



Textiles + Wire: knit, lace, weave with Angharad Rixon

SUMMER 2018
3-7 January



LEVEL:
All

COST:
\$710 + \$70
materials

The use of textile techniques worked in metal wires is ancient; the fields of textiles and jewellery have evolved together over the centuries. Delving into the history and its technical vocabulary, you will complete a series of small jewellery pieces, exploring Viking Knitting, free from knitting in fine wire and a crochet hook, braiding and bobbin lace with its endless structural possibilities. Learn the tricks of the trade as well as the endless versatility of each technique completing several samples and a finished piece.

Angharad Rixon is a technical textile historian specialising in lace and passementerie; her studies in Italy, Switzerland and Spain have led to her skills in a wide variety of off-loom techniques. Angharad regularly lectures in Milan and Florence and consults for various museums and universities around the world.

- The Summer School runs for 5 days between Wednesday 3rd - Sunday 7th January 2018.
- Classes are held from 9am to 4.30pm.
- Freshly made morning tea with tea/coffee is provided.

ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE

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MATERIALS LIST

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Please bring with you:

- A notebook.
- A selection of pens, pencils, coloured pencils, erasers etc.
- A ruler or tape measure.
- Glasses or magnifiers if they use them – this is optional.
- Bring a cup for your morning tea.

