



Textile Center
A national center for fiber art

**Textile Center Mentor Program
2009/2010 Protégé Application**

Your answers to these questions will be used to assess your current career and provide a basis for measuring your progress in the program.

Name

Address

Phone (home)

(work or cell)

Email

Occupation. Please list secondary or "day job" job, if you have one in addition to your art.

Describe your current work. Why do you do your current art/craft? What media do you work in? Where do you find inspiration? Where and how do you work?

Describe your past artistic activities: classes, workshops, exhibitions, media etc.

In what areas are you looking to expand your artistic development through a mentorship? Do you have specific goals you are striving towards? What are they?

What strengths and talents do you bring to the mentor program?

What are some of the challenges or problem areas that you have encountered in your artistic development?

Do you have experience with artistic critique? Please explain.

How did you hear about the Textile Center Mentor Program?

Which mentor artist are you interested in working with during this program? List your first and second choice and describe why you feel this artist is best suited to your needs at this time.
09-10 Mentors: Ann Hall Richards, Anna Carlson, Carolyn Halliday, Karen Searle, Kimber Olson

First Choice: _____

Second Choice: _____

Please give a summary of your availability for meetings, one-on-one time etc. What are the things in your schedule that you need to work around? (*for example: I can only meet for one-on-one time on Saturdays because of my work schedule*)

Please return this form to:
Textile Center Mentor Program
3000 University Ave SE Suite 100
Minneapolis MN 55414

Application deadline Monday, November 10, 2008.

Please note that this is not a postmark date.

If you would like to review the informational packets for the individual mentor artists, they are available at the Textile Center office during regular office hours (Mon-Fri 9-5).

If you have questions, please contact Becka Rahn.

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