

## 2010 Guild Challenge

# The Power of the Pocket

*A pocket is a container of things.*

*It can conceal and protect,*

*Be invisible or a showcase,*

*Offer security and warmth.*

*How does your pocket...  
empower you?*



**Let's Bring It to the runway!** Create a garment following the theme of the *Tennessee Presents Textiles* 2010 wearable art runway show, "The Power of the Pocket." Any type of textile can be used in the creation of the garment: woven, knitted, crocheted, felted, etc. The garment must be an article of clothing, for example, a shirt or blouse, vest, jacket, dress, skirt or pants. A shawl, hat or gloves would not be garments, these would be accessories.

### Challenge Guidelines

Your Challenge garment entry must meet these requirements:

- have at least one pocket; the pocket(s) can be on the inside or the outside of the garment.
- include one non-functional design element (for example, a surface design technique, hand dyeing, painting, decorative stitching, quilting, embroidery, beading, or any type of embellishment).
- a completed entry form (below) must accompany your garment.

Feel free to create an accessory to complement your garment—a purse, hat, scarf, shawl, belt, etc. The design element requirement can be fulfilled on the accessory provided the accessory is an obvious part of the ensemble and is also created by you. Challenge entries are **due** at the **2010 September guild meeting**.

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### Riverbend Fiber Arts Guild 2010 Challenge—Entry Form

Name of Entry \_\_\_\_\_

Description of garment, fabrics and techniques used \_\_\_\_\_

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Artist's statement \_\_\_\_\_

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Your name \_\_\_\_\_