

Ilona Dearden Art and Props Assistant

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EDUCATION

Art Department Art and Props Assistant Course (Completed Jan 2023)

University of Surrey Guildford School of Acting (2015-2018)

BA (Hons) Theatre Production graduation with First Class Honours
Also Awarded the

SKILLS

- Scenic Painting
- Spraving
- Drawing
- Machine Sewing
- Hand Sewing
- Auto CAT
- Adobe Photoshop
- IPAF Training Mobile Vertical
- IPAF Training Mobile Boom
- Valid Driving License

REFERENCE

Sara Knight Supervisor Scenic Painter skscenic@gmail.com

Milly Dagnall Scenic Painter milly1201@hotmail.co.uk

PROFILE/PERSONAL DETAILS

Ilona Dearden is a creative person with a fun, polite and caring demeanour. Having worked as a Scenic Painter for the past four years within Film, Theatre and Events, she has collected an array of knowledge within the creative industry. Ilona also has a background in Set designing for theatre, and very much enjoyed being a part of the process from beginning to end. She wishes to bring forward her creative experience into the Art Department. She thinks she would be best suited within the Sec Dec or Props team within the Art Department, but is keen to start as an Assistant and see what path intrigues her in the future. She is based in Guildford, Surrey, she is happy to travel to London and local areas.

SCENIC PAINTER FOR FILM

Oct 2021-March. Aug 2022- Sept 2022

Winston Sugar • Netflix • Hedgehog Construction • Dir. Wes Anderson

April 2022 – June 2022

Never Let me Go • Disney • Hedgehog Construction •

June – Sept 2021

Bad Sisters • Apple TV • Hedgehog Construction • Dir. Dearbhla Walsh

May 2021

Men • A24 • Hedgehog Construction • Dir. Alex Garland

May - June 2021

Persuasion • Netflix • Hedgehog Construction • Dir. Carrie Cracknell

RECENT SCENIC PAINTING FOR THEATRE AND EVENTS

Nov 2022

A Christmas Carol • The Rose Theatre, Kingston • Clockwork Scenery

Oct 2022

Putt Club Crazy Golf • Eastleigh • Clockwork Scenery

June 2022

Mitchum Festival Stand Tour • Junction •

SET DESIGN FOR THEATRE

Sept 2019- Nov 2019

 $\it Murder\ in\ the\ Cathedral$ • Set and Costume Design • Southward, Oxford and Guildford Cathedral •

April – June 2018

Daisy Pulls it Off • Set and Costume Design • Charing Cross Theatre•

SET DRESSING

Nov 2019

Madame Mezmer's Bizarre Bazaar • Swamp Motel • London