

KATE MEDLICOTT

KATE MEDLICOTT LAUNCHES HER FIRST WOVEN FABRIC



Above: Cushions in (from l-r) Basilica Laguna, Basilica Marmo, Basilica Marina, Basilica Oro, Basilica Verde.



Above Left: Chair in Basilica Marina, cushions in Basilica Laguna (with orange frill) and Basilica Verde (with pink piping). Above Right: Basilica in (from l-r): Oro, Marina, Verde, Laguna and Marmo.



Above: Cushions in (from top-bottom) Basilica Oro, Basilica Verde, Basilica Marina, Basilica Marmo, Basilica Laguna.



Above: Basilica in colourways (from l-r) Marina, Laguna, Oro, Marmo, and Verde.



Above: Kate Medlicott with her Basilica woven fabric.

Kate Medlicott is delighted to launch her first woven fabric, Basilica, inspired by patterns in Giotto's frescos at Assisi.

Kate first visited Assisi as an art student in her early twenties. A decade later she returned and was struck by the subtle intertwining patterns in the background to many of Giotto's paintings. Kate captured some of these patterns at the time in her sketchbook, which she has now brought to life as her first woven fabric.

With sustainability at the heart of her business, Basilica is woven for Kate by an historic family-owned mill in England which has been in operation since 1720. Basilica is at once rustic and luxurious - the hand-drawn origins of the design together with the natural characteristics of flax yarn and a subtle sheen creates a striking but understated fabric. Use in a sitting room or bedroom for a touch of sophisticated geometric.

Basilica is fully reversible, so ideal for creating a range of different looks within a space – mix and match colours and sides on upholstery, cushions and curtains for full pattern immersion.

Other Information

Basilica is initially available in five soft colourways – Marina, Laguna, Oro, Marmo and Verde – with a view to expanding the colour range later in the year. Yarn colour options are available on request.

Basilica is suitable for domestic upholstery, cushions and curtains and is priced at £145 per metre.

About Kate Medicott

Having worked in the Far East for several years, Kate returned to England and her first love, fine art, launching her first fabric collections, (Asian Sojourn, Flowers & Stripes, Journeyman and Attic), in 2017, 2018 and 2020 respectively.

Inspired by her surroundings, travels and the history of found objects, Kate is also drawn to the use of strong colours. She believes a thoughtfully placed hue can inject energy and beauty into a design and takes great pride in her designs being colourful, bold and understated. She lives near Glastonbury, Somerset, with her husband and two young children.

Sustainability

Kate Medicott is proud to be a 100% British-made brand.

Alongside this new woven fabric, Kate's printed fabrics are printed in England onto British-woven linen union. Everything is printed digitally, a process which has several environmental benefits over more traditional methods: it uses significantly less water, power and has a much smaller carbon footprint than traditional printing. Digital printing also enables Kate to print to order which massively reduces potential fabric waste. Kate's woven designs are woven using Flax in a family-run mill in England which has been in operation since 1720.

Kate believes in supporting local small businesses like herself – all of Kate's marketing material is printed by a Glastonbury-based printer onto high quality recycled card and all cushions, curtains and blinds are made locally in Somerset.

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Top row:

1. *Armchair upholstered in Basilica Marina. Cushions (from top to bottom) in Basilica Marina, Basilica Verde, Basilica Oro.*
2. *Basilica in (from l-r) Oro, Marina, Verde, Laguna, Marmo.*
3. *Armchair upholstered in Basilica Marina. Cushions in Verde and Laguna (with velvet frill).*

Middle row:

1. *Cushions (from l-r) in Basilica Laguna (with velvet frill), Basilica Marmo, Basilica Marina, Basilica Oro, Basilica Verde.*
2. *Cushions in (from top to bottom) Basilica Oro, Basilica Verde, Basilica Marina, Basilica Marmo, Basilica Laguna.*

Bottom row:

1. *Basilica in colourways (from l-r) Marina, Laguna, Oro, Marmo and Verde.*
2. *Kate Medicott with her Basilica woven fabric.*
3. *Chair in Basilica Marina, Cushions in Basilica Laguna (with orange frill) and Basilica Verde.*

Please feel free to contact me for photographs, any further information, fabric samples, or cushions on loan.

Thank you so much for taking the time to read about Basilica, I hope you like what you see and I look forward to hearing from you.

Kate

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