



# Utah Quilting & Sewing Marketplace

Recognizing the ideas, thoughts, and artistic creations in the international sphere of quilting, sewing and creating with fiber.

**MAY 3, 4 & 5, 2018 | SOUTH TOWNE EXPO CENTER, SANDY, UTAH**

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Register online at  
uqsmshow.com

## QUILT ENTRIES:

An entrant may enter only one quilt per category and enter no more than three separate competition categories. In addition, an entrant may participate in any of the special Fabric Challenges and enter one quilt per challenge, as outlined per the specific Fabric Challenge's rules. An entrant may also enter three quilts into the Exhibit Only area (display conditional upon space availability)

Each entry must fall under the definition of a quilt that consists of three layers i.e.: quilt top, batting and backing. No false backings.

Quilts must be completed three years or less-between May 1, 2015 - April 21, 2018

Quilt Competition IS NOT a juried competition.

There are no copyright violations and written permission must be obtained to display quilt. See copyright written permission on website.

Entries can be machine quilted and hand quilted as outlined in each of the competition categories. Please read each category for specifics. Quilts that are larger than 480" perimeter will not be accepted.

## DEADLINES:

Quilt entry must be submitted no later than April 6, 2018. Quilts must be received between April 15-21, 2018.

## PHOTOGRAPHS:

Two photos MUST accompany each quilt entry for identification purposes, one picture of the entire quilt and one close up. These photos should be uploaded during the online entry process or mailed with the printed entry.

## CONDITIONS:

1. Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM reserves the right to refuse to hang any quilts that are received in poor condition, including, but not limited to: no binding, torn/stained fabric, poor construction, misrepresentation, exceeds size limitations, etc.
2. Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM reserves the right to place entrant's quilt in a more appropriate category if deemed necessary.

## LABEL:

Each quilt must have a quilt label secured to the bottom back side of the quilt. Each label should include: Quilt Owner's Name and Name of Quilt.

## SLEEVE:

Each quilt must have a 4-inch sleeve attached to the top, back of the quilt enabling the Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM volunteers to properly hang each quilt. Art quilts must be able to be hung with minimal attention. Quilts delivered without their required 4" sleeves will be judged. They will not be hung, nor will they be eligible for an award.

## SHOW INSURANCE DURING THE SHOW:

Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM will insure quilts up to \$500 for a mandatory cost of \$5. It is highly recommended that quilts over \$500 in value be appraised and the owner has appropriate insurance to insure the quilt while in transit and at UQSM 2018. Quilts appraised at a value over \$500 are the owner's responsibility to insure.

## SHIPPING/DROP OFF:

Ship or drop off quilts in clear or any transparent plastic bags only. **The quilt label, showing entry number, MUST be visible through the bag.** No black bags, pillowcases or other cloth bags. (Bags will not be returned).

## RETURN SHIPPING AND INSURANCE:

All return shipping and insurance fees must be **PRE-PAID**. Each entrant must enclose a **PRE-PAID RETURN SHIPPING LABEL** with their quilts. Quilts shipped without a prepaid return shipping label will be judged and hung, but will not be eligible for an award.

## QUILT RETURN:

Quilts may be picked up at the designated secured location on Saturday, May 5, 2018 at 6:00 pm. No quilts will be released from the exhibit floor. The quilts will be returned to the owner upon proof of ownership. Bring your quilt claim form with you to pick up your quilt. All quilts shipped will be returned no later than 7 days after the show closes unless other arrangements are made.

## AWARDS:

Cash prizes and awards will be given to the person submitting the Quilt Entry Form. It is the intention of UQSM to award ribbons only during the UQSM Awards Ceremony. Otherwise, all cash prizes and awards will be sent to winners within 14 days of the show closing.

## CONDITIONS:

Entrants agree that they will abide by the Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM judges' decisions. By checking the box indicated on the Online Entry Form or signing the printed entry form entrants agree to the following conditions:

3. Quilt entry fees are nonrefundable.

4. Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM reserves the right to accept or refuse any quilt for entrance into UQSM 2018 quilt exhibit. Entrant will not hold Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM, South Towne Expo Center, event management or any of the above mentioned employees or volunteers liable for damages or loss of quilt beyond the insurance limitations specified in this form.

5. Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM has permission to photograph competition entry quilts and use the image(s) in promotional materials such as articles, ads, videos and internet sites for and about Downunder Diversions, LLC/UQSM or its exhibits. Downunder Diversions, LLC/ UQSM will give credit in such instances as it is possible, but there will be no compensation paid.