Textile Beat offerings

Every day we eat and we dress. We are conscious of our food – it is time to be more conscious of our clothes.

Slow fashion is a way of dressing with story and conscience. It covers sustainable fibres, ethical production, vintage and second-hand, locally made, artisan skills, upcycle and repurpose, repair and care, buying less of better quality, and sewing your own.

Clothes have stories. Ask questions about who made your clothes and what from – and think about where they go when you shed them. Make good choices – for yourself, for society and the planet.

#dresswithconscience #dresswithstory #sewitagain

Talks

Jane tailors talks to suit students, people who sew and those who don't sew but love and care for their clothes.

- Why we need to dress with conscience
- Upcycled Sew it Again year 'show and tell' \$200-\$400 depending on audience + GST + travel cost

Workshops

Jane offers creative sewing workshops that explore options to mend and remake, refashion and repurpose existing clothing.

Half-day workshops - \$350 One-day workshops - \$600 Two-day workshops - \$1100 + GST + travel cost

Organise a Restyle Party with your friends and receive a bonus upcycle in return.

Commissions

- History skirt create a unique garment story \$300
- Memory shift bring fresh life to special garments \$200

"Dressing is an agricultural act (unless you wear synthetic fibres made from petroleum, coal or gas)" – Jane Milburn



Textile Beat is a social enterprise business inspiring mindful and careful use and reuse of natural fibres, fabrics and found stuff.

Established by Jane Milburn in Brisbane, Australia in 2013, it taps into potential opportunities to repurpose existing natural fibre garments for pleasure, reward and sustainability.

During 2014, Jane undertook the 365-day Sew it Again project and posted a refashion project very day to demonstrate creative ways to reuse existing clothing.

Connect with Jane

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