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## January 2024

The Geologic Dialogues series is organized around our recently launched annual online exhibition + printed book *The New Geologic Epoch*. For this third event, artists who are unmaking, performing un-development, and activating monkeywrenching around land use presented their durational and advocating projects. Artists included **Jill Price**, **Lauren Bon + Metabolic Studio**, and **Eliza Evans**. [Event Invite](#)





## About

The Handweavers Guild of America, Inc.'s (HGA) mission is to educate, support and inspire the fiber art community. We provide inspiration, instruction, and networking opportunities for fiber artists of all skill levels. HGA produces a quarterly magazine for its more than 3,500 members, *Shuttle Spindle & Dyepot*; Convergence® a biennial international fiber arts conference; *Small Expressions*, an annual juried exhibition of small fiber artworks; and many more opportunities for artists including grants, scholarships, and a certification program in handweaving, handspinning, dyeing, and basket making.



**HGA's strategic plan is our organization's working guide. The HGA Board reviews the strategic plan each month to ensure it is meeting the needs of the membership and then adjusts strategies as needed. [Click here to download and read the most recent printed version.](#)**

# Individuals

Memberships are available in 1-year and 2-year terms (except Student which is only available as a 1-year term). Individual and Household Members can save 21% by purchasing a 2-year membership. These memberships include a subscription to HGA's quarterly, printed and mailed, magazine, *Shuttle Spindle & Dyepot*. For those who would like to "Go Green", we also offer the choice of only receiving digital access to the magazine. Individual Membership Types include:

- **Individual Memberships** - For all Fiber Art Enthusiasts
- **Household Memberships** - This membership type allows you to add an additional two persons in your household to your membership. The household will receive 1 copy of *Shuttle Spindle & Dyepot*.
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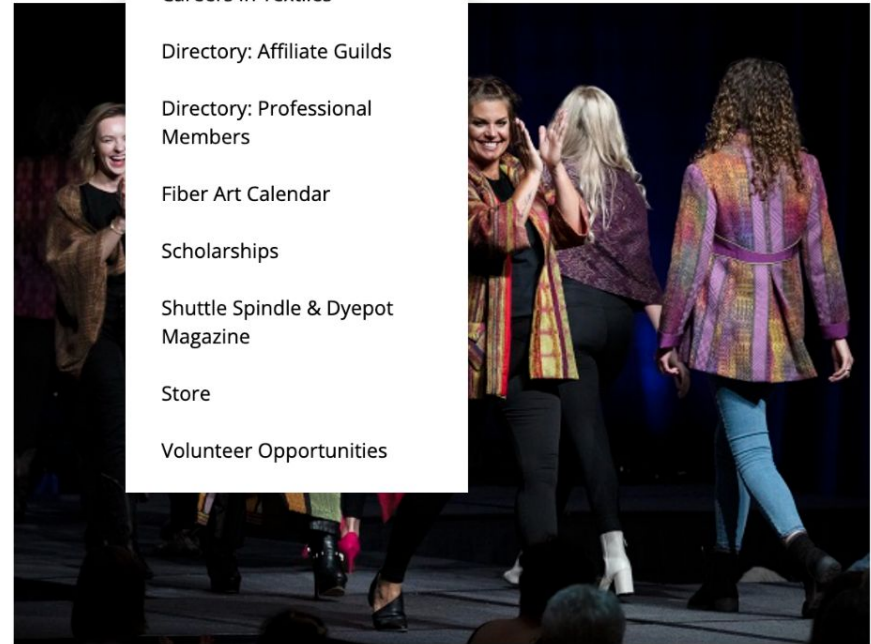
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## Convergence®

Convergence® is heading to the Heartland for 2024! HGA is excited to announce Convergence® will be July 11-17, 2024 in Wichita, Kansas at the Hyatt Regency Wichita and the Century II Performing Arts & Convention Center. Keep checking back to this website, watch for announcements in *Shuttle Spindle & Dyepot* and look for emails with more information about the 2024 Convergence® Wichita. Save the Date!

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The MidAtlantic Fiber Association represents and supports a community of fiber arts guilds in the greater Mid-Atlantic region.

Although MAFA is best known for its conference, the all-volunteer, not-for-profit organization also provides ongoing [financial grants](#), [fellowships and scholarships](#), to promote education, development and public outreach in the fiber arts.

MAFA's [leadership team](#) represents guilds across the region and exists solely for the benefit of participating guilds and their individual members. Individual members of participating guilds are automatically members of MAFA.

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- **Associate New Membership or Renewal**

We ask that you submit your application/renewal form online, and dues may be paid with PayPal, or by mailing a check. For more information, or if you need assistance, please email the Membership Chair at [membership@mafafiber.org](mailto:membership@mafafiber.org).

**Guild dues are based on guild membership size. For 2022-2024, guild dues are:**

- 25 or fewer members: \$30
- 26-50 members: \$60
- 51-100 members: \$100
- 101-150 members: \$150
- 151-200 members: \$200
- 201 or more members: \$250

**Associate member dues for 2022-24: \$30**

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Find fiber arts guilds, organizations, galleries, and museums throughout the United States. Click on the pins for details about each map point.

For more information, or to suggest new pins, email Kate Ohara at [map@mafafiber.org](mailto:map@mafafiber.org).



## Handweaving.net

A copyright-free digital weaving archive with drafts, historic weaving documents, and more.

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## Harrisville Designs – Potholder Wizard

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# MAFA 2025

## MAFA 2025 – June 26-29, 2025, at Millersville University!

With dozens of in-person workshops in weaving, spinning, dyeing, felting, basketmaking, and other fiber arts, MAFA 2025 is sure to be a fun and inspiring experience! Shop the vendor marketplace, peruse the fashion, fiber art, and hat exhibits, take part in the towel exchange, enjoy yoga in the afternoon, and make new friends. Daytrippers join us for shopping, and weekend classes on Friday and Saturday, and spend a night at MAFA. Virtual attendees, join for livestreams of conference events, and virtual classes. There's a lot to look forward to!

The MAFA 2025 conference will again be held at Millersville University, Millersville, PA. The campus is located between Harrisburg and Lancaster, in south-central Pennsylvania's historic Lancaster County.

### How can I get updates about MAFA 2025?

- Check back here as we update information and post workshops and registration info in early-Fall 2024.

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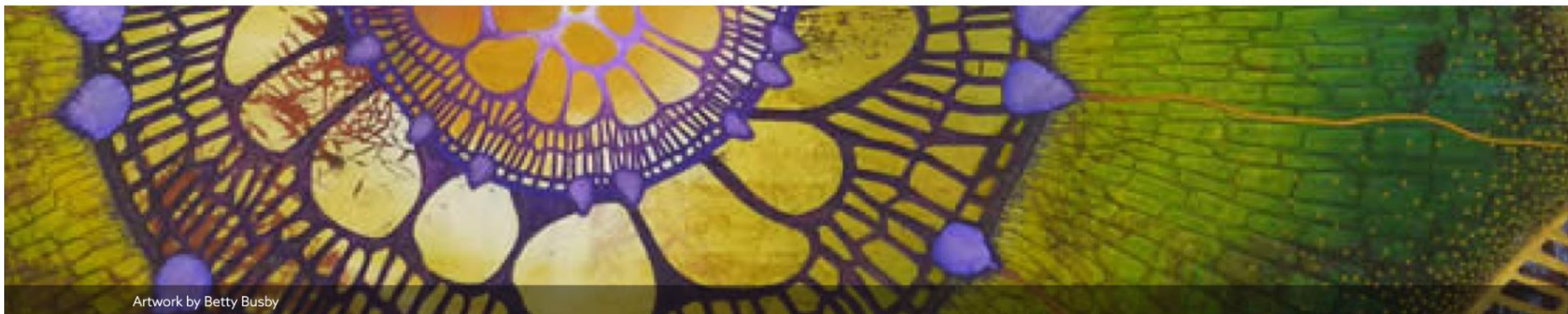
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## About

Studio Art Quilt Associates, Inc. (SAQA) is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to promote the art quilt: *"a creative visual work that is layered and stitched or that references this form of stitched layered structure."*

Our vision is that the art quilt is universally respected as a fine art medium. SAQA's core values are: excellence, innovation, integrity, and inclusion.

Over the past 30 years, SAQA has grown into a dynamic and active community of over 4,000 artists, curators, collectors, and art professionals located around the world.

With our exhibitions, resources, publications, and membership opportunities, we seek to increase the public's appreciation for the art quilt and to support our members in their artistic and professional growth.

## - Affiliate Membership Benefits

For \$110 per year, our Affiliate Member Organizations receive the following benefits:

- Access for one user to the members-only resources on the SAQA website
- Resources for professional and creative growth
- Registration for one attendee for SAQA Seminar
- Full-color quarterly SAQA Journal
- Opportunity for one attendee to register for the annual SAQA conference

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- Organization listing on the SAQA website
- Inclusion in the SAQA calendar of events and in member communications
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## QUICK NOTES

To find out more about SAQA, contact Martha Sielman, executive director, by phone at 860.530.1551, or by email at [execdirector@saqa.com](mailto:execdirector@saqa.com).

Explore varied resources on our website at [www.saqa.com](http://www.saqa.com). Annual membership for U.S. and international members, listed in USD, is \$90.

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# Plurality & Heritage (SAQA 2024 Conference)

## SHOWCASING EUROPE & THE MIDDLE EAST



Our annual SAQA conference "Plurality and Heritage" will be held online from April 12-20, 2024. This unique event will focus on fiber art and artists creating in Europe and the Middle East. We are proud to announce we will have [speakers](#) from the following countries: UK, Hungary, Italy, Austria, Finland, Scotland, France, Switzerland, Latvia, Germany, Spain, the Netherlands, Denmark, Israel, Poland, and Serbia.

**No matter where you live, you've got something special to look forward to!**

What could be better than immersing yourself in all things art quilt-related? Suppose you could soak up hours of talks and luscious imagery without leaving your house? For a fraction of the time and expense of an in-person event, you can be a part of next year's SAQA virtual conference.





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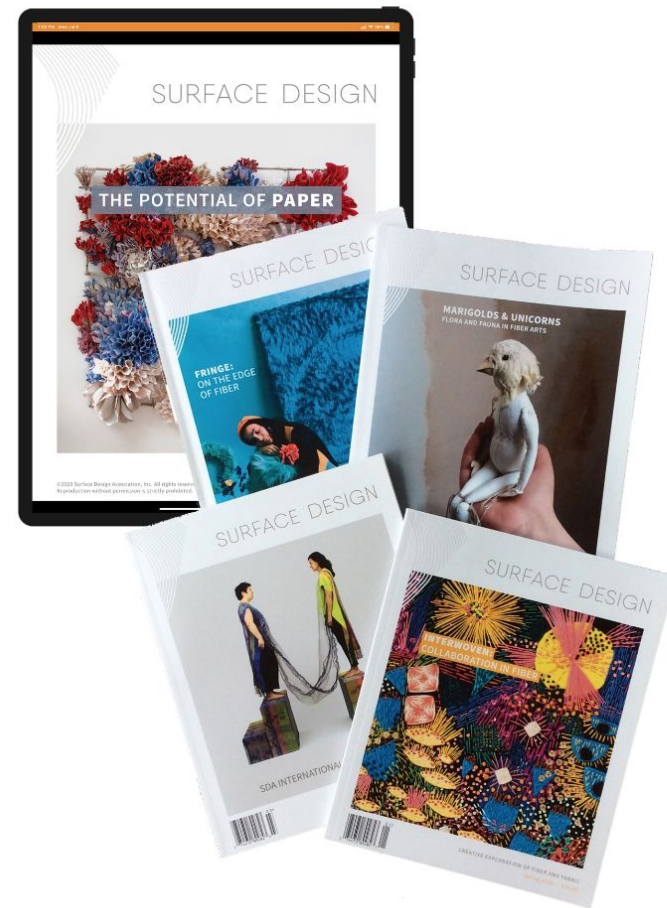
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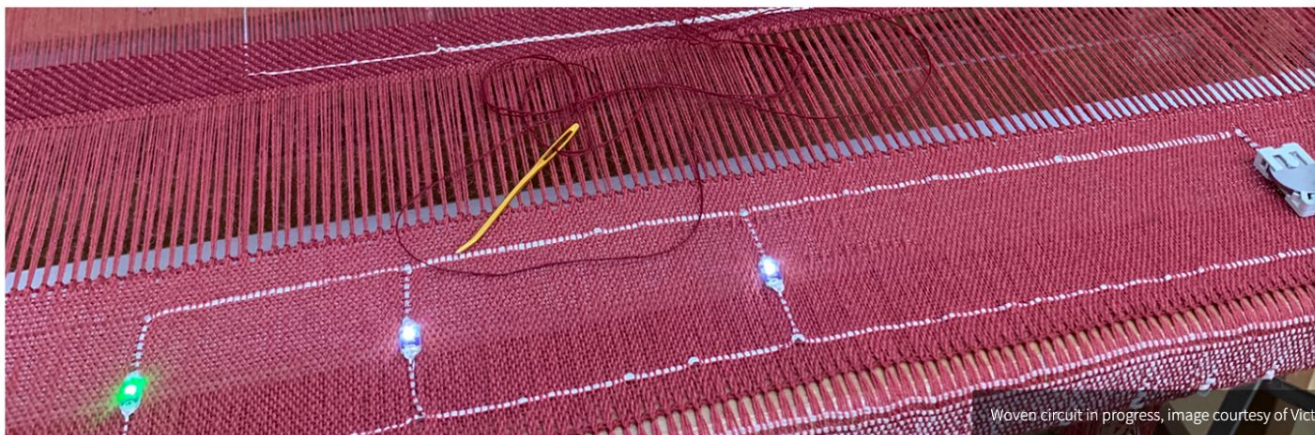
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Each workshop features nationally known instructors who apply fiber and textile techniques in innovative and exciting ways. Spanning Saturday to Saturday, learn, grow, and meet like-minded textile enthusiasts in our workshops featuring 2 hour instruction sessions on the weekends and a midweek meetup to troubleshoot, share progress, and gather in community with other participants. All workshop recordings will be available until the end of 2024. Take one workshop or take them all!

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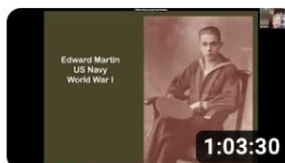
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### **SAQA:**

In this video, SAQA Board President Deborah Boschert shares an introduction to what SAQA is all about. We welcome art quilters and fiber artists of all kinds to join us and learn more about the art quilt movement.

<https://www.saqa.com/about/learn-about-saqa> and <https://www.saqa.com/frequently-asked-questions>

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