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## Wig Making and Styling: A Complete Guide for Theatre & Film



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Top off that costume with an ideal accoutrement with this first real guide to creating and styling costume wigs.color Other great features include: -Versatile ways to create all different historical hairstyles -Suggestions on altering existing wigs and creating wigs from scratch -Multiple methods and solutions to solving wig-making complications and needs -Information about the sector, including history and guidelines Filled with inspirational and directive photos, this publication will groom anyone from novice to professional stylist right into a qualified wig designer.illustrations and in-depth directions \* figure out how to work with wigs based on time periods specific to your production \* develop your skills with the only guide designed for wigs and hairlots of No more how about to comb through older references on hairstyles of different time periods, Wig Making and Design contains all you need to be a trim above, offering snippets on styling tools, hair types, wig making and measuring, coloring, cutting, and also creating beards and toupees.\* inspire your artistic capability with



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The Bible for Wig Makers & Superb Reference Book, I already own a copy of the first edition, a paperbound book, and also the e-book edition. I wear a hair system to cover over my balding mind and was wondering what was involved in making a hair system; as a result, I purchased this book after doing an online evaluation of books on wig making. Just what a treasure this publication is for anyone curious about about wig making, as well as someone who actually really wants to perform it. I was so influenced by the documentation that I in fact purchased all the tools needed (canvas head, good quality lace, human locks, ventilating tools and a fine scissors). I watched many youtube videos (as well as the types by Ruskai and group on the website) and started ventilating my lace cap. It took a while for me to obtain the hang of it but I completely enjoyed making my own toupee. It looks as effective as the ones I purchased from a wig maker. I'll most likely continue making my own toups from this point on. The one thing i think would get this to book better is an accompanying dvd showing more techniques instantly, and more websites/sources to actually buy tools and lace and hair from. I talked extensively with Gabriel at De Meo brothers in NJ, suppliers of top quality locks and lace netting for professionals in the film sector and the theatre, and he agreed that this is THE book you need to get in order to proceed with this venture. I love that this edition is now in hard cover that is wire bound (Wire O Binding).. Leading is not bound to the hard cover at all. This enables the reader to open the book so that it lies totally flat on your own work surface. The book, combined with the author's brief vids, and consumer uploaded vids on youtube are all you need to figure out how to make/build/restoration/knot lace wigs. I would give it six celebrities if I could.. Absolutely fascinating and lovely. It's a fantastic book to learn everything you need to learn to complete assembling your project. Plus, this would lead to a very much sturdier binding that will last much longer compared to the Cable O binding.. You've gotta shop around though, cuz many people sell the exact same things, some very reasonably, and some tag prices up dramatically to create a larger profit. I suggest getting the next Quantity for comprehensive styling methods through the age range (I purchased Victorian to provide), as this book focuses even more on the essential foundations of caring for, washing, storing, steaming and actually building wigs.! I was a bit put off by the price of this reserve but I believe it is value the amount of money.. This is achieved by gluing the last, solid page of the book onto the weighty, glossy back again cover so the whole publication is held onto the cover by way of the last page.. Wonderfully detailed photos and description of the ventilation process and also many other techniques and terms used in the business. A thorough text that I plan to refer to a lot in the future. I also recommend Allison Lowery's other two additional texts entitled Historical Wig Styling. Totally fascinating -- the walk through of steps to make wigs also indirectly explains why they are so ridiculously expensive to buy pre-made. Excellent Book I ordered this reserve because I would like to learn how to add locks to a lace best wig and instructional material is scarce. This book demonstrate step by step with pictures how to make a wig. It explains ventilating and wefting.! Filled with beautiful pictures! There's also a awesome section on building wigs with cage bases and finding jobs.A better way of binding this publication would be to use a spiral (rather than Cable O) binding that penetrates holes in the front and back covers, making it impossible for both to separate. Oh Yeah Amazing book! Wonderfully detailed photos and description of the ventilation process as . This book is quite straightforward and methodical, and includes a lot of pictures to help visualize the methods it explains. It had taken me awhile to re-join the two and I did so damage some of the holes. Outstanding Outstanding book on wigs and wig making. An excellent Publication to understand wig making! Great textbook for wigmaking! For anyone truly interested in actually making/building/repairing lace wigs, this reserve is a treasure! I was actually a little surprised

that it goes into such detailed depth with regards to not merely wigmaking, but the rest of the kinds of hairpieces and how they are made and when to utilize them (when employed in theater or television). The pictures are all apparent, and well lit. There's even a few very brief companion videos on an accompanying site displaying knotting and sewing methods. Everything had a need to know to begin with in the world of wigs. In order to prevent this from taking place again, I'll run a wire to completely close over the gap in the Cable O binding at the back of the book where in fact the pages may escape. Extremely excited to dig into this book. I will not repeat all of the good feedback others have made upon this superb reserve, but will emphasize that it has a lot of clearly written directions, excellent illustrations and good references. Five Stars Love it! It could be hard to find all the tools/materials you need for wigmaking in a single spot, so i've acquired to piece my package together from several different places, including ebay. Phenomenal read and sets you on the right course for professional wig building...So in a nutshell, i would definitely recommend this reserve. It's like the "textbook" of wigmaking. HOWEVER, be very careful not to turn the front cover back again onto the back cover (as if you would with some spiral bound docs) as this will cause the book to totally distinct from the hard cover. It has all about the different types of laces and hair and needles. It's like my brand-new bible for ventilating. This book is written by two people that have years of experience making and looking after wigs. Worth the price Looks full of good info! Must buy Great book Five Stars Good product! Five Stars Great book and lots of beautiful pictures to assist you with styling and information. They photos are excellent, the different methods are great and they really get into great fine detail in the artwork of earning theatrical and non-theatrical wigs.. Looks full of good info! I've rarely read a reserve on any subject matter that was as clearly and expertly created. It demonstrates how to take measurements when coming up with custom wigs. It could not look as wonderful as today's binding, nonetheless it would permit someone to completely open up that book therefore only one page is viewed at a time. The author makes references to 1 website in particular, which i visited, and there's very little actually on the site, sent them a contact, to that i never received a reply. I personally was up to speed with the majority of the chapters, but there have been amazing details about adding lacefront to hardfront wigs and ventilating/lace and hair direction and head measurements and tracings, just what was longing for and required! Great undesired facial hair chapter and design chapter .: )



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