

**Brisbane Exhibition Centre, South Bank**  
**Classes Times: 9.30am to 4.30pm**  
**Lunch: 12.30pm – 1.30pm**



FRIDAY, May 29  
ONE DAY CLASS

## **Collage Effects ... Creating Uniquely Unusual Cloth**

With Carol Wilkes

**Skill level:** Suits all levels

The workshop explores many exciting and experimental exercises. The innovative use and combination of “free motion embroidery, collage and layering” techniques results in the creation of a visually exciting and colourful length of cloth.

Students will confidently develop a sense of colour, tone and texture as they collage and machine fuse exotic fabric scraps into a richly textured surface. Students will “machine paint” and master the art of creating their own highly individual and exciting fabrics.

On completion of the workshop students will have gained the confidence, skill and technical knowledge to be able to incorporate these new ideas into quilts, clothing, embroideries or wherever their passion may lie.

**Tutor will provide** a kit containing: essential fabrics; pre- stiffened foundation fabric; organza; black bridal veiling; collection of fabric and fibres (pre-selected to set colour schemes); collection of fancy knitting yarn; knitting cotton; collection of beads.

### **Students are to bring:**

- Safety glasses if required
- Basic sewing supplies: pins, hand sewing needles and embroidery scissors
- Machine needles (Metafil, jeans, or topstitch, etc)
- Cottons and threads: lots of colours
- Cords and fancy wools: small scraps only of whatever you have
- Kit fee: \$15 in cash in an envelope with your name and class name on the front. Pay direct to tutor at the start of the class.

Note: Sewing machines and accessories will be provided by our sponsoring machine companies.

However if you wish to bring your own: it must be cleaned and oiled and you will also need to bring all equipment, accessories and spare bobbins. A flat bed is essential and a darning foot that suits your model of machine is essential. If you are unfamiliar with these items, ask at your local sewing centre.

### **Suggested for your comfort:**

- Cushion in case your chair doesn't suit your height.
- Bring a non-spill water bottle.
- Label your possessions with your name.

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