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**EDUCATION**

Home Economics Education, BS  
University of Wisconsin - Stout

**EXPERIENCE**

*Instructor*

**“Crimp and Create” Workshops**

- 2014 May, **Weavers Guild of Rochester, NY**
- 2014 March, **Handweavers Guild of Connecticut, CT**
- 2014 March, **Francis Irwin Handweavers Guild, NJ**
- 2014 February, **Southern California Handweavers Guild, CA**
- 2014 January, **St. Louis Handweavers Guild, MO**
- 2013 November, **Jekyll Island Weavers, GA**
- 2013 October, **Potomac Weavers Guild, VA**
- 2013 October, **Vermont Weavers Guild, VT**
- 2013 October, **Harrisville Designs, NH**
- 2013 September, **Weavers Guild of Minnesota, MN, plus Guild Program**
- 2013 August, **Michigan League of Handweavers, MI**
- 2013 July, **New England Weaving Seminar (NEWS), MA**
- 2013 June, **John C Campbell Folk School, NC (“Crimp, Color, and Create” 5-day class)**
- 2013 May, **Fiber in the Forest, OR**
- 2013 April, **Southeast Fiber Forum, TN**
- 2013 February, **Tacoma Weavers Guild, WA**
- 2013 February, **Complex Weavers group, CA**
- 2012 November, **Medina Spinning and Weaving, OH**
- 2012 October, **Harrisville Designs, NH**
- 2012 October, **Jockey Hollow Weavers Guild, NJ**
- 2012 July, **Convergence 2012, CA**
- 2012 May, **John C Campbell Folk School, NC (“Crimp, Color, and Create” – 5-day class)**
- 2011 October, **Michigan Weavers Guild, MI**
- 2011 October, **Inland Empire Handweavers Guild, CA**
- 2011 September, **Handweavers Guild of Nashville, TN**
- 2011 February, **Study Group, Washington, DC**
- 2011 January, **John C Campbell Folk School, NC (“Crimp, Color, and Create” 7-day class)**
- 2011 January, **Chattahoochee Handweavers Guild, GA**
- 2010 October, **Western North Carolina Fiber & Handweavers Guild**

*Upcoming “Crimp and Create” Workshops*

- 2014 June, **Niagara Handweavers and Spinners Guild, Canada**
- 2014 June, **Toronto Weaving School, Canada**
- 2014 June, **Complex Weavers Conference, WA**
- 2014 September, **Lake Charlevoix Handweavers Guild, MI**
- 2014 September, **Woodland Weavers and Spinners Guild, MI**
- 2014 October, **Harrisville Designs, NH**
- 2014 October, **HG of CT, Area 4, CT**
- 2015 January, **Handweavers Guild of Houston, TX**

- 2015 February, **Ventura Weavers Guild, CA**
- 2015 March, **Santa Barbara Fiber Arts, CA**
- 2015 March, **Central Coast Weavers Guild, CA**
- 2015 March, **Oklahoma City Weavers Guild, OK**
- 2015 March, **Seattle Handweavers Guild, WA**
- 2015 June, **Midwest Weavers Conference, MN**

*Miscellaneous Workshops/classes*

**John C Campbell Folk School, NC**

- 2011 November, weaving assistant “Beginner class”
- 2011 June, weaving instructor, “Beginner class”
- 2010 January & November, weaving assistant “Beginner class”
- 2009 July, weaving instructor; May & October, weaving assistant, Beginner classes
- 2008 September, weaving instructor “Beginner class”
- 2007 October, weaving instructor “Twill Seekers”
- 2002 September, weaving instructor “Inlay Rag Rugs”
- 2001 July, weaving instructor (2 weeks) “Designing, Weaving, Sewing”
- 2000 September, weaving instructor (2 weeks) “Designing, Weaving, Sewing”

**Chattahoochee Handweavers Guild, GA**

- 1999 – present, CHG Education Committee classes
- 1998 Clothing Construction Workshop

**Gadsden Alabama Guild**

- 2006 “Inlay Rag Rug” Workshop

*Lecturer*

- 2005 **The Magnolia Sampler Guild** “Weaving, My Art Form”
- 2001 **CHG guild program** “Everything You Wanted to Know About Weaving.....”

**PUBLICATIONS**

***Complex Weavers Journal***

- 2014 “Crimp Cloth” February, p. 28-29
- 2013 “Transitions” February, p. 15
- 2011 “Blue Jay” February, p. 15

***VÄVmagasinet***

- 2011 “*VÄV/Handwoven* Challenge” 3/11, p. 27
- 2011 “*VÄV/Handwoven* Challenge” 4/11, p. 14

***Handwoven***

**E-Book** Best Of Handwoven: Yarn Series-A Dozen Projects in 8/2 Cotton

**Articles**

- 2013 “Twill for Shape and Drape” “Get My Angle” November/December, p. 62
- 2011 September/October p.28, 57-58. “*VÄV/Handwoven* Challenge”
- 2002 March/April “Waffle-Weave, dishcloths and towels” p. 40-42.

**“Fabric Forecast”**

- 2007 March/April p. 80
- 2006 March/April p. 69; November/December p.70
- 2005 March/April p. 74; May/June p.75; November/December p.75
- 2004 March/April pp. 76, 77, 78; November/December p.77

***Weavers***

- 1995 Fall "Silk Twill Jacket" p. 54-55
- 1995 Winter "Lampas for Clothing" p.44-45;"Overshot/Double weave Upholstery" p. 18
- Shuttle Spindle, Dyepot***
- 1998 Spring "And in Closing..." p. 32-33
- 1994 Spring "On the Cutting Edge...The Benefits of Using a Serger on Handwoven Fabrics" p. 48-49

***Featured Weaving Projects***

- 1991 A Weaver's Book of 8-Shaft Patterns pages 48, 120

**AWARDS**

- 2011 "***VÄV/Handwoven Challenge***" selected by *VÄVmagasinet* "Best in Show"
- 2011 **Midwest Weavers' Conference**, JOY Exhibit "Peoples Choice Award"

**Chattahoochee Handweavers Guild**

- 2014 Members Show, "Best Wearable,"
- 2013 Juried Show
- 2012 Members Show, "Best Wearable," "Complex Weavers Award"
- 2011 Juried Show
- 2010 Members Show, "Best Wearable," "Complex Weavers Award," and "Best Use of Four Shafts" (3 pieces entered)
- 2007 Juried Show
- 2003 Juried Show, HGA Award
- 1996 Members Show, "Best Wearables"
- 1995 Juried Show
- 1994 Members Show, "Best Wearables"
- 1993 Juried Show, HGA Award
- 1992 Members Show, "Best Wearables"
- 1990 Members Show, "Best Wearables"
- 1988 Members Show, "Best Wearables"

**Georgia National Fair**

- 2006-2009 "Best in Show" and numerous blue ribbons

**Convergence - Handweavers Guild of America National Convention**

- 2012 Juried Runway Fashion Show
- 2008 Juried Runway Fashion Show
- 2004 Juried Runway Fashion Show
- 2002 Juried Yardage Exhibit, Vancouver Weavers & Spinners Guild Award
- 1996 "in'Vest'ments in fiber" Vest contest, certificate winner

**Blue Ridge (NC) Handweaving Show**

- 2008 Judge's Choice Award, Professional Division
- 2003 3<sup>rd</sup> place Wearables, Professional Division

**Original Sewing & Quilt Expo**

- 2004/2005 Handwoven tailored linen shirt selected for traveling exhibit

**Beacon Hand-Loom Weaving Show (NC)**

1994 1<sup>st</sup> Place, Wearables