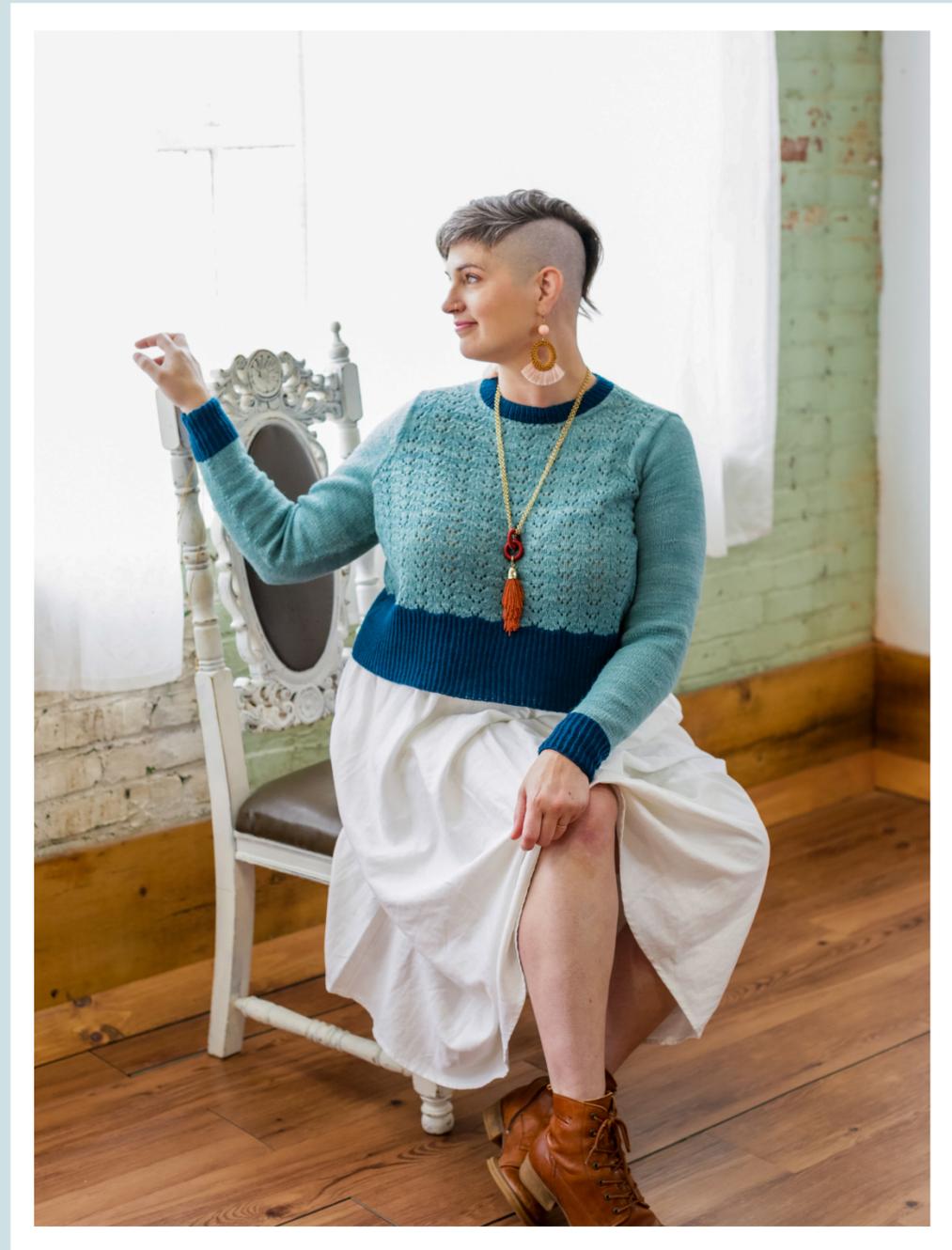
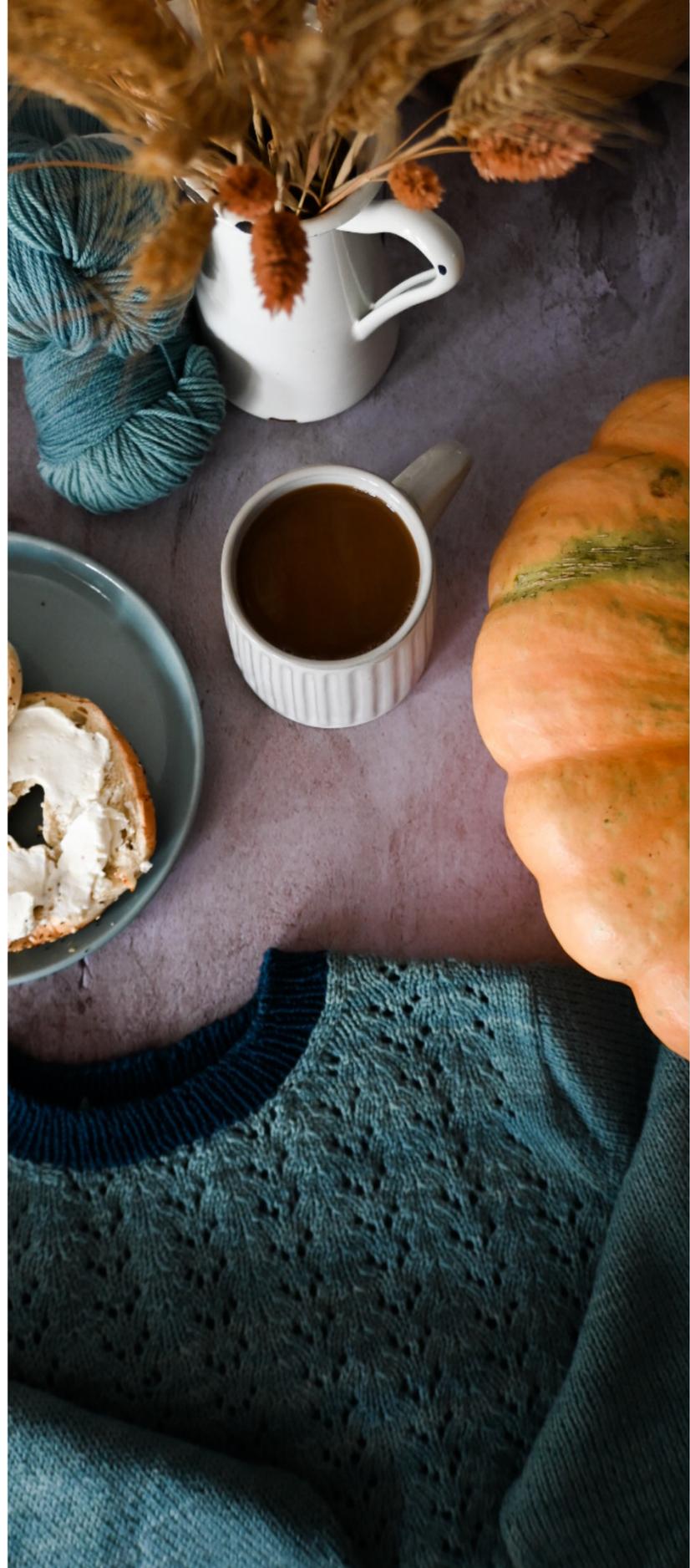


Choosing
patterns for
your wardrobe
& your life

YOUR MOST-WORN SWEATER



TONIGHT'S PLAN



Planning fundamentals

A properties-based approach

Your wardrobe has to support your needs

Identify wardrobe gaps

Finding Patterns

Breaking down barriers

Getting Inspired



PLANNING FUNDAMENTALS

Which part of your wardrobe?

Start with what you have

Be clear on what you need

Pick a waistline

Consider the whole wardrobe



PROPERTIES BASED APPROACH

WEIGHT

layering - airy - enveloping - delicate

COLOR

warm - cool - gem tones - pastels - neutrals - one palette for clothes another for accessories - rainbow

FIBER

breathable - silky - stretchy - haloed - insulating, - structured - rugged - smooth

SILHOUETTE

skimming - boxy - clingy - tailored - oversized

PATTERN AND TEXTURE

Where do pattern and texture show up in your outfits?

WAISTLINE

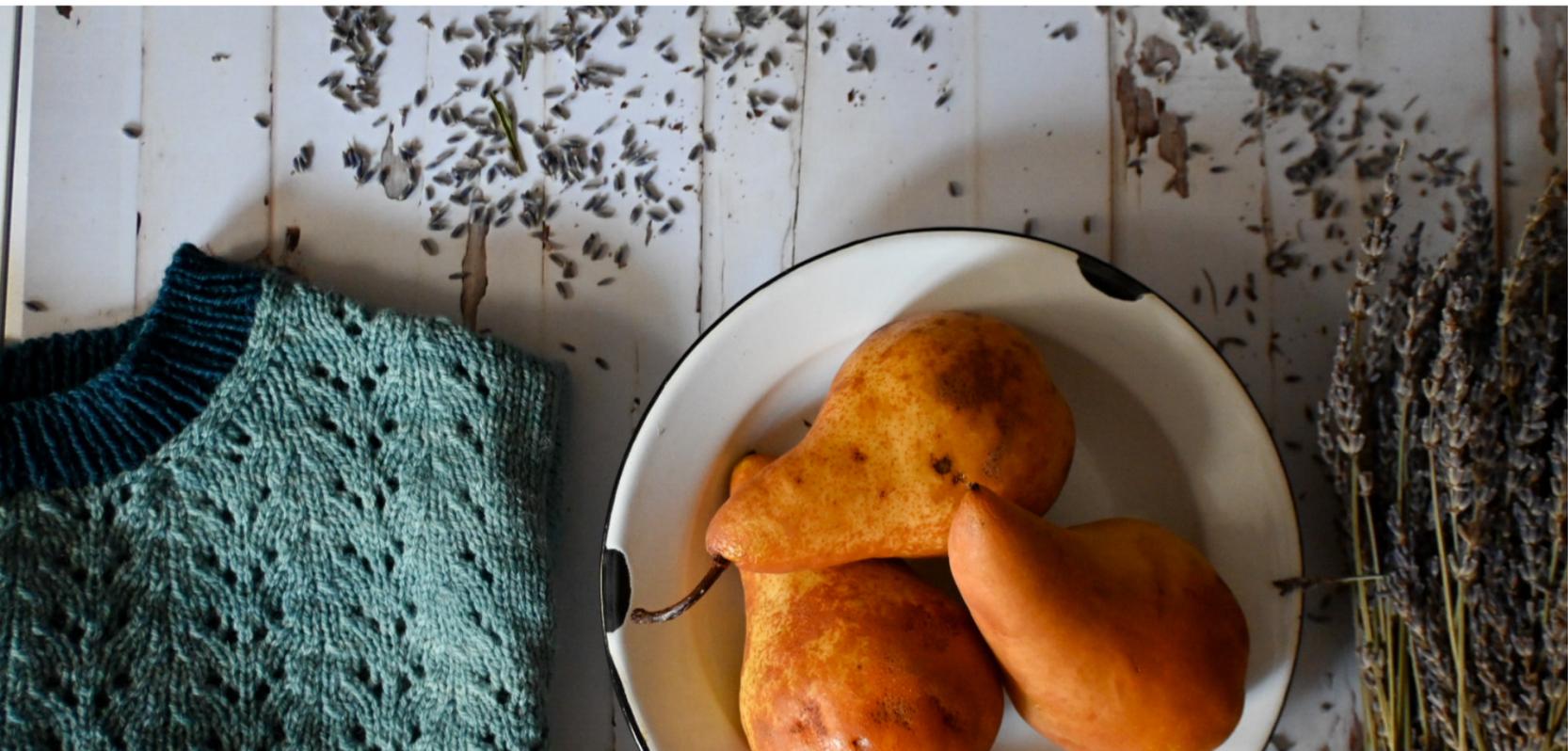
What waistline location is most comfortable for you, and reflected in most of your outfits?

** It's not just how your clothes feel that matters, it's how they make YOU feel, and whether that feeling reflects your identities and story**

YOUR WARDROBE HAS TO SUPPORT YOUR NEEDS

What are your needs, and why?

How does meeting those needs make
space for you to live your best life?



sensory

temperature & environment

size and shape needs & fluctuations

activity levels

budget constraints

time constraints

values

IDENTIFY WARDROBE GAPS



Make intention the core of your strategy:

Identify gaps and fill them with intention, rather than browsing what's available. Aim to fill those gaps at a sustainable pace for your resources.



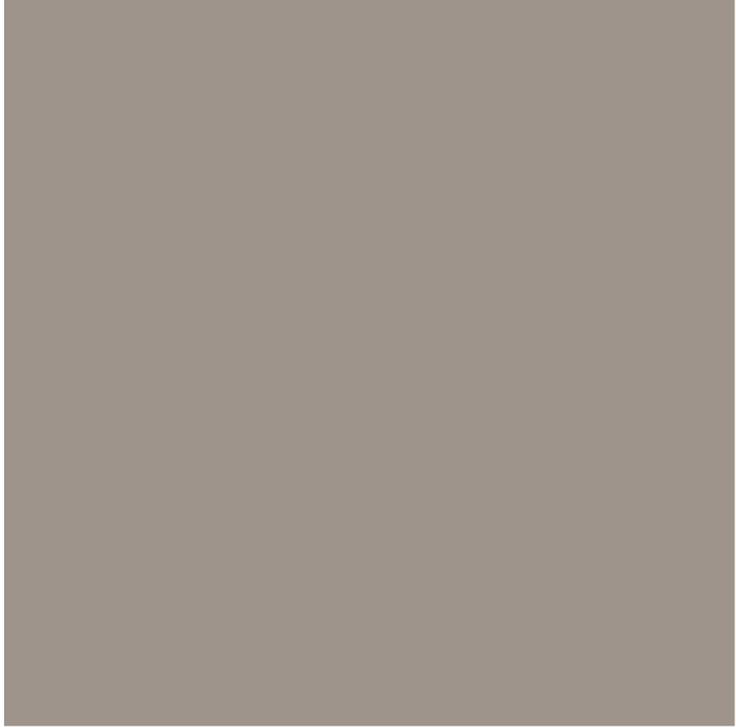
FINDING PATTERNS

Ravelry, Instagram, Etsy, Pinterest,
Reddit, books, Making

#SweaterKnitting #KnitYourOwn
#WearYourKnits #MeMade
#HandMadeWardrobe



BARRIERS



Preciousness/Scarcity

Skillset / Knowledge

Color



INSPIRATION

Build a moodboard

Try paper dolls

Read magazines or books from adjacent hobbies

Allow yourself to accumulate things that speak to you

Let go of things that aren't serving you as soon as you're able to



THANK YOU!

Every knitter - that's YOU - deserves handknits that fit well, get worn, and showcase your unique identity.

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