

Are you ready to take your  
knitting to the next level, make  
new friends, and enjoy your craft  
more than ever?

Become a member today!

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# The Knitting Guild Association



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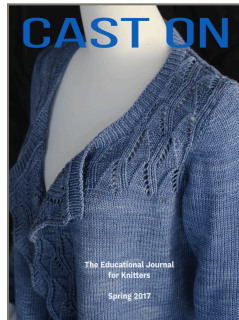


The Knitting Guild Association is a 501c3 nonprofit dedicated to providing education and resources to advance the mastery of the craft of knitting. We support serious knitters in their efforts to perpetuate traditional techniques and keep the artisan aspects and high quality standards of the craft alive.

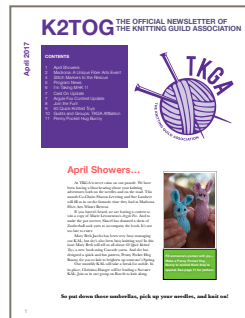
Dedicated to Knitting Education

Founded in 1985, TKGA has undergone several changes, most recently in 2016, when TKGA Master Knitters reinvented the organization to make it an official non-profit guild dedicated to the advancement of knitting and preservation of the craft. Whether you are a brand new knitter or you've been knitting for as long as you can remember, we have you covered. We offer one-on-one courses to help you learn with our experts. If a knitting career is in your future, we have certification programs to help you prepare. If you're looking to meet other knitters, we run a lively forum on [ravelry.com](http://www.ravelry.com), where our guild members connect, connect, knit together, and compete for prizes. Find us at <http://www.ravelry.com/groups/the-knitting-guild-association-tkga>

Our publications allow our members to share their knowledge and news about knitters and knitting. Our educational journal, *Cast On*, is published quarterly. It is the only journal dedicated to knitting education. Articles and patterns encompass all skill levels and patterns include technical tips and designer notes to guide you, making your project a joy to knit. *K2TOG*, our monthly newsletter, keeps members up to date on all things TKGA.



Cast On



K2TOG

An Individual Membership allows access to both publications and includes current as well as past material. Membership also allows you to purchase courses and certification programs. Guilds and knitting groups can become Affiliate Members which allows access to a special guild section of the website with guild specific material. Membership for individuals or guilds can start at any time. For more information visit us at [TKGA.org](http://TKGA.org)

## CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

TKGA Correspondence and Mini Correspondence Courses allow you to build your knitting skills. We offer courses for all skill levels. You'll study at your own pace with the finest knitting teachers. Unlike other online courses, you will get direct feedback from the instructor to ensure you understand the coursework. You are able to contact the instructor at any point in the course for clarifications and explanations or answers to any questions you may have. Our instructors are available to help you every step of the way.

All of our instructors are current or past members of the Master Hand Knitting Committee and have hours of experience evaluating knitters' work in a positive and constructive manner.

Find out more at <https://tkga.org/education/>

## CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS

We offer two types of certification, Masters and Specialized. The Master Hand Knitting Certification Program is our most popular program with over 1000 knitters participating. It is a self-study program that tests your knitting skills. There are three levels, each level building on the previous one. We also offer Master Machine Knitting Certification. Are you up to the challenge?

In addition, we certify Knitting Judges and soon we will be adding Technical Editing Certification and Knitting Instructor Certification. Following that, we will be offering Certification for Test Knitting.

Find out more at <https://tkga.org/certification/>

## GUILD SUPPORT

TKGA is here to provide guilds with simple tools to help get your guild off the ground and be successful. TKGA affiliated guilds have access to the many benefits of TKGA membership. In addition to the technical content, patterns, and articles, there is a special section on our website for guild resources with articles and class material you can use with your guild or group.

Find out more at <https://tkga.org/overall-guild/>