MATERIALS LIST for "LIT from WITHIN:

Concentration in this class is on achieving very specific shapes from translucent, thin felt creations (incl.. surprise effects when illuminated) with the help of various wool types, lay out methods, inclusions, support structures and tunnel variations. If a very specific lampshade, or armature needs to be covered, please bring the actual frame or all measurements needed with you to dress this very shape.

Rendezvous Marketplace will have merino roving, Uzbek (and other dyed) silks, and many other supplies, including thin plastic, ball brausers, felting needles, netting, Gertie balls, bubble wrap and underlayment, available for sale. You may contact Outback Fibers or The Felting Source to order ahead of time and they will deliver to the Rendezvous. <u>www.thefeltingsource.com</u> or <u>www.outbackfibers.com</u>

SUPPLIES:

2-3 oz. Natural or light colored Merino Roving

- 1-2oz. Natural Wensleydale, Blueface Leicester or other Longwool Roving
- 1-2 yds. Silk Organza
- 1-2 yds heer fabrics (Margilan pure silk, chiffon, gauze, seersucker, cheesecloth etc.)
- Lightweight Black Silk Fabric scraps (silk gauze, chiffon, cheesecloth, organza, seersucker etc...)
- 1-2 silk caps
- ca. 5" strip natural wool prefelt
- Embellishments for Surface: (i.e. small amounts of colored wool, prefelt scraps, Silk, tencel or other fibers, hankie, fabric scraps, , novelty yarns, threads, paper, , small beads, etc.)
- Embellishments to be embedded: (i.e. yarn as well as quilting or extra strong thread, small embroidery or lace gems, doily(s) or other raised inlay effects,(dried leaves, seeds, feathers, old felt scraps, glass beads etc.)
- small spool or ca. 10yds thin Wire thickness between 12-18 gauge ,...
- small jewelry needle nose pliers
- 3-4 yds. Clothes line rope or equivalent soft cording
- cheap Masking tape, ca. 1" width
- 1 x gertie ball (any size of your liking), (with a small bowl to rest ball on top of) <u>8", 10", 12" and 15" available at</u> <u>Marketplace or from The Felting Source</u>
- 2 balloons (with kitchen bag clips)
- 1 painter's brush, 1" min., small cup, small tulle or soft netting, gloves, apron

FELTING EQUIPMENT:

- 2x pieces of regular bubble wrap ca. 36/48"x 48/54"
- Non-slip(rug) mat to cover the work surface
- 1 Foam or pool noodle to fit bubble wrap size 36" or 48"
- Ball Brauser or water sprinkler
- Bath scrunchy
- Bowl or container for warm water (1/4-1/2gallon size), + 1 small dish tub/bowl
- Bar soap and/or liquid soap of your choice
- 1 window screen or netting/ tulle
- 2-4 Towels, 1 dish towel
- 2-4 Fabric ties, rubber bands or panty hose legs
- ca. 2 yd of 1mm thin Plastic or Painters tarp/ (or indiv.larger pieces)
- ca. 1 2 yd Underlayment (resist material)
- Felting needle(s)+ small sponge
- Measuring Tape
- Ruler
- Paper scissors
- small sharp pointed Fabric scissors and regular Fabric scissors
- Quilter's Clips (also called Sewing or wonder clips) i.e. <u>https://www.amazon.com/Clover-Wonder-Clips-Red-50-</u>
- Pack/dp/B004ZKPX8A or mini/extra small binder paper clips
- sewing thread and sewing needle,
- sewing pins
- Pencil / Paper/ Notebook, old newspaper or patterning paper
- Permanent Marker
- small bag full of old plastic bags, ie. newspaper bags

(- Optional: Low noise finishing sander (+ earplugs if needed)

- No initial Supply Fee. Various Materials can be purchased in class or at marketplace if needed in addition.