

Crafts Industry Expert Linda Augsborg Named Editorial Content Chief For American Patchwork & Quilting Magazine And Meredith Crafts Group

DES MOINES, Iowa, June 9, 2014 /PRNewswire/ -- Meredith Corporation (NYSE:MDP; www.meredith.com), the nation's leading media and marketing company serving 100 million American women, announced today that Linda Augsborg has been named Editorial Content Chief for *American Patchwork and Quilting* magazine and the Meredith Crafts Group, effective immediately.



Augsborg has extensive experience in the quilting and crafts industry, with emphasis in editorial, multi-media and retail. She has worked closely with digital and online teams to develop programs and social platforms for brands. Augsborg's background includes helping launch numerous publications and brands – including *McCall's Quilting and BeadStyle* and *Art Jewelry* – as well as multiple websites for crafts, sewing and quilting audiences during her career at Prime Publishing.

Augsborg experience also includes several editorial roles at Kalmbach Publishing from 2003-2010, where she served as Editor of *Make It Mine*. Prior to Kalmbach, she worked for Michaels Arts & Crafts Company as Editor of *Michaels Create!*

Augsborg is a graduate of Bradley University with a degree in Business Management. She is a former member of the Board of Directors of the Craft and Hobby Association.

"Linda brings a wealth of knowledge and experience in print, video and digital publishing that will be incredibly valuable as we further deepen our craft and quilting multi-channel brands with their passionate and engaged audiences," said Tom Davis, VP/Group Publisher, *WOOD/APQ/Crafts* Group, who also noted that Augsborg is an avid quilter.

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