



ALEXANDER MERGOLD TABLETOP PUPPET BUILDING WORKSHOP

- DATE & TIME:** 4 days, Sundays
January 15- February 6, 2012
10:00 am - 4:00 pm
- LOCATION:** Open Door Designs
1597 Dupont Street
Toronto ON M6P 3S8
- AGE GROUP:** Adults
- COST:** \$280 (this includes all materials)
- INFORMATION:** • email: info@opendoordesigns.ca • Tel: (416) 531-1290
- HOW TO REGISTER:** Registration forms may be downloaded from the website, picked up at Open Door Designs (1597 Dupont Street) or requested by email. Payment can be made by credit card (VISA, MC), cheque or cash at Open Door Designs or via Paypal on the website.

Workshop Description

In this workshop participants, over four days, will construct a tabletop puppet using polymer and air-dry clays. As in the marionette workshop, concepts of three-dimensional sculptural form and the fundamentals of painting will be taught in order to bring each character to life. Puppet dressing and basic manipulation will also be covered.

About Alexander Mergold

Alexander Mergold, originally from the U.S.S.R, moved to Canada in 2008 after living in Israel for 17 years. He has been making dolls and marionettes for over 20 years. A virtuosic sculptor Alexander works with polymer and air-dry clays to create one of a kind characters inspired by literature and theatre and his own quirky view of the world.