



International Feltmakers Association

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## IFA FELT SWAP 2023

### Felt connects, let's swap again!

The fourth IFA felt swap is organized for 2023.

In all of the previous times more than 100 IFA members have participated, which is a great result.

I hope for many participants this time as well. After all, swapping your felt work is a fun way to connect with another IFA member.

Following Light, Weave and Structure, **the theme of this year's felt swap is BROOCH.**

When making a brooch, you can use many techniques. Wet felting, dry felting and all kinds of ways to make your felt exciting. The size of the brooch is up to you.

Whether you are a beginner or more experienced, you are welcome to join. The main thing is to make something with care and send it to the felt maker you are paired with within the time allotted.

The concept of the swap is simple: Make a piece of felt, according to the theme. Send it to your swap partner and you will receive a piece of felt from the person you swap with.

### HOW TO APPLY

I need your permission to send your details to the feltmaker you swap with. Should you not be able to send your felt in time, you need to contact your swap-partner yourself. I organize this swap, but I cannot take responsibility for people not sending their felt in the month agreed upon.

For the first time, this year you can also say if you would prefer to swap your felt with a feltmaker who lives on the same continent as you. I will then take this into account as much as possible when putting the duos together.

When your brooch is finished, I would like to receive a picture of it. The pictures will be used in a video presentation of the swap and may also feature in Felt Matters. When you send the picture, please give the picture your full name to prevent any mistakes when it is published.

Would you like to join? You can send me an email at [international@feltmakers.com](mailto:international@feltmakers.com)

Please mention:

- Your name
- Your address
- Your email address

Preference to swap with a feltmaker living in the same continent or not.

**Please send this email before 1 August 2023. The actual swapping will take place later this year.**

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International Officer