



IMPROVISATIONAL PATCHWORK WORKSHOP WITH BARB MORTELL

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 8, 10AM-5PM

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 9, 10AM-5PM

Join Barb Mortell for a two-day workshop inspired by the approach of Nancy Crow. Barb will guide participants in explorations of line and colour. At the end of the workshop participants will have completed a small quilt top that can serve as a jumping off point for more study.

Participants are asked to bring their own sewing machine, rotary cutting mat and cutter, sharp scissors, thread, seam ripper and sketchbook. All fabric will be provided. Some sewing machines are available for this workshop - please request at time of registration.

Advanced purchase required as space is limited

Tickets: General \$350; Member \$325

Please email events@textilemuseum.ca with questions or to request a sewing machine

Register at textilemuseum.ca/programs or call 416-599-5321 x2234

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SUMMER ACTIVITIES

TEXTILE TEACH-INS: FLOATWORK WEAVING

SATURDAY JULY 14, 1-4PM

WEDNESDAY JULY 25, 5:30-7:30PM

Our Textile Teach-in series continues in July with a workshop on Floatwork (commonly known as overshot) weaving. This program is inspired by the coverlets that are featured in *Crosscurrents: Canada in the Making*.

- Learn to read floatwork patterns and design your own
- Weave historic patterns on card looms (or try your own design!)
- One-on-one floatwork weaving lessons at the table loom

Open to all ages and skill levels!

Free with admission (Admission by donation on Wednesdays after 5pm)

THREAD JOURNEYS

EVERY WEDNESDAY IN JULY AND AUGUST

1-4PM, FIBRESPACE (2ND FLOOR)

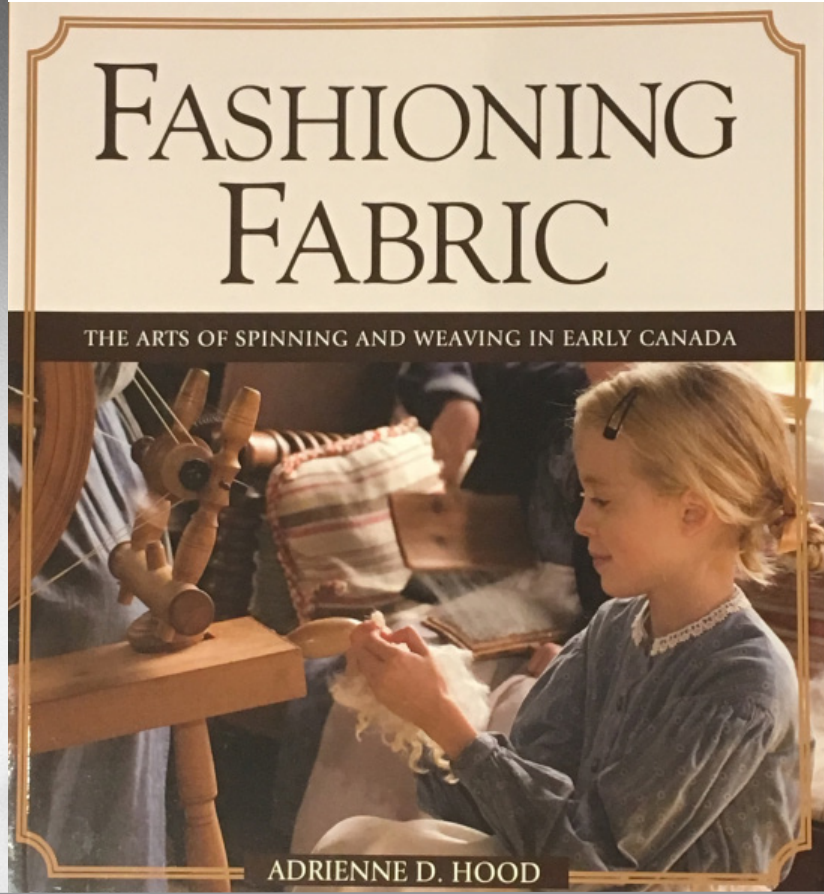
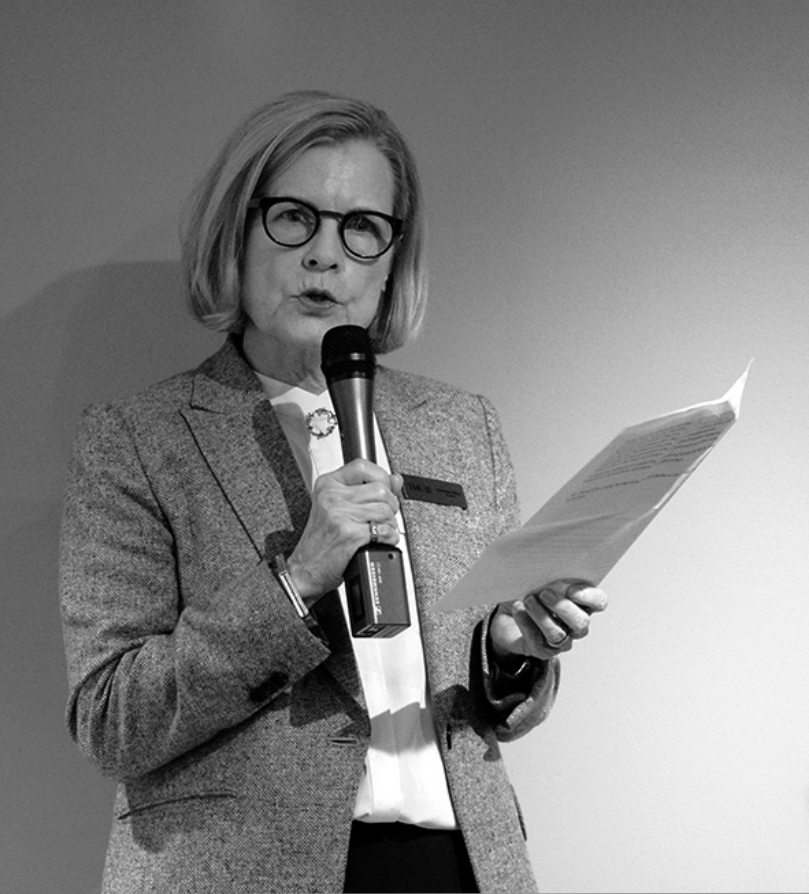
Explore textile techniques in this family-friendly drop-in every Wednesday afternoon in July and August. Each week explore textile techniques that have been shared across generations in Canada, including spinning, weaving and quilting.

Suitable for children 5 and up; children must be accompanied by an adult.

Free with admission

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**All summer activities are FREE with
admission to the museum!**



TRADITIONS AND TRANSITIONS: SEMINAR ON THE HISTORY OF CANADIAN SPINNING AND WEAVING

WITH DR ADRIENNE HOOD

WEDNESDAY JULY 25, 6-7PM

Join Dr. Adrienne Hood—Associate Professor of History (Graduate) at the University of Toronto, textile scholar, and author of *Fashioning Fabric: The Arts of Spinning and Weaving in Early Canada*—for an intimate look at the social and material history of weaving through the TMC’s collection of nineteenth-century coverlets.

The seminar will take place in the Museum’s collections and conservation area. Dr. Hood will share her knowledge on this topic through a carefully curated selection of pieces from our collection.

Advanced purchase required as space is limited
Tickets: General \$25; Member \$20; Student \$12

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