



The Ethical Making Pledge

The Ethical Making Pledge (EM Pledge) was developed by The Scottish Goldsmiths Trust in collaboration with the Scottish art Colleges in 2018. The aim of the EM Pledge is to embed practical and theoretical learning about ethical making into education across the UK. By signing the EM Pledge institutions will become part of a community of students and educators that support, share and encourage progress towards Ethical Making.

By signing the EM Pledge, jewellery and silversmithing departments from each institution pledge to support ethical making by undertaking the following in their departments.

- 1. Sharing the Ethical Making Pledge with staff and students in the department.**
- 2. Nominating two student ambassadors each year, who will take part in biannual information sessions with us and who will support the adoption of ethical making practices within the department.**
- 3. Working towards the transition to ethical metal sourcing in the department with our support.**
- 4. Incorporating ethical making into the curriculum with the goal of writing ethical making awareness into curriculum requirements.**
- 5. Working towards incorporating ethical making practices into workshop methods and providing students with the skill sets necessary to build their own ethical practice.**
- 6. Collaborating with us to sustain and build the Pledge for future years.**

We pledge to support the above steps towards ethical making in jewellery and silversmithing courses in our department.

Department and Institution:

Signature: _____

Name:

Date:

Signature on behalf of The Scottish Goldsmiths Trust _____

Print Name:

Date: