

Want a career in quilting?



Textile and Quilt Artist Doris Lovidina-Lee

I first met Doris at the Toronto Modern Quilt Guild when it was in its early days, and only had about a dozen members. At the time she was creating pieces that referenced traditional blocks in a modern aesthetic, always unique and uniquely hers.



Then she took a class in Shibori dying. That started her on the path of becoming a textile artist, combining traditional Shibori techniques with Canadian snow to create one-of-a-kind scarves. Dyeing with snow and using Shibori (folding, twisting, tying) results in beautiful designs due to the gradual and variable nature of the process. All of Doris' scarves are made using natural fibres: cotton, linen, silk, rayon, bamboo and wool. Presently you can find her scarves for sale on [her website](#) and at <https://boutiquefirenze.ca> in London Ontario. Check her website for other spots!



Doris also continues to quilt- when we spoke recently she was working on a series called House and Home.. can't wait to see these when done! One of that series: *Sunshine and Skinned Knees* was juried into the European Patchwork Meeting September 2023. It is part of the SAQA Global Minimalism Exhibition.



Doris lives and works in Toronto, where she uses her entire house as a studio! Find her on [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#), and her website, dorislovidinallee.com

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