

# Private Indigo Classes

## Atelier Mei Line

Learning by doing: Hands-on, One-on-one

### Half-a-day introduction to Indigo

*Experience the **indigo magic**  
and understand the chemistry and technique behind it  
by **dyeing your own linen scarf** with a reserve pattern*

We will briefly go over the different types of fibres and focus on cellulosic for our class. I will explain **how to prepare the fabrics** in order to get **best results**.

I will explain the **unique way** in which **indigo dyes fabric**, and the multiple ways in which **different cultures around the world** have used their own local plant before the indigo globalisation.

We will go over the concept of **reserving to create a pattern**. It has been used for millennia's all over the globe, with different techniques and different materials.

We will discuss a couple of reserve techniques that allow for **specular results**, and **you will choose which one to try**. I will provide plenty of examples to inspire from my collection.

I will help you place the reserve on a **linen scarf** and teach you to handle the fabric when dyeing in order to obtain the best results.

You will experience the **indigo reveal** and the steps necessary to create various nuances of blue.

We will go over the **rinsing steps** and the **indigo fixing**.



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The class can be in the morning (starting 9am) or in the afternoon (2pm)

*This course is not suitable for young children.*

## What is included:

Privatisation of Atelier Mei Line

All materials, fabrics and technical documents

The fruit of your efforts:  
the linen scarf **you** will have designed and made!

***No previous knowledge nor experience needed.  
Just bring your energy and enthusiasm!***

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