

## **STRETCH AND REACH FOR THE STARS!**

SKILL LEVEL: ALL LEVELS

CLASS SIZE: UP TO 20 STUDENTS

DURATION: 1 DAY / 6 HOURS

Are you ready to take the next step? Are you planning to enter juried shows for the first time? Or do you want to branch out and show your quilts in galleries and museums? Where do you start and how do you proceed? These are questions that are posed to the instructor regularly during workshops.

Anna Hergert's one-day workshop is based on her personal journey as a full-time textile artist with a strong exhibition history. Her class covers step-by-step instruction on how to assemble a professional portfolio, which includes the key components of writing an artist statement, compiling a professional CV and composing a biography. The workshop also includes information on how to create a reliable list of contacts, the benefits of joining a networking group and various other aspects of exhibiting.

### **Supply List for "Reaching for the Stars":**

- Notebook, pen and pencil
- A list of dates and places you may have shown your work, if you have a CV, make sure to bring it!
- A list of personal dates, such as professional training, education, other milestones you find important to your life as an artist
- Images of your work (if you have them)
- A list of points you want to cover in the workshop
- An open mind and sense of adventure!

### **Organizer needs to provide:**

- Chairs for participants
- White board or flip chart with markers
- One table for presenter's supplies