## **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