

# CONTEMPORARY Textile Studio

## Student Residency Fall 2021

**Application Deadline:  
October 1st, 2021**



**“The residency gave me time to develop my ideas for my thesis which was my proposed project for the summer.”**  
*Student Resident, summer 2017*

**“It was so lovely to have the space and time to really delve into a specific project of my own choice. Self-directing and having the freedom to set my own schedule was so valuable for me to grow in my practice.”**  
*Student Resident, summer 2018*

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The Contemporary Textile Studio Co-op is now accepting applications for student residents for **Fall 2021**. At CTSC we rely on our members' and residents' diverse backgrounds and perspectives to spark innovation and creativity. We invite students from diverse communities to apply and gain access to our beautiful, 1200 square foot equipped studio located at 401 Richmond St. West in Toronto.

### Fall Residency

1. The deadline to apply is **October 1st**.
2. Residencies take place between October 18th – December 19th, 2021 with scope for an extra week should the resident need more time.
3. Open to fourth year full-time art and design students exploring textiles in their work and intending to return to school full-time in the winter of 2022. Students must be able to work independently in the studio.
4. During these Covid19 times, we are working under a master calendar where each member signs up for 4-hour blocks. Similar time allotments will be offered to student residents under a subsidized studio fee of \$18.50 (+HST) per every 4-hour block of studio time with an opportunity to sign up for a minimum of *three* and a maximum of *six* blocks per week (12-24 hours total of studio time per week).
5. Successful applicants will provide their own materials, including silk screens, fabrics, pigments, dyes and auxiliaries.
6. Most studio-owned equipment is available for use by student residents who have undergone studio orientation. Residents will supply their own specialized equipment. Please note not all equipment and textile processes can be accommodated in the studio.
7. Students who successfully complete their fall residency may be eligible to renew another residency for the winter 2022 academic term.

### Submission Requirements

1. Résumé and a brief expression of interest outlining your interest in and any applicable experience related to the textile arts and to working within a co-operative arts studio.
2. 3-5 digital JPEG images with a list indicating title, dimensions, materials, date and/or reference to website.
3. Brief outline of intended fall project(s), including the processes, materials and equipment needed.
4. An indication of which 3 to 6 time blocks are being applied for from the following schedule:

time block	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday	sunday
9a - 1p					block #5		block #8
1p - 5p							block #9
5p - 9p	block #1	block #2	block #3	block #4	block #6	block #7	block #10

■ choose 3 to 6 blocks from the 10 available ones

5. Two professional references, including e-mail contact and phone numbers (references should include a textile instructor and studio technologist, if possible, and cannot be from a current CTS member).
6. Please note that successful applicants will need to provide proof of full vaccination against Covid-19.
7. Submit questions and all required items to [info@textilestudio.ca](mailto:info@textilestudio.ca).