



BENJAMIN COLLINS

Professional Painter

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KEY SKILLS

- Spray application (airless, HVLP, conventional)
- Epoxy and urethane floor coatings
- Venetian plaster and lime wash
- Wood staining and lacquer
- Blueprint reading and takeoffs
- Crew leadership (2 to 4 painters)
- Boom and scissor lift operation
- EPA RRP, OSHA 10
- Estimating support
- Color matching

ABOUT ME

Journeyman painter with 7 years on commercial interiors, multi-family, and high-end residential. Strong in spray application, faux finishes, and wood staining. Run small crews and read prints to pull material counts.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Journeyman Painter

Lakeshore Commercial Coatings, Milwaukee, WI | 2021 - Present

- Painted interiors on 3 mid-rise apartment buildings totaling 142 units over 18 months
- Sprayed epoxy floor coatings in warehouses and back-of-house kitchen areas
- Took off material from blueprints for bids ranging from \$6,200 to \$74,000
- Mentored 2 apprentices on rolling technique and sprayer maintenance
- Worked from boom lifts and scissor lifts; current operator card on file

Painter

North Avenue Custom Finishes, Milwaukee, WI | 2018 - 2021

- Refinished trim, doors, and built-ins in custom homes in the \$1.2M to \$3M range
- Applied glazes, lime wash, and Venetian plaster on accent walls for designer clients
- Stained and lacquered cabinets in pre-finish shop, batching about 18 doors per day
- Coordinated with general contractors on schedule and punch list close-out

Apprentice Painter

Cream City Painters, Milwaukee, WI | 2017 - 2018

- Completed first-year apprenticeship hours on residential repaints and exteriors
- Built skill in cut-in, rolling, and prep across roughly 70 jobs
- Earned EPA RRP and OSHA 10 cards during this period

EDUCATION

Painters & Allied Trades Apprenticeship Certificate, IUPAT Local 781, 2021

Aerial Lift Operator Certification, 2022

