

GBKG Speaker Presentation

Thursday, February 15, 2024 10:45 am -11:45 am Eastern

Guest Speaker: Bristol Ivy



Knitting Outside the Box

One of the most interesting and best parts about knitting is the huge variety of patterns available. But where does the inspiration for those patterns come from? Bristol Ivy will talk about different forms of inspiration and different ways of thinking about knitting, and then explore methods and theory to bring those ideas to reality. She will share some of her inspiration for her designs and help us find some of our own inspiration.



Bristol Ivy is a knitting designer, teacher, and author from Bangor, Maine. Her work has been published with *Pom Pom, amirisu*, Quince & Co., *Making*, and her own eponymous pattern line. She has taught at such events as Squam Art Workshops, Edinburgh Yarn Festival, and Vogue Knitting Live, as well as yarn shops worldwide. Her recent books, *Knitting Outside the Box* and *Knitting Outside the Box*: *Drape and Fold*, both with PomPom Press, explore her lifelong commitment to breaking rules and finding beauty in unexpected places. When not knitting, she's sewing, running, watching far too many British murder mysteries, and baking a mean loaf of oatmeal honey bread.

Learn more about Bristol Ivy:

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