

HAIR AND BEAUTY DVD FVS074

General Information

Hair and Beauty Diploma website: www.habia.org
 Freelance Hair and Beauty Federation www.fhbf.org.uk
 Assoc. of Beauty Therapy & Cosmetology www.babtac.com

Earnings Guide

£	£10,000
££	£20,000
£££	£30,000
££££	£35,000+
£££££	£50,000+

Hair and Wig Artist [M90]

Earning: ££

Gemma (24) leads the team that maintain the hair and wigs of Madame Tussauds waxworks. She starts at 7.30 am. every day in order to check the condition of the waxworks before the visitors arrive. She is able to do quick 'tidy-ups' in situ or, if more work is necessary, take the waxworks to the studio. Gemma trained as a hair stylist to NVQ Level 3 and learned specialist skills when she joined Madame Tussauds. Her favourite subject at school was history and she enjoys recreating extravagant period hairstyles. 5'39

Further information:

www.madametussauds.com Gemma's employer
www.thewigacademy.co.uk The Wig Academy

Gemma's qualifications: NVQ Level 3

Reception Supervisor [M86]

Earning: ££

Lee (24) works at Urban Retreat, Harrods looking after the clientele and liaising with staff in the hair and beauty salon. He started on the telesales team and progressed to the reception desk which he now manages. Customer services skills and a professional manner are essential for working in this environment and all reception staff must be familiar with the treatments available in the salon. Lee would like to have his own business one day. 4'50

Further information:

www.urbanretreat.co.uk Lee's employer
www.cfa.uk.com Council for Administration

Lee's qualifications: GCSEs

Beauty Therapist [M78]

Earning: £££

Emma (29) did a 3-year course in Beauty Studies and then did further training in aromatherapy and other treatments. The skills have enabled her to work on cruise ships and in 5-star hotels. She now operates from a beauty salon and enjoys the opportunity to build up relationships with clients – both male and female. She feels it is important to want to help people. 5'35

Further information:

www.frontlinestyle.co.uk Emma's employer
www.beautyguild.com The Beauty Guild

Emma's qualifications: NVQ Level plus courses in specialist treatments

Barber [M94]

Earning: ££

Matt (24) went to college and trained as a barber to NVQ Level 2. He started off self-employed (chair rental in another barbers) but he has recently started his own business, *Lads and Dads*. As well as discussing his work as a barber he talks about different aspects of running a business and his long-term objective to have several premises. He emphasises the importance of people skills and creating a good atmosphere. 5'17

Further information:

www.fhbf.org.uk Freelance Hair and Beauty Federation
www.businesslink.gov.uk Business Link

Matt's qualifications NVQ Level 2

Hair Stylist [M21]

Earning: ££-£££

Harriet (20) left school after gaining good GCSEs. She sent her CV to leading London salons and, through perseverance, gained a job as trainee and PA to top stylist Nicky Clarke. The work could be glamorous but was extremely demanding. After she had finished her training she went back to her home town has built up an impressive client base. 5'19

Further information:

www.rightoverthetop.co.uk Where Harriet works
www.nickyclarke.com Where Harriet trained

Harriet's qualification: GCSEs and in-house training

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PR and Marketing Assistant - M87

Stylist - M130