





Invitation to an Exclusive Tailoring Workshop

Organized by the **Indian Master Tailors Association**

We are pleased to invite you to a hands-on workshop designed for **Merchant Tailors, Master Tailors, and Fashion School Students** with an interest in Pattern Drafting and Bespoke Tailoring.

 **Venue:** National Association for the Blind, Tardeo, Mumbai

 **Date:** Saturday, April 26, 2025

 **Time:** 10:00 AM onwards

The Agenda:

1. Jacket Pattern Drafting & Making

Led by students of the Savile Row Academy (SRA), trained under Prof. Andrew Ramroop, this session will demonstrate British pattern-making methods adapted for Indian clients. Learn how to draft and construct jacket patterns for different body types—normal, stocky, and belly builds—with a focus on fit, balance, and measurement precision.

2. Trouser & Shirt Drafting Techniques

Based on the techniques of Mr. Thomas Wong (Singapore) and other renowned experts, this session will explore key construction principles for trousers and shirts. Learn advanced cutting, fabric handling, and finishing methods for long-lasting and well-fitting garments.

3. Fitting Challenges & Solutions

Understand how to identify and correct common fitting issues. Demonstrations on real body types will help you learn techniques to achieve comfort, precision, and symmetry in bespoke jackets.

4. CAD in Bespoke Tailoring

Explore how Computer-Aided Design (CAD) is transforming tailoring. Learn from case studies of Indian businesses that have integrated CAD into online tailoring services to ensure precision and scalability.

5. Skin Tone & Body Shape Analysis

Discover how the right colors and patterns can enhance appearance. Based on the 12-season color analysis model, you'll learn how to identify warm/cool tones, and choose designs that flatter different body shapes and facial contrasts. This segment also explores how style choices can visually improve proportions and confidence.

Trainer Profiles

Mr. Vinayak Rao – Mumbai

With a legacy rooted in training under late film artist and master tailor Mr. A.K. Hangal, the Rao family has been at the forefront of tailoring in Mumbai since 1972. Vinayak Rao refined his skills at the Savile Row Academy and has adapted British patterns for Indian clients, reducing fittings and improving comfort. He has judged international tailoring contests, including FAMT 2016, and played a key role in promoting Indian tailors on global platforms.



Anupama Sachdeva – Founder, IMTA & Pezalli Bespoke

A certified image consultant and pattern drafter, Anupama brings together tailoring and style consulting. Her work focuses on style personalities, body shapes, and color theory using the 12-season analysis. She is also building an AI-powered digital styling platform to help clients select the most flattering garments online.

Zulfi Shahpurwala – Kachins

A leader in blending tradition with tech, Zulfi has integrated 3D body scanning, CAD-based pattern drafting, and virtual fittings into Kachins' bespoke services. With over 25 years of experience and his work is paving the way for sustainable and tech-driven tailoring.

Mohammed Nabeel – Nabeel's Bespoke, Chennai

Known for his handcrafted, full-canvas jackets, Nabeel trained under Mr. Thomas Wong and Laura Teasdale (formerly of Chittleborough & Morgan). He brings refined hand-drafting and tailoring skills, and was awarded a Silver Medal at FAMT 2024.

RSVP: 96534 44850 (Limited Seats)

Cost: Rs. 3500\ (incl GST) - per person Including Lunch & Tea