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ARCHITECTURALLY INSPIRED
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DELICATELY STITCHED



IT'S ALL IN THE DETAILS! THE PLANS FOR Q.U.I.L.T. Inc.

Nature in Plastics Workshop (all day)

Here's a creative way to help clean up our planet: make art from single-use plastic bags. Just collect them for a few weeks and you'll discover a myriad of colors, thicknesses, patterns and textures available to you. With Natalya's guidance, you'll make art inspired by nature from said plastic bags. She will show you how to prepare the plastic, cut it and stitch it by hand and machine. You will experiment with different substrates and finishes, and create an artwork like no other.

Techniques and skills covered in class: composition, collage, hand stitching and basic embroidery, machine thread sketching, finishing, alternative display ideas.

Supply list: a collection of single-use plastic bags (various colors, sizes, thicknesses and patterns, and Natalya will have more on hand), sewing machine (no need for special needles), sharp paper scissors, various sewing machine and hand stitching threads, needles for hand stitching, thimble if used. Natalya will provide interfacing.

Fruit a la Faberge Workshop (half day)

Make a bejeweled object d'art a la Faberge! A contribution to a lovely display for your holiday table or a perfect gift in just a few hours. This workshop will take you from getting your hands into paint to fine finger dexterity of learning to manipulate glass seed beads.

A styrofoam fruit base, acrylic paint, brushes and sponges, seed beads and pins will be provided to each student. You'll learn a bit of faux painting and sparkly creative embellishment! There is a \$15 materials fee per student for this class. Bring a smock to keep your clothes clean and latex gloves if you don't want to get your hands dirty. A thimble may be helpful for beading.

Alternative Stitching Practices Lecture

What can you stitch on? Just about everything! Natalya will show examples which will motivate you and inspire you, sharing details of the pleasures and occasional pitfalls of working with each. This lecture will broaden your understanding of what you can use in your art.

A darkened room, a projector and a screen will be needed.

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