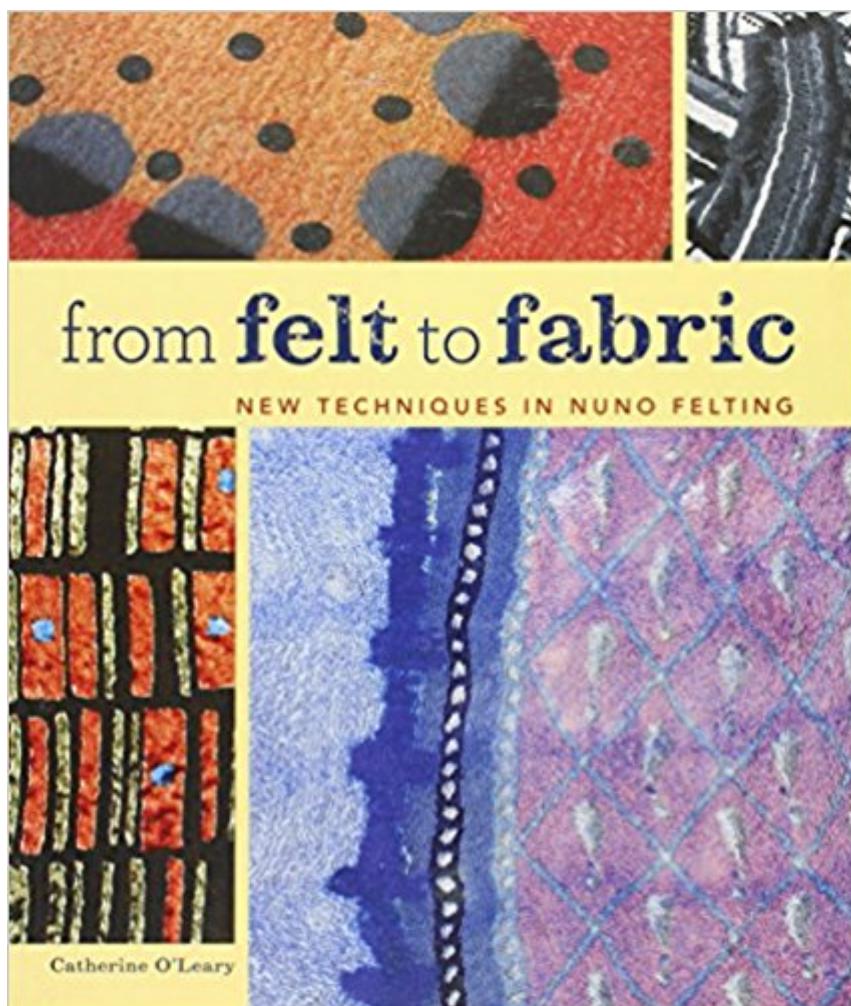


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# From Felt To Fabric: New Techniques In Nuno Felting



## **Synopsis**

Acclaimed fiber artist Catherine O'Leary introduces her distinctive, painterly approach to nuno felting with trademark techniques that make the craft easier to master, more creative, and more personal. Her exciting innovation, nuno pre-felts, integrates commercially printed fabric into the process and then uses these patterned pieces as design elements to create artful wearables and accessories. O'Leary explores principles of art and composition, like shape, color, and texture, and offers aspiring feltmakers inspirational projects plus a gallery of works illustrating the wide-ranging possibilities of her method.Â  Â

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## **Customer Reviews**

Catherine O'Leary lives in Victoria, Australia. She has worked with felt for more than 20 years, teaching and exhibiting extensively in Australia. Catherine has been profiled in several magazines, and her work is featured in the gallery of *Fabulous Felted Scarves* (Lark, 2007) and *500 Tables* (Lark, 2009).

This book has some lovely pictures of very, very creative elaborate nuno felting. It also includes a good description of the most basic felting. There is nothing in between. It would be nice if there were instruction for one, just one of the more elaborate designs. But no, you just have to guess. The book wasn't all that expensive so I guess I'm not sorry I bought it, but I really wish the author has thought to add just a couple of pages on how to make some of the lovely jackets and scarves pictured. It's

and ok book, with a little more it could have been really great. Sigh.

Not a lot of instruction. How many ways can you say "combining fabric and wool can bring interesting possibilities" ? Was hoping for more than the basic techniques I already knew. Might be a bit thin for a beginner.

I love this book! The shipping was unbelievably fast,too! The book gives me many ideas as to making patterns and being creative while creating felt fabric! In my first rating....I accidentally marked one star...ONLY BECAUSE I DIDN'T FIGURE OUT HOW TO GET THE 5 STARS TO CLICK ON! Oh my! You'll enjoy this book in your felting collection! Debra Burke, Binghamton, NY

Nuno felting is not a new technique. This book takes felting from scarves to garments. The author shows garments based on her designs but does not offer students to take ready made sewing patterns and make fabric using the nuno felting technique. Her ideas are interesting but applying them to a garment takes much thought and care.

Excellent. Good pictures, really idea generating presentation. Not your usual "how to" but more "what if and what can I do". The pictures are excellent and generate many ideas to apply in felting fabric for quilts, garments, etc. Super book!

I found the projects shown very inspiring, but unfortunately there was not enough instructions or step by step photos of how to make them.

The book is great but over my head. I wanted a beginners guide. This is a beginners guide for Nuno felting assuming you have done needle felting. I wanted it to assume I knew nothing and start with needle felting and take me up to the nuno felting. Oh well I went to the library and checked out some books to learn the basics and have this to look forward to.

Not worth buying as there is not enough information in it. I am an experienced felter and I expected to learn something new in this book.

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