

October 5, 2019: Fall Field Trip Bus Tour Takes Members On Fiber Art Adventure!

Who: Innovations in Textiles 2019 and Surface Design Association are teaming up to offer you a day of gallery hopping by Bus Tour! See contemporary Fiber Art, have lunch, then explore more without the hassle of parking.

What: Choose one of five Bus Tours. See below for tour description. Tours last 7 hours and include lunch.

When and Where: October 5, departure is between 9-10 a.m. from the Clayton Plaza Hotel, 7750 Carondelet. Departure times vary by bus.

Cost: Register through Surface Design Association's website, use Coupon Code IT19PARTNER to save \$15. This special Coupon Code is for YOU because you're a member of our organization. Public's cost is \$75. YOUR cost is \$60!

Sign up: Register through Surface Design Association:
<https://www surfacedesign.org/events-exhibits/conferences/conference2019/>
Bus Tour Registrations close September 1.

INNOVATION IN TEXTILES EXHIBITS BUS TOUR ROUTES

ORANGE BUS (A) - Student /Educator- Edwardsville:

Features exhibits, a panel discussion, and the opening reception for *Future Tense 2019*. Work offers insight by artist/educators, a glimpse into the future of fiber art and work by SDA members.

- *Teach/Taught: Fiber Art Educators*, Meramec Contemporary Art Gallery - St. Louis Community College Meramec
- SDA's *Small Works*, all member exhibition, Webster University's Arcade Contemporary Art Projects Gallery
- SDA Panel Discussion: Figuring It Out: Truths of Being Successful with Rena Wood, Jennifer Reis and Catherine Reinhart; moderated by Andrea Vail. Focus is on students and emerging artists. All are welcome.
- *Future Tense 2019*, SDA's Annual Student Juried Exhibition, Edwardsville Art Center

NOTE: this tour involves walking

BLUE BUS (B) - Downtown

Features exhibits with interesting variety from contemporary quilts, fiber art, and avant-garde fashion to new paths of textile explorations.

- SDA's *Small Works*, all member exhibition, Webster University's Arcade Contemporary Art Projects Gallery
- *It's Not You, It's Me: A Declaration of Independence*, The Sheldon Art Galleries

- *The Quintessential Quilt*, Circle in the Square Quilters Guild plus permanent collection; University City Public Library
- *Fidencio Martinez-Perez: Cuttings*, Craft Alliance Center of Art + Design
- *Not My Usual Go To!* The Parish Gallery, Trinity Episcopal Church

NOTE: this tour involves walking 1 block.

RED BUS (C) - Downtown

Features exhibits with an exciting variety of textile techniques and fiber art including altered surfaces, contemporary quilts and rare historic kimonos.

- *RE: Surfaced, Weavers' Guild* of St. Louis, Fontbonne University Gallery of Art
- *The Quintessential Quilt*, Circle in the Square Quilters Guild plus permanent collection; University City Public Library
- SDA's *Small Works*, all member exhibition, Webster University's Arcade Contemporary Art Projects Gallery
- *Fiber Focus 2019*, Art Saint Louis
- *Japanese Meisen Kimono & Needle Festival Tributes*, Horsley Arts

YELLOW BUS (D) - St. Charles

Features a presentation and exhibits where the work stretches your imagination through all dimensions of textiles & fiber explorations; 3-D, on the wall, and suspended from the ceiling.

- Mildred Lane Kemper Art Museum, with presentation
- *Quilt National 2019*, Foundry Art Center
- *MOFA Tall & Skinny*, Foundry Art Center
- *Bits Art Quilters Exhibit*, Bluebird Park
- *Work of Kelsey Wilshusen*, The Monday Club, Webster Groves

NOTE: this tour involves walking 1 block

GREEN BUS (E) - St. Charles

Features galleries where the work stretches your imagination through all dimensions of textiles & fiber explorations; 3-D, on the wall, and suspended from the ceiling.

- *Sun Smith-Foret: Trans Tribal Sculptures*, "Ethan Meyer: Solar Temple,"
- "Rebecca Hutchinson: Navigating Borders." Duane Reed Gallery
- *Paper & Thread: Dreams are Made of These* - Deann Rubin and Betty Shew, Norton's Fine Art & Framing
- *Quilt National 2019*, Foundry Art Center
- *MOFA Tall & Skinny*, Foundry Art Center
- *Not in My Comfort Zone*, St. Charles County Arts Council's Lillian Yahn Gallery

The Fine Print:

- Tours last 7 hours and include lunch.
- Departure is between 9-10am from the Clayton Plaza Hotel; departure times vary by bus.
- SDA will work to match you with your Tour choice. If a bus doesn't fill, you'll be assigned to a different bus.

- You'll receive confirmation end of September/first of October.