

# Quilting at Sea

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### August 18 - 25, 2018

Featuring: **Maria Pate, Designer & Teacher**

**Cat Nix, Designer & Teacher**



**Cat Nix** As far back as Cat can remember, she’s held a needle & thread in hand. She is a self-proclaimed fabri-holic and shares the opinion that, when it comes to fabric...more is definitely MORE!!! Cat collaborated with Paula Nadelstern to develop the “Puzzle Quilt Block of the Month”, which she has taught for several years. She lectures and teaches locally and beyond the Kansas City area where she resides with her family. As Creative Director for Anthology Fabrics from 2010-2015, Cat worked with pattern designers, publishers, educators and shop owners to promote the “Artistry of Batiks” and the superior quality of Anthology Fabrics Batiks. She also served as an in-house pattern and project designer. Cat has worked hand-in-hand with Anthology Fabrics artisans in Indonesia to develop new and innovative fabric designs that are used in all facets of quilting and sewing. Cat spends her time honing her craft, designing & making new & exciting quilts & teaching around the country & on the high seas. She is excited to be joining Fabri-Quilt and Paintbrush Studio on their “It’s All About Color” annual quilting cruise. For more information on Cat, visit her website at [www.catnixdesigns.com](http://www.catnixdesigns.com).

**Maria Pate** began sewing when she was seven and was bitten by the quilting bug in 1996. Since then she has been designing and writing quilt patterns, enjoys teaching and speaking for guilds about her quilting journey, co-owns First City Quilts in Leavenworth, Kansas and is also an award-winning longarm quilter. She opened her longarm quilting business, Airborne Heirlooms, in 2007 and hasn’t looked back. Maria consults and designs for Fabri-Quilt and their Paintbrush Studio division and has also designed for Anthology Fabrics. She has written over 150 patterns to include Block of the Month programs. Her designs have been featured in Fons & Porter, Keepsake Quilting and other quilting publications. Maria believes there is a quilter in all of us and loves sharing her knowledge and love of quilting with everyone she meets. You can learn more about Maria and her shop at [www.firstcityquilts.com](http://www.firstcityquilts.com).

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