

Directions to The Greenwich Club

From the South: Take 95 North to exit 8A (Rt.2 Warwick/East Greenwich.) Stay on Rt. 2, go to the traffic light at the Showcase Cinema, take a left onto Division Street (Rt. 401), follow to traffic light (2 gas stations on corners) take right onto Post Road/Rt. 1. The Greenwich Club, 5426 Post Road is on your left.

From the North: Take 95 South to Exit 9 (Rt. 4 South). Take the first exit which will bring you to Rt. 401 (E. Greenwich/Division St.). At the end of the exit ramp facing straight, take a right turn onto Division Street. Continue to follow above directions once on Division Street.



The Greenwich Club

is also the location for the RI Sewing Network

The Rhode Island Sewing Network is a group of sewing enthusiasts who meet six times a year and also plan a trip to NY's garment/fabric district. A membership covers all six meetings and newsletters, plus additional discounts.

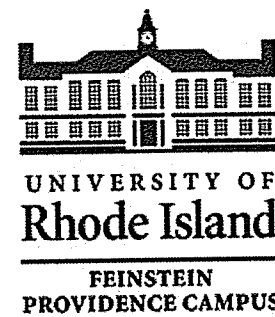
Please call **Sheila Vargas** (401) 253-3388 for more information.

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Please call Annie Tella, (401) 277-5050 for
registration questions or Email:
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Please call Diane Martin, Program
Coordinator, (401) 762-0960 for course
content or Email dma426@aol.com

Program access will be provided for persons with disabilities.
Participants with disabilities who require special accommodations should
contact Diane Martin @ (401) 762-0960 at least 3 days prior to
registration. For TTY Assistance, please call RI Relay Service at:
1-800-745-5555.

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Master Seamstress I Certificate Program



2008-2009
(28- program)

*presented by
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Registration Form
Master Seamstress I

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State & Zip _____

Daytime telephone _____

E-mail address _____

Check enclosed in the amount of \$995
(payable to URI)

Please charge my credit card in the
amount of \$995

Visa M/C Discover

Card Number

Expiration Date

Signature Authorization

Please indicate desired program session:

Tues. 9-Noon Wed. 7-10PM

Please complete and return to:

URI Feinstein Providence Campus
Master Seamstress Program, Room 208
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(if using a charge card)

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The Master Seamstress Certificate Program is an 84-hour, year long educational program, which includes instruction and 'hands on' experience in all aspects of apparel construction. *Intermediate apparel construction skills are required.* It is assumed you already know how to sew blouses, skirts, and dresses, etc., but need to understand and solve fitting and pattern design problems, learn couture tailoring techniques and experiment with specialty fabrics. Many graduates of this program are employed in a home based business or in the apparel industry. In order to receive a certificate, participants must complete the entire program and all required projects. The instructors are professionals with years of experience in the apparel industry and have degrees in textile and apparel design.

Course Outline: September - December

Personalized Fit: Learn how to compare your body measurements to a basic commercial pattern through the Minot Method. You will sew and fit a bodice, sleeve and skirt muslin. This concept will enable you to a better understanding of tissue fitting and the alteration process.

Pattern Making: Participants will learn the flat pattern method of pattern making with the use of half-size slopers. You will work with a bodice to move darts, add pleats or gathers; basic collars will be introduced along with sleeve variations. Simple styling of skirts from fitted to flared will be designed as well as many other design features.

Course Outline: January - May

Classic Tailoring: Participants will construct a blazer using the classic method which includes both hand and machine stitching. Finishing techniques, including bound buttonholes, welt pockets, notched collar, vented sleeves, and hand-inserted linings will be discussed and demonstrated.

Specialty Fabrics: This class covers construction techniques on lace, silk, velvets, and sequins. Emphasis will be on bridal construction details and accessories.

Swimwear and Lingerie: Learn about the various types of patterns, fabrics, threads, elastics, trims and laces suitable for lingerie and swimwear. Students must complete one project in specialty fabric, swimwear or lingerie fabric.

Registration Deadline is August 29, 2008 - The fee of \$995 (includes textbooks: does not include project materials) is due in full upon registration. The program size is limited to 12 students per section. No refund will be given for cancellation unless the position in class can be filled. Because this is a non-credit certificate program, financial aid is not available. A \$25 non-refundable registration fee is included in the course fee. All sessions will be held at the Greenwich Club, 5426 Post Road, East Greenwich, RI.

The Program runs September 10, 2008 through December 10, 2008, resumes January 6 and ends May 13, 2009. Graduation is May 20.

NOTE: All participants will be required to attend the September 10th Orientation, Wednesday, 7-10PM.

VACATION WEEKS: 11/3, 11/24, 2/16, 3/9, 4/13

