

WORKSHOP 3 WITH MS. YOSHIKO WADA, PRESIDENT, WORLD SHIBORI NETWORK RESIST DYEING TEXTILES: BUILDING BLOCKS

Workshop Dates: JANUARY 6 - 8, 2016

In this three-day workshop, scholar, educator, artist and mentor to Jin Ze Arts Centre, Yoshiko Iwamoto Wada will explore the foundation of shaped resist textiles through the exploration of materials (polyester, wool and silk) and technique (printing, dyeing heat-setting and degumming). She will present hands-on workshops and demonstrations where participants will understand shaped resist textiles in the context of tradition, design and sustainable practice. Pieces from the Wada collection will be shared as an example and inspiration. It is encouraged for participants to bring their own work or collections for group discussion as well as personal feedback and to transform learning into creative practice. On January 5, there is a day to enjoy the Jin Ze Arts Centre and quaint canal town of JinZe, thus you have 4 days and 5 nights at Jin Ze

January 4th or earlier: Arrive into Shanghai – Arrange own accommodation not provided anytime before the 4th night. Flying into Pudong Airport (PVG) is recommended. For your extra stay, we recommend the Central Hotel Shanghai in downtown Shanghai.

January 4th, 20:30: Transport from Central Hotel Shanghai to Jin Ze Arts Centre. Arrive at Jinze Arts Center in late PM on night before the workshop.

January 5th, all day to explore the Jin Ze Art Centre and enjoy the quaint canal town of Jin Ze.

Add-On Day Trips

OPTIONAL Day Trip B on January 4th: One day tour to Suzhou or fabric market in Shanghai. Must be reserved online with non-refundable \$35 USD deposit. Balance to be paid in USD cash in Shanghai. To join the Day Trip, **arrive by 8:00 AM at Jin Ze Arts Centre** for departure at 8:30 AM.

Transportation to and from Jin Ze Arts Centre

A pick up from Central Hotel, Shanghai will be arranged at 20:30, two nights prior to the workshop on January 4th. Departure transport back to Shanghai is on your own (shared taxi can be approx. 240 RMB total).