STEAM for Creative Innovation: Practice based approach for integrating wearable technology in fashion design

### Fashion Design

### 01 WHAT IS FASHION DESIGN?

Fashion is an **aesthetic activity** that results in functional, and **occasionally profitable**, **products**.

Fashion has served as a tool for class **differentiation**, **self-expression**, **social performance**, **cultural formation**, **and lifestyle articulation** (Kennedy, Calderin, Stoehrer, 2013).



## 02 TRADITIONAL FASHION

### HAUTE COUTURE

- The highest level of this skill or trade
- Signifies sewing or stitching
- Extreme attention to detail and finish
- Custom-fitted clothing
- Couture fabric (Waddell, 2004)



COUTURE



# 03 TRADITIONAL <u>FASHION</u>

### **READY-TO-WEAR**

- Made in standard sizes
- Is being marketed completely.
- Clothing is crafted in smaller production runs that ensure originality and quality (Kearney, 1998).
- Fashion Capital
- Fashion Calendar
- Fashion Show
- Tier of fashion





### **TYPES OF FASHION**

### MASS MARKET

- Provide fashion items at affordable prices
- Less expensive textiles and faster
- Manufactured in large quantities
- Mass manufacturing procedures to save time and money
- Only available in standard sizes
- Follow the trend of fashion brand (Waddell, 2004)





Waddell, G. (2004). How fashion works : Couture, ready-to-wear and mass production. John Wiley & Sons, Incorporated.

### Fashion Trend Theory

- 1. Trickle- up (Designer/ editor)
- 2. Trickle- down (Sub culture)
- 3. Trend book (WGSN, Percler)

#### **Fashion Show:**

**1. Type:** RTW (prêt a porter) CTR (Haute Couture) Pre-Fall, Resort

2. Season:

3. Fashion Capital



Woodstock el fenómeno musical de hace 50 años

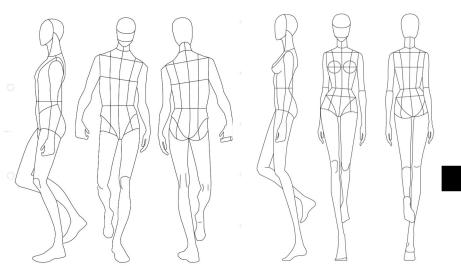
### TECHNIQUE-Draw, Draft and Drap

### **01** FASHION ILLUSTRATION

#### **FASHION ILLUSTRATION:**

Full outfit drawn on a figure with full styling.

These can be drawn with the use of a figure template. Conventional sketches are based on the ideal and standard body shape.



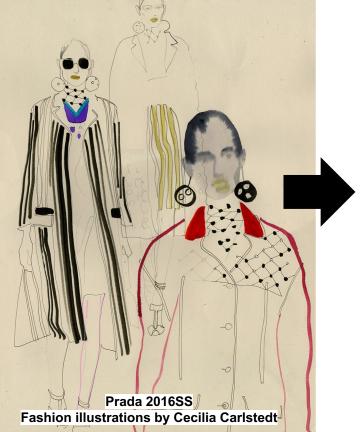


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### **UGLY DRAWING AND ILLUSTRATION**

Not requiring perfect drawing skill. Illustration is about the creative idea and design concept.

#### LET'S LOOK AT SOME ILLUSTRATIONS from FAMOUS FASHION BRANDS!!!



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### 04 UGLY DRAWING AND ILLUSTRATION YOHJI YAMAMOTO 2013FW



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#### **UGLY DRAWING AND ILLUSTRATION** 05 MEADHAM KIRCHHOFF 2013FW

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### 06 UGLY DRAWING AND ILLUSTRATION BALMAIN 201355





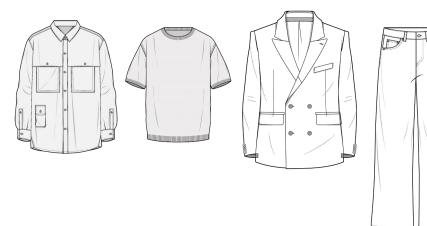
Balmain 2013SS Fashion illustrations by Rei Nadal

### 07 production drawing/flat drawing

Production drawing shows the factory or pattern cutter the shape of the garment when laid flat, without any artistic flare or stylization.

It clearly shows the details of the garment, Including:

- Type of stitches
- Shape/detail e.g. darts or tucks
- - -
  - Trims and fastenings



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### TECHNIQUE-OPEN SEAM AND DIY FASHION

### **01** HOW TO CREATE AN OPEN SEAM?

#### FIRST YOU NEED TO KNOW....

In order to create a seam you would need to sew through two or more pieces of fabric to connect them.

- 01 You will have two fabric or more
- 02 And you need to distinguish the right side and wrong side of the fabric
  - RIGHT SIDE: is the side that should be seen when you are wearing

WRONG SIDE: is the side that won't been seen when you are wearing



### STEP 1

★ PUT ONE FABRIC UNDER THE OTHER FABRIC



NOTICE: The right side should be faced to each other

That's mean the wrong side should on top

### HOW TO CREATE AN ()**OPEN SEAM?**

### STEP 2

#### LEAVE A SEAM ALLOWANCE

A seam allowance is the space between a seam and the edge of the fabric.

How much is seam allowance? (UK / EU based) that is 1cm

### **STEP 3**

#### SEW THE SEAM

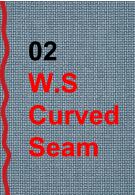
You can sew the seam by hand stitching or using a sewing machine. And your seams can be straight or curved.

Then you can stitch the straight or curved line (RED LINE) to attach both fabric

Remember need to do backstitching at the beginning and the end of the stitching

Seam Allowance 1cm  $\mathbb{O}2$ Siraioni 

(Wide)



You can see the result after attaching two fabrics

And the next step : **OPEN** THE SEAM



### **03** HOW TO CREATE AN OPEN SEAM?

After sewing the seam:

**1. Plain seam:** a seam that has been stitched and pushed to one side.

2. Open seam: a seam that has been stitched and then pressed open.

Finally, you can overlock the edges of the seam allowance to create a clean edge







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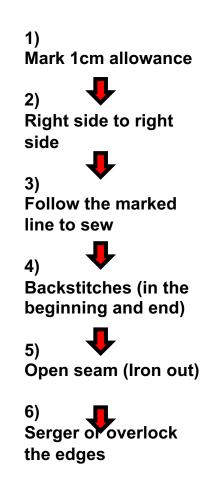
Basic Methods of clothes making

1. Draping

2. Drafting



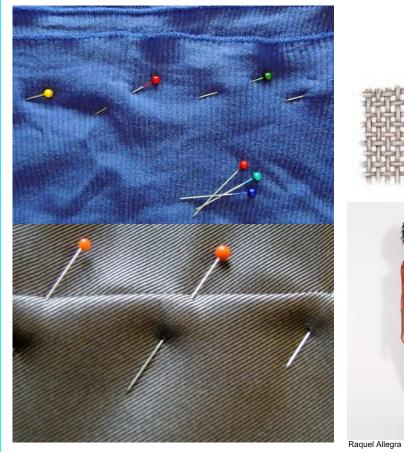






### Draping

- How to Pin 1.
- Type of fabric: Woven and Knit 2.





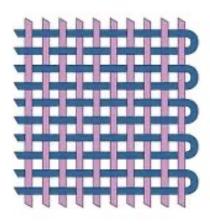
Valentino



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### Woven

- 1:1 Plain weave
- 1:2 Tweed weave
- 16:1 Satin weave







Gucci



Clothbase



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### Knit • Fine

Chunk knit

Detail: Cable, Jacquard

Style: Cardigan/jumper/tee

Method: Fully fashion, cut and sewn



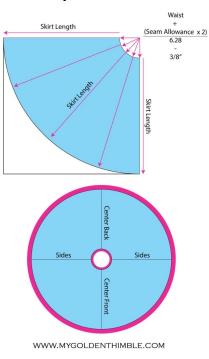
Prada, Celine, Chanel

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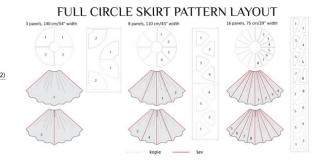
#### making Drafting

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#### **Circular pattern**



My Golden Thimble



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Bibhu Mohapatra

Louis Vuitton

Sure Fit Designs

Lana Mueller



#### Basic Methods of clothes making Drafting

Try different shapes and calculate







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