**SAQA Montana/Idaho Regional Trunk Showcase**

*This is a showcase for our Montana/Idaho SAQA Regional Members and members who have selected the MT/ID region as their second region. The purpose of this show is to present the diversity of our member artist’s talent and support SAQA’s mission to “promote the art quilt.” The trunk allows audiences to engage with the quilts in an up-close and personal way.*

*Each quilt will be mounted on a black backing board and sealed inside a clear envelope. The artist's location, artwork title, statement and information about techniques and materials are featured on the back.*

**“Stitching Stories/Telling Tales”**

This is your story. It can be from your memory, your dream, a personal inspiration, a special person, a funny story or any other “story” that you love and choose to share through your art.

**Beginning Call: August 7, 2020
Entry Deadline: October 1, 2020**

**All work will travel indefinitely with the SAQA MT/ID Regional Trunk Showcase.**

**Venues:** The Regional Trunk Show will travel to regional libraries, quilt shows, small galleries, exhibit rooms, and similar venues. It also appears on the SAQA MT/ID Regional Portfolio website.

**Eligibility:** The trunk show is a non-juried showcase. All submitted works will be accepted.

The artist must be a SAQA member of the MT/ID Region to enter. If MT/ID is your second region, you are also eligible to enter.

**The details:** The size of each entry must be 7 by 10 inches, either orientation.

All work must include a label securely fastened on the back with the artist’s name, title of the work, and completion date.

Each piece of work entered must be accompanied by an entry form.

All artwork must meet the SAQA definition of an art quilt: ***The art quilt is a creative visual work that is layered and stitched or that references this form of stitched layered structure.***

**Fee:** $10.00 per entry. Members may submit up to three entries. Complete a separate entry form for each piece. These funds will be used in our region for display materials and exhibit preparation needs. The entry fee is payable through the SAQA Store at <https://saqa.z2systems.com/np/clients/saqa/catalog.jsp?catalog=1>

**Insurance of Quilts:** All quilts will be insured by SAQA while they are in the possession of the exhibiting location, and as stored or transported by a SAQA member.

**Return of Quilts:** Following the completion of the Trunk Show tour (to be decided by SAQA MT/ID membership) all works will be returned to the artists either by hand or by mail.

**Shipping information:** Each entry must have a label firmly secured to the back of the quilt. Each entry must include a completed and signed entry form.

Mail entries (to arrive by October 1) to: **Maggy Hiltner PO Box 1527 Red Lodge, MT 59068**

**Questions:** Regional Exhibitions Coordinator, Maggy Hiltner, info@maggyrhiltner.com

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 **ENTRY FORM**

**Please complete and sign an entry form for each piece submitted and include with each quilt entry.**

**Artist’s name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Website: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Year of Completion: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Materials and Techniques: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Brief Artist’s Statement: (or attach)**

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I certify that my artwork meets the criteria and parameters listed in the Call for Entry.
I agree to loan my artwork to Studio Art Quilt Associates, Inc. I understand that the cost of insuring the shipment of, and of shipping my artwork, are my responsibility.

I understand that the artwork will be insured by SAQA while it is in the possession of an exhibit, or while being stored or transported by a SAQA member.

Artist’s signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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