MIT Community Quilt Instructions

Thank you for contributing to the MIT Community Quilt! There are two ways to create your square: (1) Draw your square in a digital design program (Paint, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop, etc.) or (2) Hand draw your square on a sheet of paper. The instructions below will guide you in creating your square and being a part of this Institute-wide community art project.

Digitally Drawn Square

1. Use a digital design program like Paint, Photoshop, or Illustrator. Make your canvas 8 inch x 8 inch at 200 dpi. *(We will only accept squares drawn at this size.)*

2. Draw your quilt square answering the question: “Where do you find hope?”
   - No drawing skills are necessary.
   - Simple designs are welcome.
   - Text and/or images are welcome.
   - Colors are welcome!

3. Submit your drawing to the MIT Community Quilt online submission form: forms.gle/EkuFBuUteqComEy2A

Hand-Drawn Square

1. Measure an 8 inch x 8 inch section on a piece of paper. *(We will only accept squares drawn at this size.)*

2. Color your quilt square answering the question: “Where do you find hope?”
   - No drawing skills are necessary.
   - Simple designs are welcome.
   - Text and/or images are welcome.
   - Colors are welcome!

3. Once you’re finished with your hand-drawn square, you can either scan your drawing and submit it or take a photo of it and submit it.

   1. If you’re taking a photo of your drawing:
• Place drawing on a flat surface.
• As best as you can, make sure your drawing is lit evenly (natural light works great!)
• Submit your drawing to the MIT Community Quilt online submission form: forms.gle/EkuFBUUteqComEy2A

2. If you're scanning your drawing:
• Lay your artwork on the scanner bed
• Pick "color" file
• Select the area you want to scan
• Set to 200dpi
• Submit your drawing to the MIT Community Quilt online submission form: forms.gle/EkuFBUUteqComEy2A