



**Sustainability: How **YOU** Can Make a Difference**

**SHOWCASE OF EXCELLENCE**

Apparel and Textile Juried Runway Show and Mounted Exhibit

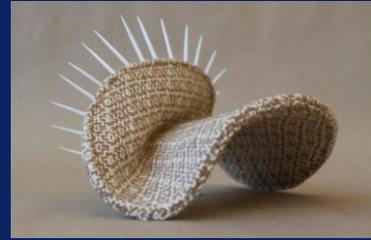
**May 1, 2014 . 7:00 PM . ALUMNI CENTER**



# KELSIE DOTY

Council Grove, KS

First Snow on Barren Branches & Biotic Form



**Natural Dye:** Walnut & redcedar sawdust

**Slow Design:** Hand-dyed yarn, hand-loomed fabric, locust thorns in hat

**Inspired by:** Tree bark



# LAUREN NUTT

Wichita, KS

Bio-Dynamic: *Wrap Dress and Short Suit*

**Biodegradable:** Cotton fabric, tie closures and shell buttons

**Inspired by:** Wind turbines



# MELISSA RICHARDSON

Leawood, KS

Bio-Dynamic: Laced Top & Skirt, Dress

**Biodegradable:** Cotton fabric, laced fabric closures

**Inspired by:** Wind turbines



# AMARA GIERSCH

Salina, KS

Loup Charmant Resortwear

**Service System:** Clients provide special jewelry to anchor draped cotton gauze

**Inspired by:**



# HEIDI CONSTANT

Overland Park, KS

Loup Charmant Resortwear

**Service System:** Clients provide special jewelry to anchor draped cotton gauze

**Inspired by:**



# LAUREN NUTT

Wichita, KS

Classic Modernism

**Slow Fashion:** Original design, custom fit and quality construction.

**Inspired by:**



# KELLY KELL

Junction City, KS

## Custom-Made Equestrian Shirt & Denim Short

### Use of Existing Materials and

**Custom:** All fabrics and notions were donated by a former sewer, preventing them from disposal



# BAILEY CARPENTER

Wichita, KS

Cycle Interrupted

**Upcycle:** Redesign of gently-worn shirts from donations and thrift stores from donations and thrift stores



# MARGARET BAUGHMAN

Garden City, KS

Sentimental Summer

## Upcycle and Emotional Durability:

Redesign of recently passed father's 20-year-old shirt



# ELENA ANDRUS

Junction City, KS

## Metamorphosis: An Upcycled Soldier

**Upcycle:** Army dress green uniform now obsolete, and not to be worn by civilians, was combined with a thrift store velvet gowns



# CHERYL YACENDA

Andover, KS

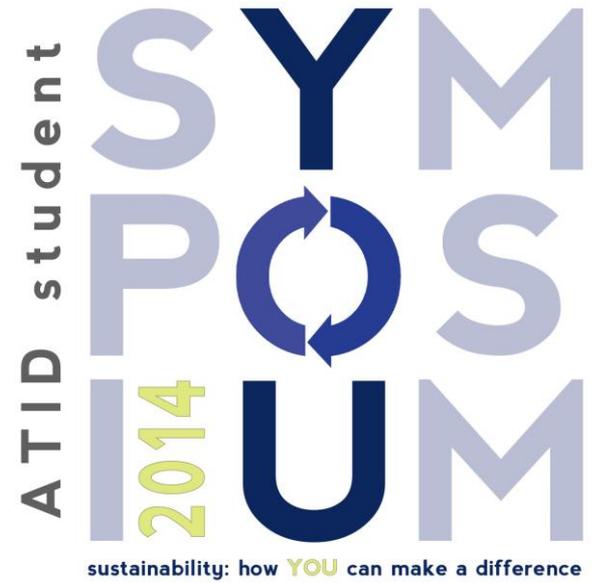
Elsa Pasttow

**Product Service:** Collect workroom muslin scraps

**Eco-Couture:** Create custom gowns from muslin scraps (150 ruffles, 250 strips), smocking & old paint

**Inspired by:**





# DENIM CATEGORY

# BRENNAN RANDEL

Frankfort, KS

## Upcycled Denim Vest, Skirt & Crop Top

### Upcycle and Emotional Durability:

Grandparents' overalls, jeans and denim skirt were refashioned into a new outfit. A donated shirt and overall parts formed the top.



# ZIBO WANG

Beijing, China

De Noveing

**Upcycle:** Gently used denim repurposed into color blocked dresses



# BRENNAN RANDEL

Frankfort, KS

## Summer Denim Dress

**Durable:** Quality fabric, construction and classic design extend wear life. Cotton fabric can be recycled.



# VICTORIA UMSCHIED

Belvue, KS

Cambridge Style & Oxford Style

## Upcycle and Natural

**Materials:** Sweaters refashioned from gently used wool/cotton sweaters. Jeans from denim. Trims and bag from upcycled leather pants and jacket.



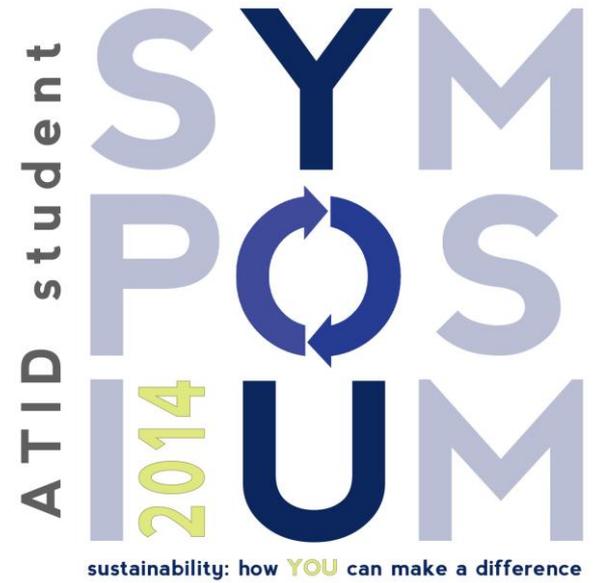
# KELLY KELL

Junction City, KS

## Upcycled Romper

**Upcycle:** Out-of-style jeans and donated trims used to create the romper with no additional expenses





# WOOL CATEGORY

# KATIE JONES

Wichita, KS

Ethereal Canyon Designs

**Slow:** Crocheted by hand

**Minimal Waste:** Use of  
rectangle shaped with pleats



# KAITLYN KNIGHT

Kansas City, KS

Folk Designs

**Modular:** Ties and zippers allow for different looks

**Upcycle:** Ethnic textile donations provide playful pattern for junior market

**Inspired by:**





# RYLEE BACON

Olathe, KS

Mutation

**Low Impact:** Recycled polyester, organic cotton, and waterless dyeing

**Inspired by:** Natural mutation of cells forms into stronger creations



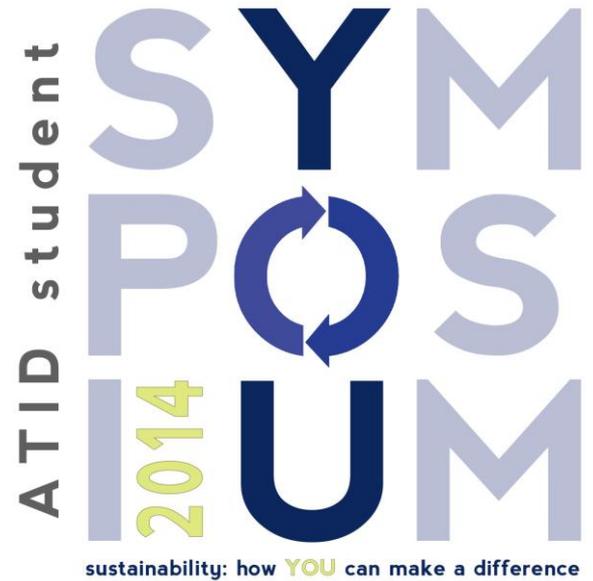
# LAUREN SCHONEMAN

Manhattan, KS

Natural Unrest

**Low Impact:** Recycled polyester, shoe fabric use, and waterless dyeing  
**Inspired by:** Becoming one with nature using technology to assist with emotional connection





# JANET LEE REES INSPIRED

# KATHRYN ZOSCHKE

Merriam, KS

Marvelous MODness

**Vintage:** Vintage fabric, pattern, and zipper

**Emotional Durability:** Grandmother's jewelry as embellishment

**Inspired by:**



# HAYAT ALBLOUSHY

Salmiya, Kuwait

Preserving Culture

**Natural Dye:** Hand-dyed and painted with weld, indigo, cochineal, cutch, and logwood

**Tradition:** Celebrate traditional Alsadu weaving

**Inspired by:**



# YING MA

Yuzhong District, China

Secret Garden

**Natural Dye:** Hand-dyed and painted with  
cutch, madder, logwood, quebracho, lac, Osage  
orange, and walnut

**Inspired by:**



# KELSIE DOTY

Council Grove, KS

Hawaiian Upcycled

**Upcycle:** Hawaiian shirts redesigned into resort wear

**Inspired by:**



# BROOKE WALLACE

New Cambria, KS

Riding Rendition

**Slow and Durable:** Custom sewn for equestrian and rodeo competitions

**Inspired by:**



# LAUREN NUTT

Wichita, KS

## Plaid Wool Coat

**Slow and Durable:** Tailored and stripe matched for quality and longevity

**Inspired by:**



# KIMBERLY GOTTSCHALK

Ellis, KS

## Kimberly Ann - Collection

**Slow:** Custom sewn with leather details hand sewn

**Inspired by:**



# BRENNAN RANDEL

Frankfort, KS

## All-over Lace Wedding Gown

**Slow and Durable:** Quality fabric, construction and classic design

**Inspired by:**

