



2025 NBO CONFERENCE

TRADITION & INNOVATION IN BASKETRY 12

July 22 – 27, 2025
University of Puget Sound
Tacoma, Washington

The Art and Craft of Stainless Steel Mesh Basketry **Lanny Bergner**

Skill Level Required: All levels, but students need to have moderate motor skills and hand strength with dexterity to grasp and rotate a small linesman plier.

Workshop Fee: \$60. Includes: Stainless steel mesh, wire, glass frit, silicone, linesman pliers, acrylic medium, powdered pigment and butane and propane fuel. Use of assorted small hand tools and propane/butane torches provided by instructor.

List of tools, materials, etc., required for each student to bring:

Aviation snips or utility shear for cutting stainless steel mesh. Small needle nose pliers.

Size of finished work if applicable: Students should expect to make three to four 8 to 10-inch baskets.