

EUROPEAN QUILT ASSOCIATION

EQA Challenge 2024/2025 (juried)

“Legend”

The purpose of the European Quilt Association is to promote quilting across borders, cultures and language barriers. EQA is reaching out to new venues and has been offered gallery space at Abilmente in Vicenza, Italy, in February 2025.

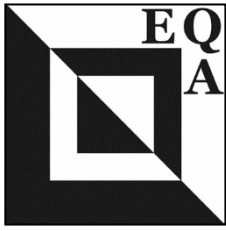
A juried exhibition on the topic ‘Legend’ will be shown. Legends are numerous, interesting, and sometimes culture specific. Take your knowledge of and imagination about legends to fabric and create a legendary piece to be part of this new chapter of EQA history!

Two pieces per EQA member country will be selected.

Exhibited participants will receive free entry tickets to the show, and a valuable prize for ‘Best in Show’ will be issued.

RULES

1. The quilt will feature a legend or be associated in some way with the topic of legend(s).
2. Any technique or style may be used. Avoid making 3D quilts, and using heavy or fragile materials (or attachments that may prove irresistible to viewers to attempt touching them).
3. Binding: in accordance with the style of the quilt as long as the size requirements are followed
Dimensions: width 80 by height 120 cm (portrait orientation).
4. The quilt should be single sided, and with a minimum sleeve width of 10 cm.
5. The label on the back should contain the artist’s name, title of the quilt, the email address and the country of origin.
6. All guild members may participate and there is no entry fee. The quilts are not for sale.
7. It is expected that full images of quilts are not shared in any public/social forum prior to the EQA Facebook posting. Photos of the quilts may be used by the EQA for publicity purposes.
8. The collection of the quilts will be exhibited at Abilmente in Vicenza, Italy, in February 2025 and perhaps a few follow-up quilting events in the EQA member countries to be arranged.
9. Register your interest to participate with your EQA Representative by sending your name, address, e-mail either electronically or by mail on or before September 30, 2024. (This may be done using guild websites where available.)
10. Jurying will be anonymously by a select group of International Representatives from EQA member countries. The selection may not be disputed. Participants chosen for exhibition will receive 2 complimentary tickets to Abilmente. A prize for ‘Best in Show’ will be awarded.
11. As additional venues may be secured after the publication of this call for entry, at present the exact duration of traveling of the exhibition cannot be predicted at this moment. Entered quilts must be available for travel as long as the exhibition lasts, possibly up to two years.



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ENTRY FORM

NAME Tel. no/Mobile.

ADDRESS E-mail

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YOUR GUILD MEMBERSHIP NUMBER

Name of the quilt in your own language:

Name of the quilt in English:

I HAVE READ THE RULES AND AGREE TO THE CONDITIONS.

SIGNED **DATE**

Please complete and send the entry form by September 30, 2024.

Please send a **high-resolution picture** of your finished quilt by November 31st, 2024. Previously delivered photos may be used in announcements or advertisements.

The **finished quilts** are to be delivered to your EQA Representative by December 31st, 2024.

International Representative