EVOLUTIONS 2022 is an open challenge to all quilters and fiber artists in celebration of one’s own personal journey in the quilting arts. Take a look back at your very first quilt to where you are at this point in the evolution of your quilting.

Evolution can be defined as growth—a process of continuous change, from lower to higher or from simpler to more complex. Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum challenges you to create your concept of an evolution quilt the represents your transition in the art of quilting. Interpret evolutions any way you choose—on a personal level, on a global level, or perhaps related to changes and growth of your favorite means of creative expression, the quilt. There are no design restrictions. Selected quilts will be exhibited at RMQM April 18, 2022 through July 16, 2022. Ribbons will be awarded for first, second, and third place; the first place winner will be awarded a solo exhibit at RMQM in 2023.

JUROR: Carol Ann Waugh

Carol is an award-winning fiber artist. Her work has been juried and invited into more than 50 national and international exhibitions during the past 10 years. She is the author of six books on quilt making and fiber art. Her newest one, Stupendous Stitching, was published in the Spring of 2012 and has sold over 10,000 copies. Carol has juried exhibits for Studio Arts Quilt Associates, New Legacies, The Bulgarian Quilt Exposition, and curated an invitational exhibit of Contemporary Fiber that was shown at Helikon Gallery in the RiNo district of Denver. Carol is a full-time artist working in an art studio in Denver. She is currently working on a large commission for Denver Health that will be installed in November 2020.

ELIGIBILITY:
1. Challenge is open to all quilt artists; international entries are welcome. All entries must have been completed after January 1, 2020.
2. Entry must consist of at least 2 layers and held together by some form of stitching, whether by hand or machine.
3. Entry, which includes 2- & 3-dimensional work, must be a minimum of 18” any one side / maximum of 60” any one side. All work not to exceed 10 pounds.
4. Entry must have a 4” finished sleeve attached to the full width of the top edge of the quilt, or an alternative installation method must be provided by entrant.
5. All entries must be clean, free of pet hair, smoke and odor. RMQM reserves the right to disqualify any entry that does not meet show criteria, exhibits poor quality construction, or has been misrepresented by the digital images.
6. Entry must be available for the duration of the exhibition.

HOW TO ENTER
• Entries will be accepted online only from November 1—26, 2021.
• A link will be posted on www.rmqm.org at that time.
• Entry fee: $35.00: RMQM members, $55.00: non-members
• Entry fee is non-refundable and payment does not guarantee acceptance. Entry fee must be paid by credit card through the secure online entry form.
• Limit: three entries per person.

Entries require two color digital images
• Image #1 a full view of the quilt;
• Image #2 a close up showing detail.) for each entry.
* Digital images to be formatted at 300 dpi.
* Image size should be a maximum of 6” on the longest side (1800 pixels).
* JPEG or TIFF image formats acceptable.
* Entrants will be notified by January 3, 2022 if accepted.

Entries may be offered for sale.
A forty percent commission will be retained by RMQM upon sale of entry, all entries will remain on display for the duration of the exhibit. Entrants are responsible for shipment and insurance costs of entry while in transit to:
RMQM, 200 Violet Street, Unit 150, Golden, CO 80401.
All return shipping and insurance fees will be paid by RMQM.

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November 1—26, 2021  Online Entry period
January 7, 2022  Notification of acceptance
April 1, 2022  Work to received at RMQM
April 18, 2022  Exhibit opens
April 22, 2022  Opening reception

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