



# Our Social Fabric

*a textile recycling initiative*

## Sewing Instructors & Textile / Fiber Artists Wanted

Our Social Fabric is looking for Sewing Instructors and Textile / Fiber Arts Instructors to teach classes for adults (and possibly children / youth) during the coming term, Sept/18 to May/19.

Our Social Fabric's mission is:

*To reclaim, recycle, and extend the life cycle of surplus textiles and textile related materials destined for destruction and/or landfill and to build community awareness of best practices for textile waste reduction towards zero waste and a circular economy.*

Skills and Experience:

- You must have knowledge of and a passion for textile recycling, upcycling and zero waste practices.
- Design and lead classes based on Our Social Fabric's Mission Statement
- Candidates will have excellent hand-sewing and machine sewing skills and have experience teaching various levels of sewing classes up to 10 students.
- Experience in pattern drafting and alterations, apparel production, craft sewing and home décor or experience in fiber arts.
- Prepare course material and create handouts for students as needed
- Provide instructions and demonstrate sewing techniques

## Application for Sewing Instructors & Textile / Fiber Arts Instructors:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Prov /PC: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Instructor Bio (attach to this application form OR e-mail to [oursocialfabric@gmail.com](mailto:oursocialfabric@gmail.com) OR include URL link to your website or portfolio site) \_\_\_\_\_

Class Name and Description: (attach to this application, OR e-mail to [oursocialfabric@gmail.com](mailto:oursocialfabric@gmail.com) OR include URL link to your website showing class outlines) \_\_\_\_\_

Availability (what are the best days for you to teach?) \_\_\_\_\_

Class time and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_

Domestic or Industrial Machines: \_\_\_\_\_

Supplies needed for each class: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Info: \_\_\_\_\_

For paper submission: mail to Our Social Fabric, Suite 270 – 1275 Venables, Vancouver, BC V6A 2C9  
OR send an expression of interest via e-mail to: [oursocialfabric@gmail.com](mailto:oursocialfabric@gmail.com)