



# **BERLIN CREATES FAIR FASHION WORKSHOP SERIES 2023**

**Perspectives of Fair Fashion and Textile Firms from the Global South  
October – November 2023  
Calypso Hock**

# KEY FACTS

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- ▶ **The seminars will take place:**
  - ▶ Introduction to Fair Trade **23.10.2023 at 5 pm** (Berlin Time) Guest: Rodolfo Gioscia, Manos del Uruguay
  - ▶ Fast Fashion: Let's do it differently! **30.10.2023 at 5 pm** (Berlin Time) Guest: Robert Meeder, recognized professor of practice (university SCAD) and senior expert in the fields of craft, fashion, design, and sustainability
  - ▶ Monitoring, Certifications, and Blockchain **06.11.2023 at 5 pm** (Berlin Time) Guest: Selyna Peiris, Selyn Textiles (Sri Lanka) & Jonas Lorenz, Forum Fairer Handel
  - ▶ Cultural Appropriation **13.11.2023 at 5 pm** (Berlin Time) Guest: Lorena de la Piedra, Taller Maya (Mexico)
- ▶ The workshop series takes place in English, online via Zoom, and is entirely free.
- ▶ It is designed as a training and exchange platform for Fashion Labels, Fashion Students, Young Fashion Designers, and textile/fashion firms from the Global South who work according to the social and ecological standards or fair trade or want to improve in that direction.
- ▶ The seminars are an opportunity to find new collaboration partners for your future collections! Calypso Hock offers support for matching and communication.
- ▶ Each seminar will be hosted by Calypso Hock and a speaker from a Fashion/Textile Firm from the Global South. An additional speaker from the Forum Fairer Handel might occasionally join. The aim is to show the perspective from the Global South throughout the workshop series.
- ▶ You will receive the final documentation of the seminar and many new contacts and references for future collaborations.
- ▶ Each seminar will have a duration of approx. 90 minutes or depending on your needs and will include time for questions, break out sessions, and exchange among participants.
- ▶ Registrations please to: [c.hock@forum-fairer-handel.de](mailto:c.hock@forum-fairer-handel.de) preferably until 17th of October
- ▶ It is strongly recommended to attend all workshop sessions, but not mandatory.

# SYLLABUS

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1. Introduction to fair trade
  1. The WFTO and Fair Fashion
  2. Focus on principles 3 and 4
  3. Manos del Uruguay
  4. Questions and Discussion
2. Fast Fashion – let's do it differently!
  1. Slow Fashion
  2. Circular Fashion
  3. Questions and Discussion
3. Monitoring, Certifications and Blockchain
  1. Certifications
  2. Monitoring
  3. Blockchain (Selyn Textiles)
  4. Questions and Discussion
4. Cultural Appropriation
  1. The issues of cultural appropriation
  2. How to work with artisan communities?
  3. Taller Maya
  4. Questions and Discussion

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