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Sewing For Fashion Designers



Synopsis

This comprehensive guide explores all the fundamental sewing methods and introduces professional garment construction. Chapter One introduces sewing tools and machinery (including industrial machines). It discusses how to work with patterns and explains cutting-out methods. Chapter Two is devoted to different fabrics and how they work, focusing on the construction of a garment, including fastenings and trimmings, and the use of materials to support structured pieces, such as corsets. Hand sewing techniques and basic seams are explored in Chapter Three. Techniques are demonstrated with step-by-step photographic guides combined with technical drawings. A guide to making garment details and decorations, such as pockets, waistlines, and necklines, is found in Chapter Four. Chapter Five addresses fabric-specific techniques, for everything from lace to neoprene. The best technical approaches to use for pattern cutting and construction are discussed for each fabric. Catwalk images demonstrate how these kinds of techniques are employed by designers.

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Sums everything there is to know about sewing technics and designing patterns. Handled professionally and very clear. I will not exaggerate if I will say it is my sewing bible.

Great book contains everything you would ever want to know about learning to sew. Very detailed with great photos and is a must for beginners and fashion students

This book is amazing! As a sewing teacher I recommend it to my students

Incredible textbook

visual feast. wish I had time to sew...

my sewing is limited to beds for rescue animals at the moment but i hope to get back to garment sewing very soon and i love this book.

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