

Press release

International textile competition 2010

on the theme of: **Sporen (Tracks, traces)**

Tracks are visible references or remainders of something that once was. Eddying in the water (wind), graceful lines of graffiti (paint) or patterns on fabric (textile) are different expressions of this.

Tracks can be found outside in the landscape, but also in cities and villages, street plans or wall posters. Tracks can also be found inside, like old wall papers, wall paintings or upholsteries. Tracks colour our life in commerce, industry and religion.

What tracks are we leaving for the future?

Deadline: October 1, 2009

In 2010, under the auspices of STIDOC, the 4th edition of the Textiles Festival will be organised by Breed Textiel Overleg (BTO)(Wider textiles consultation): the cooperative of Weefnetwerk (Weaving Network), Landelijke Organisatie Kant Kunst Nederland (LOKK)(National Organisation for Lace Arts Netherlands), *Merkwaardig* Vereniging Liefhebbers Merklappen (Association for Sampler Lovers), the NbvP, Vrouwen van Nu (National Union of Rural Woman Today's Women), the Quiltersgilde (Quilters' Guild) and the Stichting Textiel *Plus* (Foundation Textile *Plus*).

All textile techniques are permitted, choice of materials is free, format is limited: two-dimensional 50 x 50 cm (20 x 20 inches) or 200 cm in circumference, three-dimensional 35 x 35 x 35 cm (14 x 14 x 14 inches) including finishing.

The submissions of the juried competition can be seen at the **Textile Festival 2010, from March 24 – 28, 2010, in the Pieters-church in the city of Leiden, the Netherlands.**

Competition rules and registration form see:
website Textiel Festival 2010: www.textielfestival.nl.

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Textiel Festival
24 t/m 28 maart 2010
Pieterskerk, Leiden
woensdag t/m zaterdag
van 10.00 - 17.00 uur
zondag van 10.00 - 16.00 uur

programma
- exposities
- demonstraties
- huiskamer lab
- workshops
- wedstrijd
- arts&crafts markt
- leveranciers markt
- textiel route

Textiel Festival 2010
van 24 t/m 28 maart
in Leiden is een project van
Stidoc en Breed Textiel Overleg:
- Landelijke Organisatie Kant
Kunst Nederland
- Merkwadig, Vereniging
Liefhebbers Merklappen
- NBvP, Vrouwen van Nu
- Quiltersgilde
- Stichting Textiel Plus
- Weefnetwerk