

Summit Classes <http://www.slipcoversummit.com>

DAY BEFORE JUNE 22**The Entrepreneur Slipcover Business Workshop**

Instructor: Claudia Buchanan
All Day Class 22A

It's not just sewing. Class will focus on growing a successful slipcover business.

Topics to include: business plan; vendors/ suppliers; bookkeeping systems, credit cards, financial support, networking for growth, balancing business with lifestyle, plus future plan objectives.

Great for All to Levels to attend.

Train to Be an Instructor

Instructor: Karen Erickson
All Day Class 22B

This class is designed for those who have been, or want to teach slipcover classes and other types of sewing at retail stores, community college in their communities.

Learn more about group dynamics, facilitating a group, learning styles, planning curriculum, marketing, and pricing for classes.

Great for All who want to teach.

Wed. the 23th Day 1**Quick Pin Fit Hybrid Method**

Instructor: Bernice King
8:30am-Noon and 1:30-5pm 23A

This method takes the Double on Half method to a new level. Use scrap fabric to pin fit only the last 10" of a piece of furniture. Then use this pattern to cut a complete slipcover on the cutting table in the workroom instead of in the client's home. Pin fit a chair, loveseat or sofa in under an hour. This is a less physically strenuous way to cut slipcovers, during sewing and to cut with "speed".

Recommended for those who want to "speed up" slipcover making or are new to slipcovering.

Cost \$130 Kit fee included

Planning Fabric Matching

Instructor: Claudia Buchanan
June 23th 8:30am-Noon 23B

Have you ever looked at furniture and noticed the pattern doesn't match? Is the fabric print the right proportion in size for the piece of furniture to be slipcovered? Learn tips and trick for working with patterns in fabrics plus practice fabric layout and matching to fabricate those perfect slipcovers.

Cost \$75 Kit fee include.
Recommended for All Levels

Open Arms for Slipcovers

Instructor: Angie Knowles

June 23th 1:30-5pm 23C

Be inspired! Come explore many design ideas for open arm chairs with a mini trunk show. Discover many great ideas for handling those pesky areas around the arms and legs. During class take time to try out some of the ideas on several different styles of chairs.

All Levels Cost \$75 includes kit for class.

Thur. the 24th Day 2**Slipcovers for Dining Room Chairs**

Instructor: Karen Erickson
8:30am-Noon and 1:30-5:00pm 24A

Discover how simple slipcovers can be for dining room chairs whether it be for an update or seasonal change.

Learn about: undergarments, simple ways to keep slipcovers in place, and how to make a quick change with little fabric, plus parson and curved backed chairs. Make a sample to take back to the workroom. Dining room covers are hot and don't take a lot of space to fabricate.

All Levels Cost \$130 Kit fee is included.

Rejuvenate Old Ottomans with Slipcovers

Instructor: Claudia Buchanan
June 24th 8:30-Noon 24B

Learn the art of rejuvenating old ottomans by shaping, blocking and fitting tight undergarments prior to making the custom slipcover. Learn several different options for sewing a fitted ottoman slipcover. Keep in mind all ottomans are not equal in size and shape. Because of wear and age they can sometimes be a challenge to slipcover.

Cost \$75 Kit fee included.
Recommended for All Levels.

Skirting the Issue

Instructor: Angie Knowles
June 24th 1:30-5pm 24C

Various styles of skirts (tailored, gathered, circle, pleated, swagged, hemmed, layered, etc.) will be examined. Students will compare zipper applications that extend through the skirt, plus an ingenious pleating method.

Recommended for All levels
Cost \$75 kit fee included

Fri. the 25th Day 3**Slipcover Basics**

Instructor: Karen Erickson
8:30am-Noon

Explore how to cut fabric for a slipcover with right side of the fabric facing out (draping method), sew welt cord, use the welt cord to outline sections then sew the slipcover from the outside with the stitch in the ditch method. Participants will have an opportunity to cut and sew a sampler of these techniques to take home.

Beginner level or those who would like to learn the "stitch in the ditch method".
Cost \$75 Kit fee included 25A

Fri. the 25th Day 3

Build a Cushion from Scratch

*Instructor: Kim Newell
8:30am-Noon 25B*

If the seat is not comfortable, no-one will sit in that beautifully slipcovered chair! Sometimes you have to throw out that tired old cushion and start from scratch. Learn how to create the comfort and appearance desired in a cushion. From new construction window seats, to depression era furniture, we'll talk about foam, innerspring, down and the many variations of each. Take home samples, and discuss how to price out the new materials. Plus, learn how to make a template to create a new cushion.

Great class for all levels but also for those who have been in business for awhile. Cost \$80 Kit fee included.

Sew Boxed Cushion Covers FAST!

*Instructor: Kim Newell
1:30-5pm 25C*

Workshop is appropriate for those who are new to making custom cushions and for workrooms having construction problems. Workrooms should be able ZIP through a cushion cover in 1 hour! Explore how to cut and sew a boxed cushion cover, to include installing a zipper, application of welt cord and how to align corners perfectly on every cushion style. Assembly line is the key!

Recommended for beginners and those having problems successfully sewing cushions covers in a timely manner.

Cost \$80 Kit fee is included

Take Shuttle Express from the Airport

Market Your Business With Websites-Blogs And Social Networking

Instructors: Claudia Buchanan and Karen Erickson 1:30-5pm 25D

Learn about current trends, tools with affordable possibilities to Market your Business. Discover how easy websites, blogging, being listed on directories and social networking can enhance your business while you sleep.

Bring photos of your work, plus any websites, blogs or social networks you currently participate in.

*Great for All Levels
Cost \$75 kit fee included*

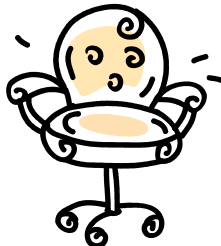
Our Host Hotel is

Holiday Inn Express

Discount rate of per rooms must be booked before June?

<http://www.hiexpress.com/h/d/ex/1/en/hotel/qltn?&dp=true#>

Reservations must be made by calling to get the special hotel rate. 615-851-1891



HAVE QUESTIONS?

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Scholarship Application to the Slipcover Summit

1 Scholarship will be awarded, a \$400 value to attend classes at the 2010 Slipcover Summit in Seattle, Washington. Scholarship covers cost of classes, all materials used during class and lunch each day. Scholarship Application <http://www.slipcoversummit.com>

Roommate Matching

Would you like to share a room with someone at the Slipcover Summit?

Keep cost low; use the Roommate Matching Service on the Slipcover Summit website. Go to: <http://www.slipcoversummit.com>, then click on the roommate application.

Be sure to book a room prior to June 10th to receive the discounted rate.

Summit Dinner Thursday Night the 24th

Plan to attend this Special Night as we gather to enjoy an Evening out at a Restaurant together.

(More specifics as time gets closer)

Tuesday Night the 22nd

Plan to gather for an informal connection at our host hotel.

(more info closer to the event)



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