

- 2 Read about a company that deals with art in the workplace. Choose the best word to fill each of the gaps from A, B, C or D.



Executive Art World

EAW was (1) _____ in 2013, and has since become an industry leader in sourcing and commissioning paintings, statues and other contemporary artworks (2) _____ over the last decade. Company CEO, Amber Owen, is herself a (3) _____ artist as well as a business executive working at senior management level in the hotel and catering industry for most of her career. Ten years ago, Amber decided to make the move: 'My aim for EAW was to combine my two greatest passions by matching my love for stunning art with the needs and (4) _____ of the customer.'

EAW has experience working with clients in every sector of business and finding artworks to suit people from board level to the factory floor. Clients can (5) _____ from blue chip companies with multi-million dollar budgets to small boutique shops who can rent art on a weekly basis for as little as £20 a week.

Amber Owen first set up the company with her savings and outside (6) _____ who recognised her talent and the opportunity in the office décor market. Now, with a (7) _____ of 15 full-time staff and freelance consultants, Amber feels EAW offers a (8) _____ combination of specialist art knowledge, brand awareness and tailor-made service. From the largest reception area installation to a set of prints in a restaurant, her (9) _____ is to help the clients enhance their brand and business with artworks. 'For me, art should be something public, not something (10) _____ away in empty art galleries. And by working with professional artists in partnership with discerning clients, we also (11) _____ that about three quarters of our work comes from referrals and (12) _____ business.'

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| 1 A founded | B set | C since | D built |
| 2 A international | B worldwide | C around | D country |
| 3 A training | B practising | C managing | D operating |
| 4 A tastes | B reaction | C behaviour | D habits |
| 5 A buy | B supply | C range | D wide |
| 6 A investment | B bankers | C financial | D investors |
| 7 A department | B building | C team | D unit |
| 8 A original | B mix | C brand | D unique |
| 9 A scope | B aim | C outcome | D line |
| 10 A moved | B hidden | C sold | D gone |
| 11 A ensure | B allow | C let | D secure |
| 12 A new | B rental | C reply | D repeat |