

# My Place

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A travelling exhibition which will select work to reflect the theme **My Place**. Thirty ( 30) works each will be selected from Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. The exhibition will travel to South Africa for the South African National Quilt Festival 2008, before touring other venues in South Africa, New Zealand, Australia and Europe. The quilts will be displayed at Taia Textile Gallery, Wellington during Symposium 2009 (New Zealand)

## Rules and Requirements:

- Entries must be **50 cms x 50 cms** (square) finished
- Entries may be any kind of fibre art
- Each selected artist will provide a photograph of themselves plus a 75 word statement that describes the inspiration for their piece
- Each piece should be sturdy enough to travel without special requirements ( pieces that have significant 3 dimensional features, require special hanging apparatus, or are delicate or require special handling will not be selected)
- Entry submission will be due on 23 June 2008 ( please not Express post delivery does not operate to the organizers' address)
- Selected works shall be delivered by 15 July 2008
- Artists' whose work is selected will pay a \$20 administration fee to assist with travel and administration and the return of quilts.
- The work will be available to travel for 2 years and will not be released during this period.
- The work must possess a hanging sleeve of 10 cm deep
- All work must be the result of independent effort and must not be the product of an instructional setting in which another artists has provided guidance or assistance.
- Only one quilt will be selected per entrant, though the entrant may enter more than one work.
- The entrant will provide two clear photographs, one of the complete work and the other showing a detail.( please note the quality of the photo is important to give your work the best possible chance and please make sure that the photo accurately represents the colours of the submitted piece)
- The artists will sign a release on the entry form allowing the selected work to be photographed and published in magazines, for the venues which the organizer will organize.

- The work must be an original design, not a copy of a traditional design or a variation of the work of another artist. Work that uses design imagery, colours and compositional structure that reflects another artists' style will not be selected.

### Artists Responsibilities

- The artist will be responsible for the cost of insurance, should the artist desire insurance, and the cost of postage to the organizer. If the artist requires insurance for the two year travelling period the cost of that insurance must be paid for by the artist
- The artist of selected work will pay and administration fee of \$20 which will accompany the selected work on delivery on 15 July 2008

### Organisers Responsibilities

- The organizer will take all due care whilst the quilts are in her possession, but will not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to the works .The organizer cannot provide insurance for the selected works.
- The organizer will return the works to the artists at the end of the two year period by normal registered post.

### Entry Form

**Name** .....

**Address**.....

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**Telephone Number**.....

**Email address** ( this is important if you would like to receive updates).....

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The entrant will provide **two clear photographs**. One photo will show the completed piece, the other photo will show the detail representative of the completed work. Each photo should clearly state

1. The name of the artist
2. The title of the entry
3. The word top indicating the top of the work

