

Kramer Hall Presents 'Fashion in Full Circle: A Vintage-Inspired Fashion Event' on Nov. 21

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Galloway, NJ – Students in Stockton University's Fashion and Society class, in collaboration with April Schenk, an eco-friendly design house specializing in couture jewelry and accessories, will present "Fashion in Full Circle: A Vintage-Inspired Fashion Event." The event will be held **Saturday, Nov. 21, 2015 at 12:30 p.m.** on the third floor of Kramer Hall, located at 30 Front St. in Hammonton.

Schenk will explore one-of-a-kind fashion through the decades to offer a message of positive self-image, and ideas to use vintage items to create a current fashion statement. Participants will learn how clothing design over the past century has come full circle to influence today's trends, and how personal style and self-confidence defines true fashion.

Accessories and vintage clothing have a leading role when it comes to personalizing an outfit and taking it to a superior level in terms of complexity and elegance, originality and style, says Schenk.

Since her collection's launch in 2008, Schenk has been the muse and creative force behind the label. Schenk's one-of-a kind, handcrafted and Earth-friendly designs are original works made with mostly re-purposed materials. She collects unique vintage treasures, heirloom jewels and metalwork, then deconstructs, refurbishes and re-designs her findings to form innovative pieces.

Her presentation will detail how fashion is transcendent throughout history and how ideas, style and image are constantly evolving, yet being re-invented year after year.

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For more information, visit Schenk's website at <u>www.aprilschenk.com</u>.

Kramer Hall, Stockton University's instructional site in downtown Hammonton, offers classes and community events, and is available for workshops, retreats and training. The three-level facility can accommodate up to 80 people and includes an art gallery, computer lab, multipurpose rooms and conference rooms. For more information, visit: <u>www.stockton.edu/hammonton</u>.