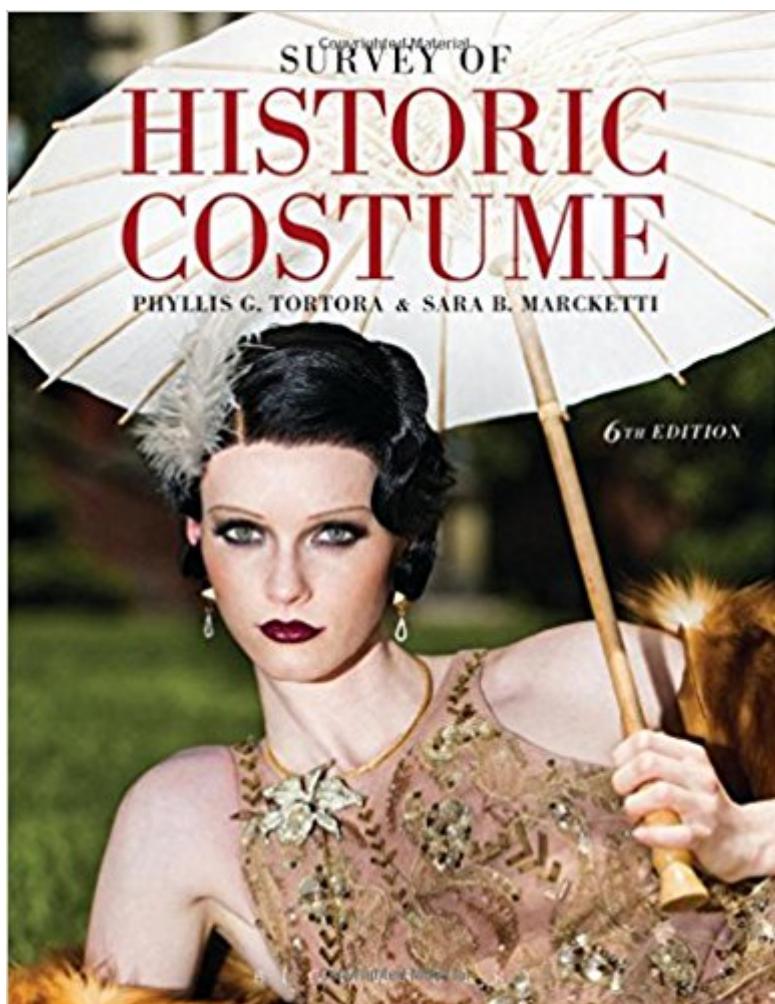


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I love this book, I use it as my teaching source for my Fashion History class in our theatre and film department. I wish I had known about it in time to get the instructors version through school. It has a good vocabulary section for fashion terminology and my students appreciate the references from historical time periods that influenced contemporary fashion pieces. The context of fashion as human history works well to engage budding directors and designers in seeing clothing as the extension of characters within any particular time period. I wish I had access to more of the interactive materials.

It's a textbook not sure if I can love it.. but it was/is a good resource to learn from.

This book is an excellent and detailed source on costumes through the ages. Not sure why the others reviews are a bit harsh on it, but I am more than pleased. I don't find it so awful in that it lacks bunches of colorful prints- heck, if all the drawings were colorized this book would be a very expensive resource. I'm a simple person, and I'm very pleased with the entire book.

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Very comprehensive and detailed. A ton of work went into this book. Excellent educational-university resource. Needs a bit more on accessories and more pictures of objects within museum or private collections for reference

I love this textbook! It helped me so much for my history of costumes class, and then for my senior

collection as a fashion design student I referenced it for inspiration.

Huge book, but good info and pictures.

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