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# Private Workshop

## Basic Woven Block Development

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Hours: 10:30 – 4:30

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### Overview

The basic principles of women's woven block pattern development will be introduced and practiced with an emphasis on precision, balance and fit. The basic torso, bodice and sleeve will be drafted in either personal or industry standard measurements.

### Goals

Upon completion of this workshop participants will be able to demonstrate the ability to:

- Take accurate body measurements and apply them to a specific drafting method.
- Use drafting equipment to draft the basic torso, bodice and sleeve block using any set of body measurements.
- Prepare basic patterns using industrial pattern making standards.
- Assess and correct the quality and precision of a basic pattern.
- Construct the basic bodice and sleeve toile and prepare it for a fitting assessment.
- Evaluate a basic garment for balance, fit and adequate wearing ease.

### Prerequisites

The nature of this class requires the participant to have a good understanding of:

- Basic math (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of fractional numbers)
- How to use a ruler and tape measure to determine measurements.
- Basic garment sewing. Sewing experience aids in understanding how a flat pattern is transformed into a three dimensional garment.

### Supplies

Drafting paper and pattern making tools are available for your use during the workshop. Muslin for your first toile will also be provided.

### Course Length

The estimated time to complete this course is 10 hours\*.

You may choose to divide these hours into four 2 ½-hour sessions or two 5-hour sessions.

\*Due to the personalized nature of this workshop the estimated time required to work through the covered topics may change to meet the needs of each individual client.

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### Cost

**\$380 plus GST**

\*The price for this private workshop is based on completing the course work within the 10-hour time frame. Any additional time needed to complete the course content will be charged at \$38/hour plus GST. In cases where the course work is completed prior to 10 hours, more content will be added.