

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2022 COURSES

The following short courses are now open for bookings on our webshop at https://shop.theschoolofhistoricaldress.org.uk/?product_cat=courses

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DECORATIVE TECHNIQUES ON MUSLIN c.1775-1825



SUNDAY 9th OCTOBER 1-Day Course – 10am to 6pm



From the white-worked accessories of the 18th century to regency gowns, muslin provided a delicate, semi-sheer ground for intricate white and coloured details. Examples from the School's collection will be available to study, such as the skirt of a c.1800 gown of which the border is seen here. Students will work several samples of these techniques.

TUTOR – CLAIRE THORNTON £105 full price / £75 concession price

QUILTING IN GARMENTS 1400 to 1650



16th OCTOBER

1-Day Course –10am to 6pm

Practical and protective and often decorative, quilted garments could be worn all over the body. From the essential layer of defensive padded jacks of the fourteenth century, quilting developed to shape the fashionable doublets of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries. This course looks at the varied methods and materials seen in surviving examples of garments worn by men, women and sometimes animals. Students will work examples of the various techniques.

TUTOR - CLAIRE THORNTON

£105 full price / £75 concession price

THE CUT AND CONSTRUCTION OF CORSETS 1884 – 88



16th to 20th NOVEMBER

5-Day Course –10am to 6pm

Throughout the second half of the 19th century, corsets changed their shape quite rapidly to adapt to the constantly evolving female silhouette. With the examination of extant corsets from the Hopkins and Luca Costigliolo's collections, this class will focus on the cut and construction of corsets, comparing bespoke to mass-produced. Each student will draft a pattern and make a coutil toile for a model.

TUTOR – LUCA COSTIGLIOLO

£525 full price / £375 concession price

BODICE CONSTRUCTION & SEWING TECHNIQUES 1884–90 PART 1





22nd and 23rd SEPTEMBER

2-PART Course – 10am to 6pm

Introduction by Luca Costigliolo and close examination of original bodices, dresses and underpinnings from the TSHD and Hopkins Collections.

Construction techniques found on the examples in the classroom will be worked by students.

TUTORS – LUCA COSTIGLIOLO (online) with

JENNY TIRAMANI & VANESSA HOPKINS

BODICE CONSTRUCTION & SEWING TECHNIQUES 1884–90 PART 2





23rd to 26th NOVEMBER

2-PART Course – 10am to 6pm

The construction of bodices reached its highest level in the eighties and nineties. This course will focus on the different sewing techniques employed in their construction, such as boning and finishing seams, piping, sleeve attachment and closures. Each student will make a half scale half bodice with period appropriate materials. Extant bodices will be in the class for close examination.

TUTOR – LUCA COSTIGLIOLO

FEE FOR COMPLETE COURSE - PART 1 & PART 2

£525 full price / £375 concession price

Students may keep all toiles/samples at the end of all the courses. All materials will be provided.

ALL CLASSES ARE HELD AT THE SCHOOL OF HISTORICAL DRESS 52 LAMBETH ROAD LONDON, SE1 7PP

To purchase a place please go to the online shop https://shop.theschoolofhistoricaldress.org.uk/

CONCESSIONS - Unwaged, full-time students, over 65 years of age and anyone receiving jobseeker's allowance, income support or disability benefit

All fees are non-refundable

If you cannot attend we will endeavour to fill your place and return the fee. However, we cannot guarantee this. This is the only way we can keep our classes to 6 students or less per tutor and budget to keep the high standards of teaching to which we are committed.

Refreshments and a simple vegetarian lunch are provided for every class

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