

SAMANTHA POPE CREATIONS

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Yay SALA is over! It is so much work and I'm glad it's over.

Now onto the next project, hopefully a wearable art piece for the Festival of Quilts at the Craft and Quilt fair in November. The theme is Pearl to celebrate the S.A. Quilters Guild anniversary. I picked up some nice fabrics in Canberra at the Textile show and hope to make them into something unique.

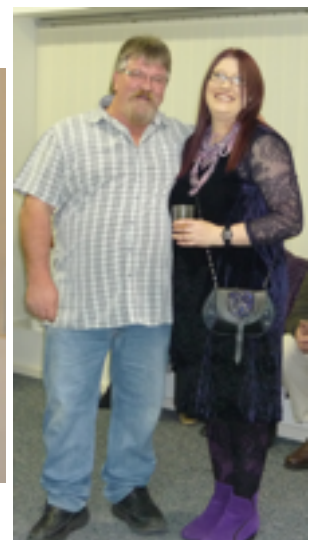
I have a new article coming out in the September issue of Embellish magazine. Issue 19 will feature a needle felted art book cover which has a unique appliqué design, perfect for the beginner.

Also have the Dare to Differ art quilt exhibition for 2015 to think about and decide which of the numerous design ideas I have, to actually make. On a happy note, I sold the Cityscape quilt I made for last years Dare to Differ exhibition at a POP UP SALA exhibition in Murray Bridge!

Off to Geelong in September/Oct for the forum. Had to change to Catherine O'Leary's wearable Bojagi workshop as the Double Trouble one was cancelled. Should be interesting creating wearable sculptured clothes with silk organza. See her work at

www.catherineoleary.com.au

Below left, student at the Melanns workshop in July - Tyvek brooches - Myself and Jasmine at my SALA Opening and right, David Leane and Me at the opening.



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WORKSHOPS:

September 13th Bra Art fun with bras. A bra can be made into a fun decorated purse, art wall hanging or element for embellishing other art works. This class will include heat manipulation of synthetics and machine stitching techniques. Jennys Sewing Centre bookings at <http://www.jennyssewingcentre.websyte.com.au> 64 Murray Street Angaston, South Australia 08 8564 2269

September 14th Julie Haddrick's Workshop "Modern Silkscreen" Marden Senior College - Art Room Time: 9.30am - 3.30pm Workshop, morning tea Total:\$85 contact Suzanne Gummow for details suzannegummow@bigpond.com

October 18th & 19th Sat/Sun Backgrounds and Beyond This 2 day workshop will introduce you to a variety of synthetic man made mediums that will be painted and printed, heat distorted and stitched over the two days. Murray Bridge Studio Gallery, 8 Railway tce Murray Bridge. 10am - 4pm \$140 including notes, kit and use of mediums & tools. www.murraybridgestudiogallery.com 08 8532 5452

EXHIBITIONS

24 October - 14 November "Australia Wide Four" Art quilts by Ozquilt Network Inc & "Alchemy" Contemporary textile art and mixed media by Class Act Collective

Above exhibitions on at Gallery M, Marion Cultural Centre, 287 Diagonal Road, Oaklands Park p: 08 8377 2904 Gallery M hours: Monday to Friday 10am - 4pm; Saturday 10am - 4pm; Sunday 1 - 4pm Closed Public Holidays.

EVENTS

October 24-26 Oz Quilt conference at Marden College

We invite you to register for **Adelaide Escapade**, Ozquilt Network's 3-day mentoring and networking seminar, designed around opportunities for delegates to network with their peers in fun activities, while recognising the importance of artistic development and skills building. www.ozquiltnetwork.org.au

November 13-16 Adelaide Quilt and Craft Fair Wayville Show grounds.

Nov-Dec 2015 Australian Quilts in Public places is wanting submissions for an exhibition called; 'Light & Life' scheduled for Nov - Dec 2015. More details available via Australian Quilters Association.

November 10th FAN Marden collage goto www.tafta.org.au south Australian news for details.

PUBLICATIONS

September - Embellish, issue 19 - needle felted art book cover

Background and Beyond Samples

