

Play Modern – Full Day Workshop

Description: It's fast, it's quick, it's geometric and it's free-style piecing with control. We will start with the thought of having fun and being in the moment. The technique is to use the Polygon2 Tool and Butterfly Seam to create a BOLD wall-hanging that shouts, "Modern" or "Contemporary". This workshop is about you.

Fabric Requirements:

- (3) 1 yard of assorted solid fabric or semi-solid or batik; the 3 fabrics should be from a narrow color range (i.e., green, blue, purple or shades of one color. You need 1 yard of each.
- Optional for design fun: (10) 3" x 22" strips of assorted accent fabric, solid, semi-solid or batik.
- 45" x 60" Batting for design wall

Homework: Using the 1 yard cuts, crosscut into 5½" strips by width of fabric. Cut at least (2) strips from each fabric.

Special tools: Gyleen's Polygon2 (\$20); optional for design fun, Polygon tool (\$14)

Instructions: Pattern (\$10) from Book- Polygon Affair...So Easy You'll Fall in Love

General supplies:

Sewing machine with manual (are machines provided?); ¼" foot without edge guide (if possible); (2) thread colors, one for the top and another in the bobbin and that is visible on the wrong side of fabric; seam ripper; thread snips; rotary cutter, ruler and mat; extension cord; straight pins; finger pressing tool; and batting to use as a design wall (optional).

Gyleen's thoughts: This design class can go anywhere you want to go. I'm game for teaching you 7 plus pieced "special" diamonds so you can create an original design. You can take this to a bed quilt.

