



"If I had an unlimited budget... I'd extend my unit to create space for more fabulous New Zealand pictures"

And because they were made by a friend, they'll always be significant.

My biggest interiors disaster was... a secondhand lamp I bought online. It was a nightmare – it was cheap and tacky, very different to the pictures. I'm far more careful when purchasing on the internet these days!

I am a big fan of... mid-century design. I love the clean lines and the fact that it's a little bit unexpected.

When it comes to colour, I go for... a neutral base, then add splashes of colour.

My best bargain is... my dining chairs. They were left by the previous tenant, so I spray-painted them and covered them with black velvet seat pads. I love them!

My best investment was... my David Trubridge lightshade, which I bought for myself as a 30th birthday present. I'd wanted it for such a long time.

I'll never part with... the art journals I keep next to my bed. They contain all my ideas and doodles, and things I find inspirational.

The quirkiest thing in my home is... the Frances Hansen painting above my bed. It's a framed vintage picture offset inside another framed picture. People often comment on it – it's quite kitsch.

I'm obsessed with collecting... New Zealand artworks. My art is my favourite thing in my home."