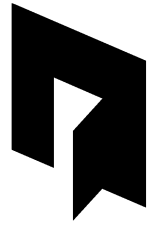


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To Whom It May Concern:

Toronto Community Housing (TCHC) is one of the largest social housing providers in North America, providing housing to over 164,000 families, seniors, singles and special needs tenants. We are committed to healthy communities, equity and a strong learning culture.

Toronto Community Housing Corporation is committed to children and youth programs that are inclusive, child and youth-centered, innovative and well run, and founded on youth development principles. One of the strategies of the Children and Youth section is to leverage resources that ensure that the children and youth of TCHC have access to resources and opportunities available in the broader community.

David Kibuuka founder of "Modern Batik Art Painting" facilitated the Creative Arts internship for 6 young people who reside in our communities. His excellent techniques were well presented and easily learnt by the participants. Kibuuka has a genuine interest in passing on these skills to our youth in hopes that they nurture it just as he did when he learnt it from his brother. He is known for his art internationally as well as its unique style and technique.

We at TCHC are quite pleased that David could work with our young people and pass on this technique and mastery. We will support Modern Batik Art Workshops in the future, because it has provided our youth living in TCHC neighbourhoods the opportunity and exposure to use and develop their skills in creating art, running workshops, learn how to make their skills and talent marketable.

Yours truly  
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