

Pour l'Amour du Fil

THEME : « BOHO-INDIE »



SELECTION CRITERIA

The competition is open to all. To be juried into the competition, the entry must comply with the following criteria:

- **New:** Entries may now be any size.
- Textile material must be used
- Quilt pieces must include three layers: top, batting and backing and must be quilted (by hand or by machine)
- Embroidered pieces may be constructed on any type of foundation
- All techniques will be accepted for quilts (embellishment, added embroidery...) and for embroidered pieced (by hand or by machine).

Works presented for selection must adhere to the theme of the competition and must have been made specifically for this competition (and must not therefore have been entered into any other competition, nor exhibited anywhere, nor featured in a published article).

SELECTION AND EXHIBITION

Initial selection will be made from photographs (check the quality of your photos). Please send four photos of your entry as follows:

- A5 format
- Two photographs showing a full view of the piece
- Two different photographs showing details

On the back of each photo indicate your name, the title of the piece, the measurements and the top of the entry. A jury will evaluate the adherence to the theme, the quality of the work and the creativity. Registration deadline: **1st March 2017**. The second selection will be made after entries have been received by the organiser participating in the process. Entries must be sent in before **30th March 2017**. Juried entries will be displayed during the 2015 Pour l'Amour du Fil show in Nantes, France, **from Wednesday 19th to Saturday 22nd April 2017**.

SHIPPING FEES AND INSURANCE OF ENTRIES

Despatch costs of entries must be paid by the entrant. Return costs

for entries will be paid by the organiser. The selected pieces will be insured by the organiser from their arrival until the entries are sent back.

AWARDS

The first three winning entries in each category will win beautiful prizes offered by our sponsors. The list of prizes will be announced later on.

SCHEDULE

- Registration deadline: **March 1st 2017**.
- Winners will be announced, followed by the presentation of prizes, in the exhibition space at **5pm on Wednesday, April 19th 2017** at our Pour l'Amour du Fil show in Nantes, France.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE?

Register directly at www.pourlamourdufil.com or by sending in an entry form (see below). Participation and registration are free. Please include on the form:

- Which category you wish to enter, Title of the composition
- Measurements (width and height), Fabric and materials used
- Techniques used: brief, precise description of the work done (technique, difficulty level, time spent...)
- If your work is inspired by an existing piece, indicate your source of inspiration (photo, painting, pattern, etc)

Any entry that does not meet all criteria for participation will be refused.

WINNERS

Winners will receive their prize when results are announced. Any winners who cannot attend the show must make arrangements with the organisers to receive their prize in the most efficient manner.

The reproduction of a pre-existing work could lead to legal action, for which Quiltmania Magazine will not be responsible.

REGISTRATION FORM

(photocopies accepted) send to : QUILTMANIA EDITIONS - Contest «BOHO-INDIE»

La Castillerie - 44360 Saint-Etienne de Montluc - France - Or by e-mail ENTRY FORM + PHOTOS to mathilde@quiltmania.com

Family name: First name: Address:
Post Code: Town: Country:
Telephone: E-Mail: Entry title:
Size in cm (W x H): Insurance value:
Techniques used: Attached pieces:
My inspiration source:

I the undersigned,, here by certify that my entry to the 'Pour l'Amour du Fil' competition is an original work and not the reproduction of a pre-existing work.

(Location) (Date)

Signature (please add 'Read and Approved' in your own hand)