

## DIRECTIONS TO THE GREENWICH CLUB

**From the South:** Take 95 North to exit 8A (Rt.2 Warwick/East Greenwich.) Stay on Rt. 2, go to the traffic light at the Showcase Cinema, take a left onto Division Street (Rt. 401), follow to second traffic light, take right onto Post Road/ Rt. 1. The Greenwich Club, 5426 Post Road is on your left.

**From the North:** Take 95 South to Exit 9 (Rt. 4 South). Take the first exit which will bring you to Rt. 401 (E. Greenwich/Division St.). At the end of the exit ramp facing straight, take a right turn onto Division Street. Continue to follow above directions once on Division Street.



**THE GREENWICH CLUB**  
is also the location for the  
RI Sewing Network

***The Rhode Island Sewing Network*** is a group of sewing enthusiasts who meet six times a year and also plan a trip to NY's garment/fabric district. A membership covers all six meetings and newsletters, plus additional discounts.

PLEASE CALL SHEILA VARGAS  
(401) 253-3388 FOR MORE INFORMATION



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AVAILABLE THROUGH THE  
MASTER SEAMSTRESS II CERTIFICATE PROGRAM:

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Little Black Dress  
Fabric Flowers  
Jeans  
Contemporary Tailoring  
Wonderful Knits  
Couture Collection  
Make It Work  
Couture Details  
Pant Drafting  
Chanel Jacket  
Serge—The Basics & More  
Form / Draping  
Intimate Apparel

**ALL CLASSES ARE HELD AT  
THE GREENWICH CLUB  
5426 POST ROAD,  
EAST GREENWICH, RI 02818**

For registration questions  
Please call Annie Tella: (401) 277-5050  
e-mail: [atella@uri.edu](mailto:atella@uri.edu)  
For course content or technical information  
Please call Diane Martin, Program Coordinator,  
(401) 762-0960 e-mail: [dma426@aol.com](mailto:dma426@aol.com)

[www.uri.edu/prov/certificate\\_noncredit/certificate/  
overview](http://www.uri.edu/prov/certificate_noncredit/certificate/overview)

Program access will be provided for persons with disabilities. Participants with disabilities who require special accommodations should contact Diane Martin @ (401) 762-0960 at least 3 days prior to registration.

For TTY Assistance, please call RI Relay Service at: 1-800-745-5555.

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**MASTER SEAMSTRESS I  
CERTIFICATE PROGRAM**

**SEPTEMBER 2012 - MAY 2013**

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THE GREENWICH CLUB,  
EAST GREENWICH, RI

# REGISTRATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State & Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed in the amount of **\$995**

(payable to URI)

Please charge my credit card **\$995**

Visa       M/C       Discover

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Card Number

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Signature Authorization

**Please indicate desired program session:**

**TUES. 9-NOON**    *or*     **WED. 7-10PM**

**Please complete and return to:**

URI Feinstein Providence Campus  
Master Seamstress Program, Room 208  
80 Washington Street  
Providence, RI 02903 or Fax (401) 277-5060  
(if using a credit card)

# PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The Master Seamstress I Certificate Program is an 84-hour, year long educational program, which includes instruction and 'hands on' experience in all aspects of apparel construction. ***Intermediate apparel construction skills are required.*** It is assumed you already know how to sew blouses, skirts, and dresses, etc., but need to understand and solve fitting and pattern design problems, learn couture tailoring techniques and experiment with specialty fabrics. Many graduates of this program are employed in a home based business or in the apparel industry. In order to receive a certificate, participants must complete the entire program and all required projects. The instructors are professionals with years of experience in the apparel industry and have degrees in textile and apparel design.

***All sessions will be held at The Greenwich Club, 5426 Post Road, East Greenwich, RI.***

## **COURSE OUTLINE: SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER**

**Personalized Fit:** Learn how to compare your body measurements to a basic commercial pattern through the Minot Method. You will sew and fit a bodice, sleeve and skirt muslin. This concept will enable you to a better understanding of tissue fitting and the alteration process.

**Pattern Making:** Participants will learn the flat pattern method of pattern making with the use of half-size slopers. You will work with a bodice to move darts, add pleats or gathers; basic collars will be introduced along with sleeve variations. Simple styling of skirts from fitted to flared will be designed as well as many other design features.

## **COURSE OUTLINE: JANUARY - MAY**

**Classic Tailoring:** Participants will construct a blazer using the classic method which includes both hand and machine stitching. Finishing techniques, including bound buttonholes, welt pockets, notched collar, vented sleeves, and hand-inserted linings will be discussed and demonstrated.

**Specialty Fabrics:** This class covers construction techniques on lace, silk, velvets, and sequins. Emphasis will be on bridal construction details and accessories.

**Swimwear and Lingerie:** Learn about the various types of patterns, fabrics, threads, elastics, trims and laces suitable for lingerie and swimwear. Students must complete one project in specialty fabric, swimwear or lingerie fabric.

**Registration Deadline is August 31, 2012** - The fee of \$995 (includes textbooks: does not include project materials) is due in full upon registration. The program size is limited to 12 students per section. No refund will be given for cancellation unless the position in class can be filled. Because this is a non-credit certificate program, financial aid is not available. A \$25 non-refundable registration fee is included in the course fee. All sessions will be held at the Greenwich Club, 5426 Post Road, East Greenwich, RI.

**The Program runs from September 12, 2012 through December 12, 2012, resuming January 8, 2013 through May 15, 2013. Graduation is May 22, 2013.**

**NOTE: Students enrolled in both classes are required to attend the Wednesday, September 12<sup>th</sup> Orientation from 7-10PM at the Greenwich Club.**

**VACATION WEEKS:** 11/5, 11/19, 2/18, 3/11, 4/22