

Renaissance Costuming Resources & Suppliers, Rev 2010

Margo Anderson

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Suppliers:

Margo Anderson's Historic Costume Patterns

<http://www.margospatterns.com>
Renaissance clothing patterns.

Alter Years

3749 E. Colorado Blvd.
Pasadena, CA 91107
626-585-2994
www.alteryears.com
Corset boning, millinery supplies, costume
accessories, period patterns and more

Amazon Drygoods Catalogs

2218 East 11th Street
Davenport, IA 52803
319-322-6800
<http://amazondrygoods.com/>
Hoops, hats, gloves, Patterns, shoes and more

Dharma Trading Co.

P.O. Box 150916
San Rafael, CA 94915
800-542-5227
www.dharmatrading.com
Dyes, fiber arts supplies for artists, fabric
(cotton, muslin, linen, hemp, silk)

Farthingales

www.farthingales.on.ca
[http://www.voguefabricsstore.com/store/home.
php?cat=150](http://www.voguefabricsstore.com/store/home.php?cat=150) (US supplier)
Corset building supplies, book and more

Lynn McMasters

www.lynnmcmasters.com
Hat patterns

Hedgehog Handworks Catalog

P.O. Box 45384
Westchester, CA 90045
888-670-6040
Needlework supplies, costuming supplies,
Millinery supplies, Books

Lacis

2990 Adeline St.
Berkeley, CA 94703
510-843-7178
Books, patterns, corset supplies,
Lace, hats, Victorian handbag supplies,
They also have a wonderfully museum for
viewing vintage garments.

Stone Mountain & Daughter

Berkeley, CA
A wonderful place for wool, linen and cotton.
They also have great buttons.

Reconstructing History

www.reconstructinghistory.com
Historical patterns, fabrics, embroidery
supplies, fabrics and more.

Sew True

<http://sewtrue.com/>
Silamide thread source and other sewing and
tailoring supplies.

Stan's Sewing Supplies

<http://www.stanssewingsupplies.com/>
Open ended metal thimble

Richard the Thread

<http://www.richardthethread.com/>
Various sewing and theatrical supplies.

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Other Sources

Denver Fabrics (wide variety of fabrics, good prices, service is mixed.):

<http://www.denverfabrics.com>

Fabrics-Store.com (inexpensive linens):

<http://www.fabrics-store.com/first.php>

Hemp Traders (hemp canvas, hemp/silk blends, hemp twine):

<http://www.hemptraders.com>

Renaissance Fabrics

<http://www.renaissancefabrics.net>

Silk Things (silk sewing threads):

<http://www.silkthings.com/>

Books:

The Tudor Tailor

Reconstructing Sixteenth-Century Dress

Jane Malcolm-Davies and Ninya Mikhaila.

ISBN 0713489855

<http://www.tudortailor.com>

Very excellent book on Costuming from Henry VIII through Elizabeth I

Period Costume for Stage & Screen

Patterns for Women's Dress 1500-1800

Jean Hunnisett

ISBN: 0-88734-610-3

Leather Braiding

Bruce Grant

ISBN 0-87033-039-X

Patterns of Fashion

Janet Arnold

ISBN 0-89676-083-9

The cut and construction of clothes for men and women c1560-1620

Patterns of Fashion 4

The Cut and Construction of Linen Shirts, Smocks,

... for Men and Women C. 1540-1660

Janet Arnold, Costume and Fashion, 2008

ISBN 0896762629

Queen Elizabeth's Wardrobe Unlock'd

Janet Arnold, ISBN 0901286206

Published by Maney – UK

A visual feast!

Dress at the Court of King Henry VIII

Maria Hayward, ISBN 1904350704

Maney Publishing, 2007

The Costume Technician's Handbook 3rd Ed.

Rosemary Ingham and Liz Covey.

Heinemann Drama, 2003

ISBN 0325004773

From the Neck Up

An Illustrated Guide to Hatmaking

Denise Dreher

ISBN 0941082008

<http://www.hatbook.com/>

Large selection of millinery resources.

Web Sites:

Tudor and Elizabeth Portraits

<http://www.elizabethan-portraits.com/>

Tudor England: Images

<http://www.marileecody.com/images.html>

Web Gallery of Art

<http://www.wga.hu>

Elizabethan Costume Page

<http://www.elizabethancostume.net/>

Articles and links to many Elizabethan costume articles on the net.

Tudor Effigies: Costume Research Image Library

<http://www.jmdsrv1.dyndns.org/tudoreffigies/>

A Gentlewoman's Renaissance

Research

<http://www.kimiko1.com/research-16th/>

Detailed images on French hoods, Mens and Womens Tudor image 1480-1540s, "Costuming Myths: Busted", and more.