Stain to Paint**
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Types of Projects

New Interior Wood

- Casework
 - Door and Window Jambs
 - Crown Molding
 - Baseboard Molding
- Windows and Doors
- Wainscoting
- Paneling

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Types of Projects

Existing Interior Wood

- Strip paint to Stain
- Strip varnish and stain to Restain
- Freshen and Clean up - light sand and revarnish
- Evaluating condition of the wood - x-factors

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Types of Projects

Going from Stain to Paint

- Pros and Cons
 - Cost
 - Aesthetic decision as part of Interior Design Vision

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Types of Projects

Process

- Light Sand, Clean surface
- Deep Sand to strip off all varnish
- Deeper sand to lighten up or removed some of the existing stain
 - Cannot typically go from dark to light stain unless a full strip is performed
 - Using a wood bleach can effectively remove all stain and reset the wood

ECO Friendly Process

Process

- Create safety and Peace of Mind for our Homeowner and Interior Designer clients and our workers
- Use EPA LEAD Safe Certified firms, like Arana Craftsman Painters

United States Environmental Protection Agency

This is to certify that



Arana Craftsman Painters

has fulfilled the requirements of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 402, and has received certification to conduct lead-based paint renovation, repair, and painting activities pursuant to 40 CFR Part 745.89

In the Jurisdiction of:

All EPA Administered States, Tribes, and Territories

This certification is valid from the date of issuance and expires March 09, 2021

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Certification #

February 23, 2016

Issued On



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michelle Price".

Michelle Price, Chief

Lead, Heavy Metals, and Inorganics Branch

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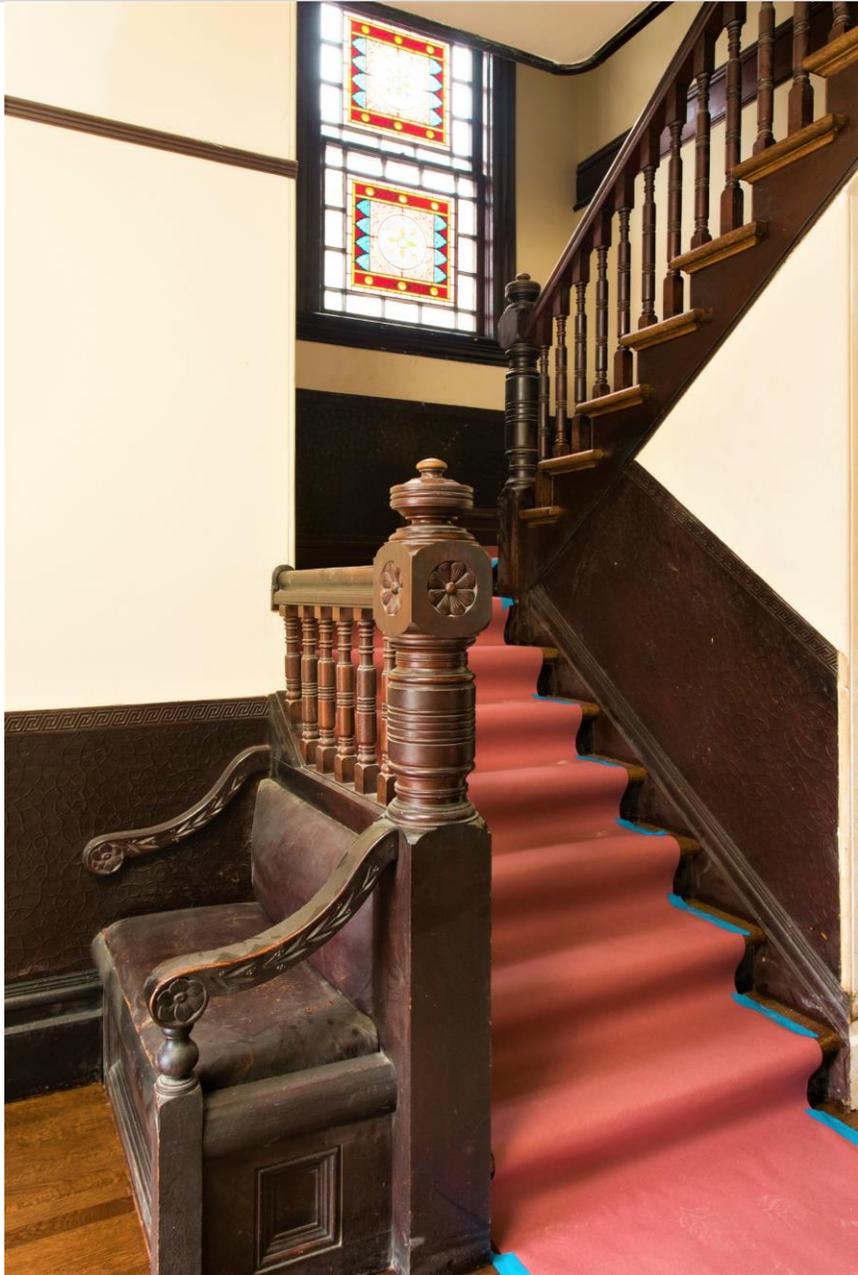
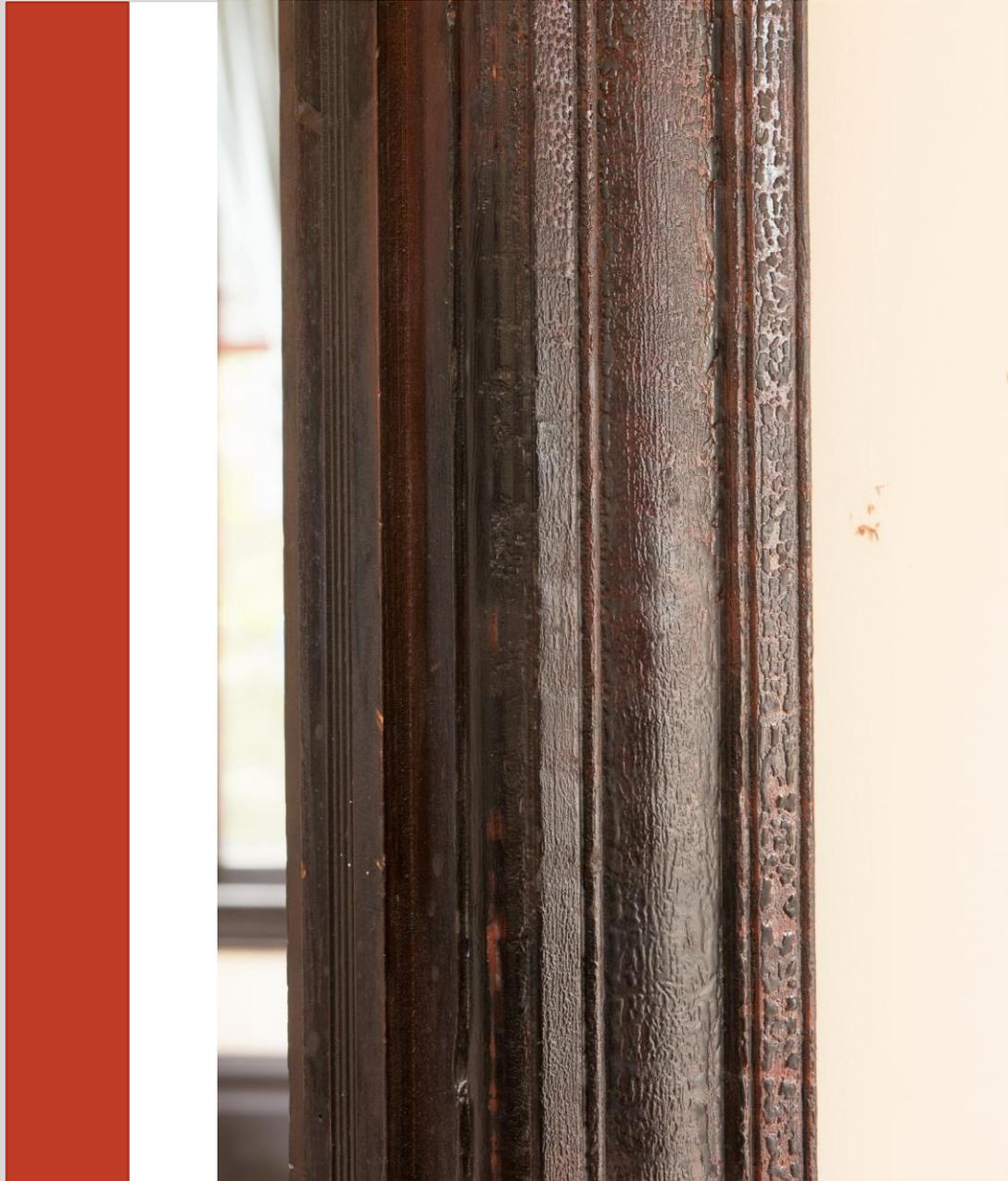
Process

- **EPA Lead Safe Job Practices During Preparation**
- Mask environment
 - Cover all surfaces with canvas drops and then with heavy plastic
 - All foliage will be covered by lightweight breathable drops
- All sanding will be done using the latest model Festool HEPA sanders
 - Use of this sander will virtually eliminate any circulation of dust. All dust and debris is disposed of properly off site
 - During preparation process we will continuously run the Dustless Brand HEPA Vacuum to scrub the air
- A thorough cleanup will be done by removing and properly disposing of all plastic sheeting and masking
 - Wash all surfaces
 - Careful inspection of all surfaces and work areas for sign off

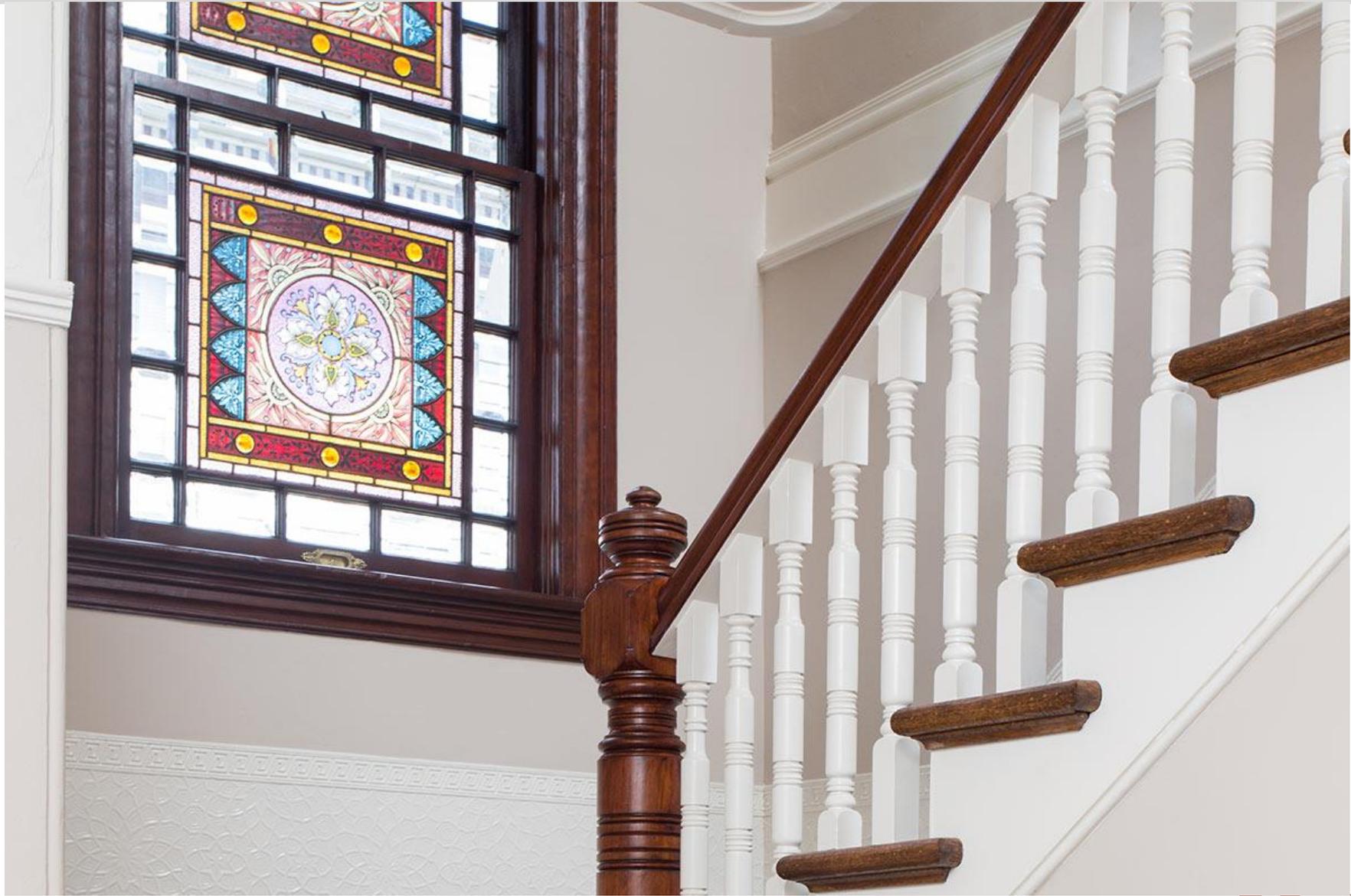
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The Right Tools - Dust Free Sanding and HEPA Vacs





























Conclusion

Arana Designer Solutions - 2020 promises to be an exciting year!

What special things does Arana Craftsman Painters do to support our Interior Design Partners?

- When you collaborate with Arana Craftsman Painters, our number one goal is to make your life easier
- **Designer Retreats:** for high level referral design partners, we provide annual staff retreat resources. Retreat or spa stays so that you can regenerate your creativity
- **Onsite or phone painting technical support** on complex project challenges such as: color design, composition and trends; best products for cabinet finishing; woodwork stripping and refinishing. Just ask us! Arana company principles have over 100 years of combined experience

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INTERIORS

“ Arana holds the vision for our projects - a quality that is paramount to our success. We are only as good as the vendors we work with and Arana is one of our most trusted allies. ”

LAURA MARTIN BOVARD,
INTERIOR DESIGNER



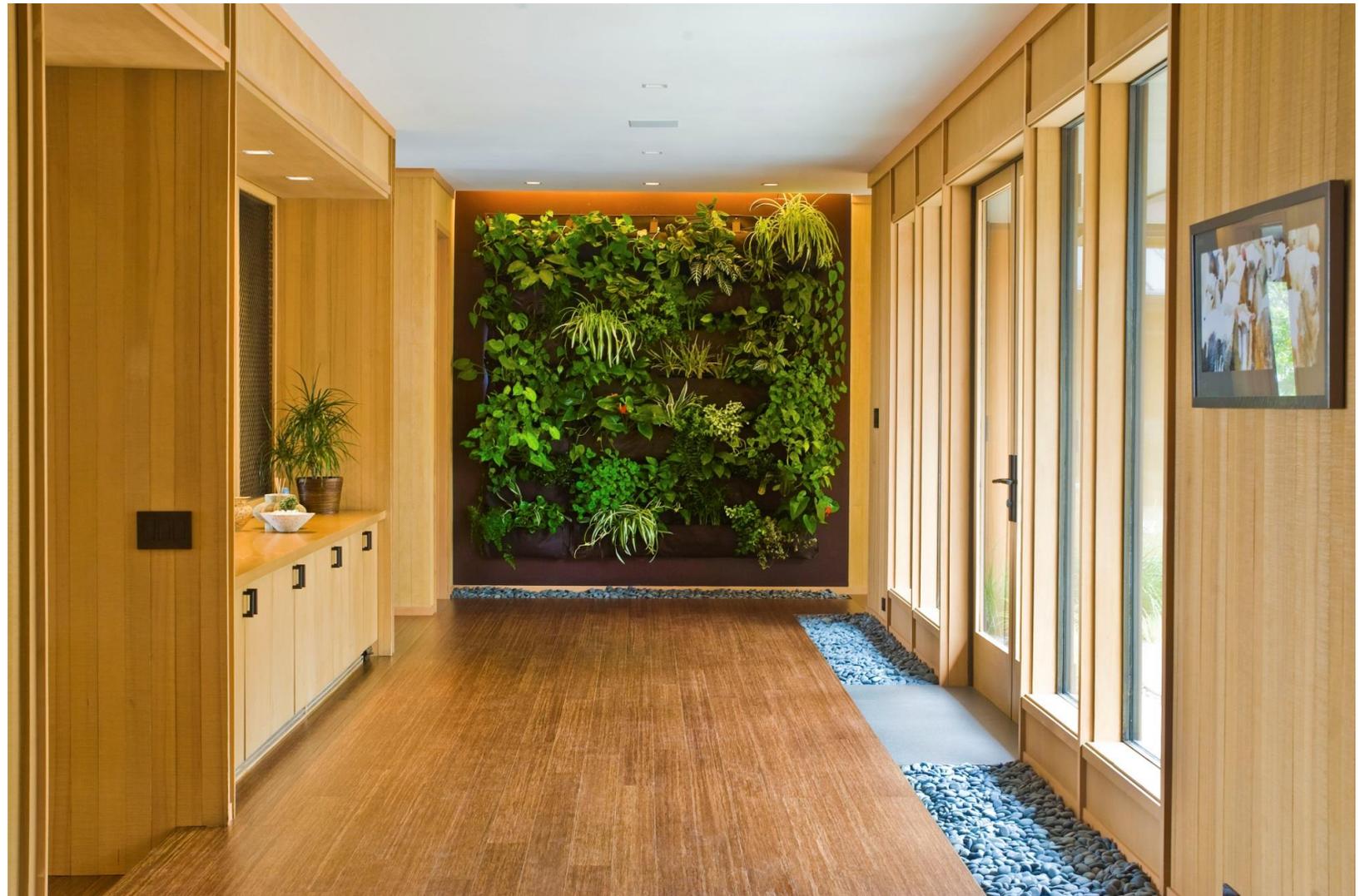
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“ Arana has been painting for our general contracting company for several years. They provide excellent work with personal service. Whether interior or exterior, residential or commercial, they are highly recommended. I used them to paint my own house, which, as a contractor, is my highest praise. ”

MICHAEL MCCUTCHEON,
MCCUTCHEON CONSTRUCTION



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Arana Designer Solutions

Arana Craftsman Painters promotes our Interior Design Partners at every opportunity

- Arana has a **well managed marketing presence**
- We constantly promote our design partners through our mailed newsletter, social media, and our website blog. ***We love Instagram!*** We're also developing publishing channels in several high-profile magazines with a primary intent of promoting our high-level referral design partners
- **Strong community presence:** Oakland Magazine Best Bay Area Painting Contractor 2019, nominated in 2018, 2017, 2016
- **Piedmont Heart of the Home Tour** project participant 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

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