

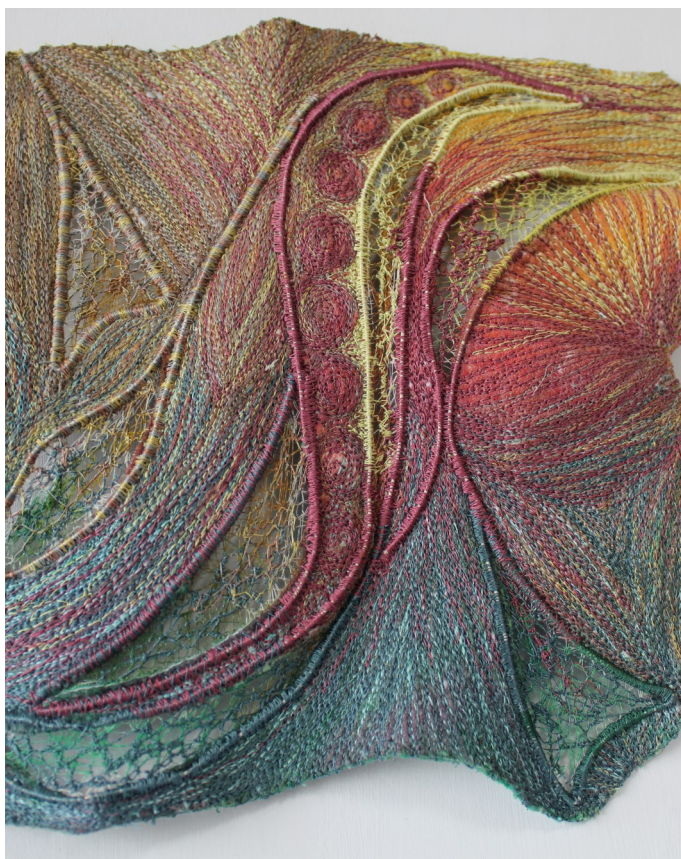
## CLOTHS OF STITCH & SURFACE DESIGN

**5 DAY COURSE: Monday 24th – Friday 28th July 2017**

**10am – 4pm**

**FEE: £275**

**including lunch and refreshments**



**TUTOR: Pauline Verrinder**

Drawing inspiration from the natural environment, we will take an experimental approach in creating a series of stitched cloths, from fragments to resolved pieces. The creative potential of diverse fabrics will be utilised, using construction techniques, surface design, pattern and textural raised surfaces.

**Both hand and free machine embroidery will be used, so it is important that you have free-machine embroidery skills.**

Please don't hesitate to contact Pauline on [pollyverr@aol.com](mailto:pollyverr@aol.com) if you have any queries.

**PLEASE TURN OVER FOR MATERIALS**

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**Materials:**

Select materials to your chosen colour scheme

Theme: 'THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT'

- Notebook and Pen
- Apron & Rubber Gloves
- J Cloth or similar to keep table clean
- Packet cheap Baby Wipes or similar also handy to have (optional)
- Large piece of clean plastic to cover your table for messy techniques
- Sewing machine, cleaned, oiled and with tools & extension lead.
- Basic Sewing Kit to include, pins, needles, large and embroidery scissors
- 8" to 10" Embroidery Hoop
- Paper Scissors
- Cutting Board, craft knife and safety rule
- A Sketchbook – you can use an old one or use pages at the back of an existing sketchbook.
- Pencils for drawing or pen if you prefer.
- Small pot of Berol Marvin Medium (i.e. PVA Glue)
- Large, cheap, painting Brush
- Small bottle of Acrylic Gesso
- Machine and hand embroidery threads to chosen colour scheme
- One reel of white/cream COTTON sewing thread for machine.
- Half metre of cotton scrim (pre-coloured to your colour scheme)
- Half metre of water soluble fabric (whichever is your favourite)
- Half metre of bond-a-web
- One meter of Calico or white/cream cotton
- Pieces of fabric (at least A3) - plain coloured cotton, organza, velvet, felt etc. All fabrics to be coloured, either hand or commercially dyed.
- At times we may need inspiration, so bring along a FEW images to the theme of 'The Natural Environment'. Anything that inspires you

BRING, ONLY IF YOU ALREADY HAVE:

- A Soldiering Iron and a Heat Gun. Also a piece of thick card to protect the table – ideally A3. If you don't have either of these we can share.
- One pair of Wire Cutters
- One or two small stamps/printing blocks on the theme of the Natural Environment.

A charge of £15.00 will be made to cover materials - this includes paints, mixed media, fibres and hard to find fabrics/papers.

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