

# **GUIDELINES ON MURAL PAINTING**

### A. PRELIMINARY CONDITIONS

- 1. Proposal for Mural Painting to be submitted to the Development Division for preliminary approval. The proposal shall include the followings:
  - a) Recommendation from the Dean/Director/Principal of Mahallah and RSD (whichever relevant)
  - b) Written permission from the relevant building owner (K/C/D/I/O)
  - c) Proposed artwork design
  - d) Proposed location
  - e) Work programme
  - f) Method of statement
  - g) List of team members
- 2. For prominent area, the artwork design must be approved by the University Management Committee.

### B. GUIDELINES

1. This guideline shall be read together with the Guidelines for Repainting Works outlined by the Development Division, IIUM.

### B1. Location

- 1. The location where murals to be painted/displayed should:
  - i) Enhance the overall environment and pedestrian streetscape experience
  - ii) Create a place of congregation and activity
  - iii) Not become a visual distraction
  - iv) Not disrupts the site's landscaping
  - v) Save and free from potential maintenance problems
  - vi) Free from any water seepage from roof or ground level
  - vii) Should not overwhelm the adjacent architecture or become a visual distraction

# **B2.** Theme / Design Criteria

- 1. Should have artistic and aesthetic value, creative and quality
- 2. Designs must be scaled to fit the proportions of the location
- 3. The mural concept must be appropriate for the location
- 4. Colours should be complimentary and harmonious with the exterior colours of the building structure as well as consistent with the chosen theme
- 5. Neon, fluorescent, or reflective type colours are prohibited

- 6. No logos or slogans link to advertisements
- 7. Should not touch on sensitive issues like race and religion
- 8. No overly complicated designs that may confuse the community
- 9. Should not destroy the building walls or structure
- 10. Should not involve structure / sculpture and any art in the form of 3 dimensions (3D)
- 11. Materials used must be long-lasting and graffiti resistant to the greatest extent possible
- 12. Maintain safety aspects at all times

# C. UPON COMPLETION

- 1. All paint marks left on other surfaces shall be removed and cleaned by the applicants.
- 2. Any stain or marking on finished paintwork shall be removed and touched up by the applicants.
- 3. The Development Division to be notified upon completion for inspection and all works carried out shall be to the satisfaction of the Development Division.

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