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## 1 TAKE A WALK IN CARRIE'S SHOES

Just in case you've been away meditating in a mountain retreat for the past month, here's a little reminder of something awesome: Sarah Jessica Parker has released her own shoe collection! And yes there's plenty of Carrie Bradshaw inspired styles, with one named after the lady herself. The Carrie shoe is a black, pointed stiletto with an ankle strap and cut out detailing. To get your hands on a pair of your very own Sex and the City heels head over to Nordstrom ASAP! We've got our eye on the Diana, a black patent Mary Jane similar to the pair Carries lusts over in the Vogue accessories cupboard.

## 2 A FASHIONISTA'S DREAM HOTEL

Fancy a holiday? How about a trip to Macau, China? Not your thing? What if we tell you there is going to be a new hotel opened, designed and named after Karl Lagerfeld? Karl is collaborating with the Sociedade de Jogos de Macau to design a 270 room, 20 storey hotel. Karl has released a statement saying "An entire hotel designed by me. It's the first time for me! I think the idea is great!" If you can't wait until Uncle Karl's is built then Versace's hotel (also with SJM) in Macau may be ready a bit sooner, and if the Palazzo Versace in Queensland is anything to go by, it will be a stunner!

## 3 PARISIENNE CHIC VIA JAPAN

Ines de la Fressange has teamed with Uniqlo to bring her effortless Parisienne cool to the high street. The collection is part of Uniqlo's LifeWear selection. The muse and fashion icon has designed a collection that mixes masculine tailoring, for example relaxed shirts, with easy to wear khakis, 1940's inspired dresses and fantastic jeans that flatter any figure. Don't hesitate to get a piece of this French sophisticated and effortlessly cool collection.

## 4 THE NEW 'IT' BAG

After a new bag? Check out Louis Vuitton's latest offering of the Petite Malle. Nicolas Ghesquiere has shrunk the original Malle bags in a nod to the small bag trend taking off at the moment. You can choose between the original monogrammed style or for a more quirky option, you can choose the version with the removable soft covers. It's like a treasure chest hidden inside a bag. The silver with gold trim is particularly lust worthy.



## 5 HELLO KITTY ON YOUR FEET

Randa have released a shoe collaboration with Hello Kitty to celebrate Hello Kitty's 40th Anniversary. There are some super cute loafers in beige, pink and denim and some sling back pumps with Hello Kitty's hair ribbon at the ankle. These come in black, blue, white and a cute print. If you love shoes and Hello Kitty combine these two loves in a pair of these amazing shoes.

## 6 NAGOYA WOMEN'S MARATHON

Baby & Child is one of the most comprehensive public exhibitions focusing on pregnancy and children up to six years old. The event will provide a perfect platform for mother and child together under one roof at the Swedish Exhibition Center (Svenska Massan) on Mar. 28-30th. There will be exhibitors, consulting experts, shopping, entertainment and lots of fun activities to take part in it. Enjoy unbeatable shopping, expert advice, and information. This event offers fun for the whole family and fantastic entertainment. Link: <http://www.babybarn.se/in-english/>

## Spring appears to be arriving

and making its sunny self known through a few remaining winter clouds and that just makes me want to throw off my winter jumpers, heavy coats and embrace the new season. Here are 10 top trends for April to help you do just that.

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### 1 Pastels

Yes pastels crop up so often in the spring collections that they're almost a cliché now. However, if they didn't look great then they wouldn't keep appearing! It's one cliché I am happy to embrace. Check out our trend reports in this issue for more on pastels in clothing and makeup.

### 2 Pastel suits and leopard coats

A specific take on the pastel trend is one that street style has taken to its heart and pulled off successfully. That is the pastel trouser suit. Team it with some embellished flats or skater shoes for day and then add your sexiest heels to take it through to the night. A simple white shirt underneath keeps things crisp and clean. A leopard coat thrown casually over the shoulders looks fierce. This is definitely one trend the En Vie team will be rocking this spring.

### 3 Metallics

"But it's not Christmas or New Year!" I hear you cry. The metallics for spring though are lighter, think more silver, gold and pinks. Team with pastels or whites to keep the look fresh and ready for the sun. If a skirt, top or dress is too much, add in subtle metallic details like accessories, shoes or edging on jackets.

### 4 Simple spring update

Looking for a simple and inexpensive way to update your wardrobe this spring? Why not try a bustier over a shirt or t-shirt? Topshop have a gorgeous leather look or denim bustier. Wear over a crisp white button up, jeans and some embellished flats for day and add some block heels for night.

### 5 Jumpsuits

This word often instils fear into many. I myself love them and they are a lot easier to wear than most people think. This spring there are lots of options out there, navy v-necked, monochrome floral, or even dreaming of summer palm print. Team with metallic sandals for day and patent pumps for night. Give one a try for easy spring dressing.

### 6 Lace

Another spring favourite. This year try some laser cut lace, or combine two trends in one with pastels and lace. If you've never tried lace before, pick a piece with some lace details like a jacket, skirt or top teamed with some simple denim or leather.

### 7 Flats

Specifically the embellished kind. We will always be heel lovers at En Vie but sometimes our poor feet need a rest. The prettiest way to do this is with a pair of embellished flats, be it with jewels, metallic details or glittering embroidery. Give your feet a rest this spring and your eyes something cute to look at.

### 8 Skater shoes

Skater shoes are a good way to get into the sporty trend that is so popular at the moment. They were seen all over



the catwalks including Gucci and Balmain. Kurt Geiger have a fab zebra print pair or look to Givenchy for a more colourful polka dot or floral print. For a relaxed daytime look wear them with your favourite pair of jeans or for a more street style ready look how about a knife pleated midi skirt?

### 9 Knife pleated midi skirts

The lady like midi skirts are in this spring. Add in a knife-pleat (very thin pleats) and a monochrome colour scheme and you are on the money. Whistles Ellie colour block pleated skirt is ideal for this look.

### 10 Trench coats

Everyone needs a trench coat in spring. For Spring 2014 though you need a more deconstructed look. If your trench has a more relaxed cut, is made from a lighter material or is a bright, bold colour, you're onto a winner. Bold pillar box red is a great colour for this spring, or H&M have a lovely light weight beige trench coat with a small collar and drawstring waist.



# EGYPTE BEAUTIES

Photography / JUAN RODRIGO & IRENE SUÁREZ  
Model / JUDIT MOYA  
Designer / SERGIDEVCIA  
MUA & Hair / JOSE VALLE HAIR  
Photo assistant / CRISTOBAL LOPEZ

Necklace & Earrings:  
Christian Dior Vintage  
Gloves: Burberry Prorsum



Corset-Jacket: Sergidevcia  
Necklace & Earrings: Christian Dior Vintage  
Gloves: Burberry Prorsum  
Boots: Viktor and Rolf

Dress: Sergidevcia  
Necklace & Earrings: 50'S Vintage  
Gloves: Burberry Prorsum

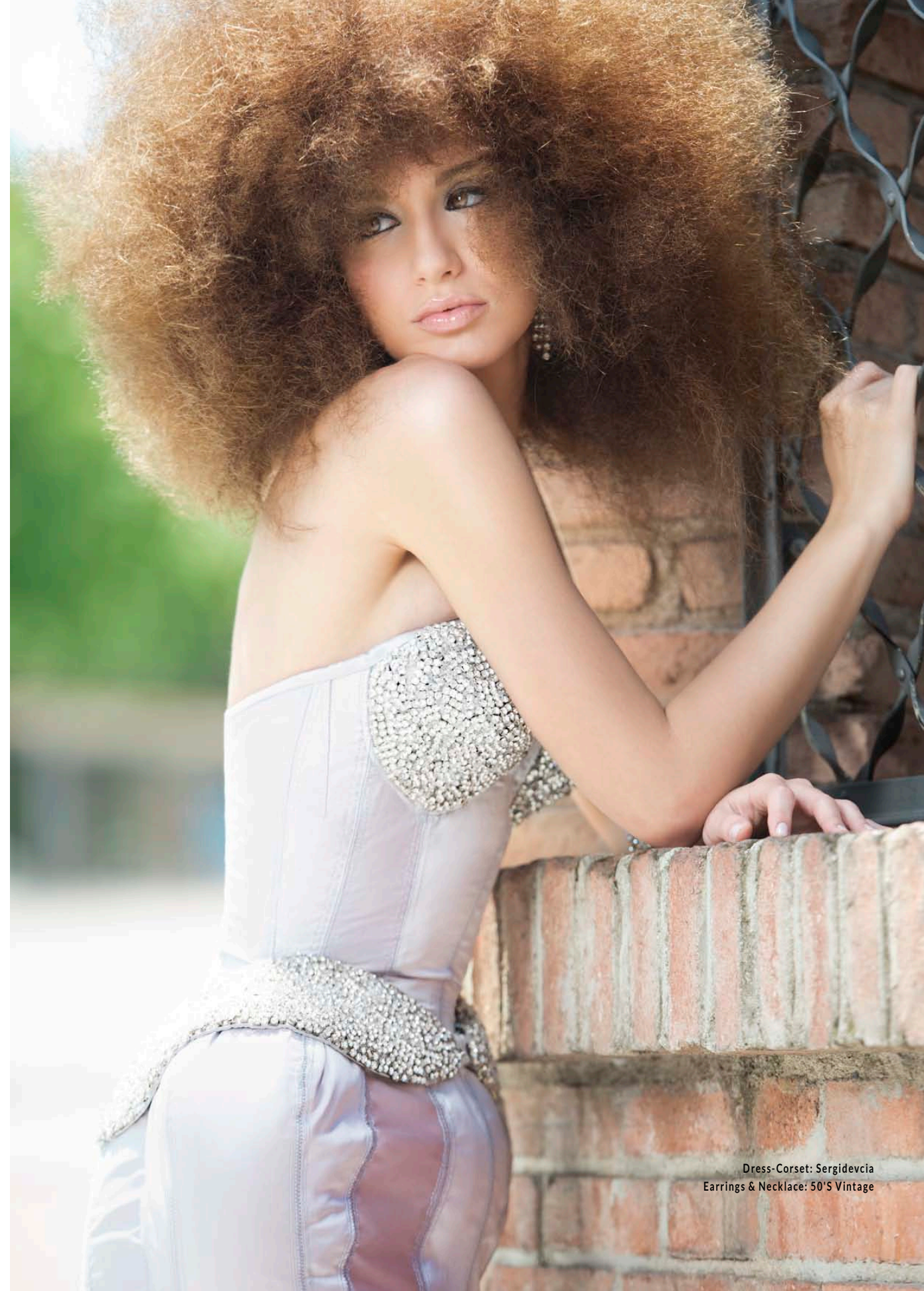


Corset: Sergidevcia  
Necklace, Earrings  
& Bracelet: 50'S Vintage



Body-Corset: Sergidevcia  
Necklace, Earrings  
& Bracelet: 50'S Vintage

Dress-Corset: Sergidevcia  
Earrings & Necklace: 50'S Vintage

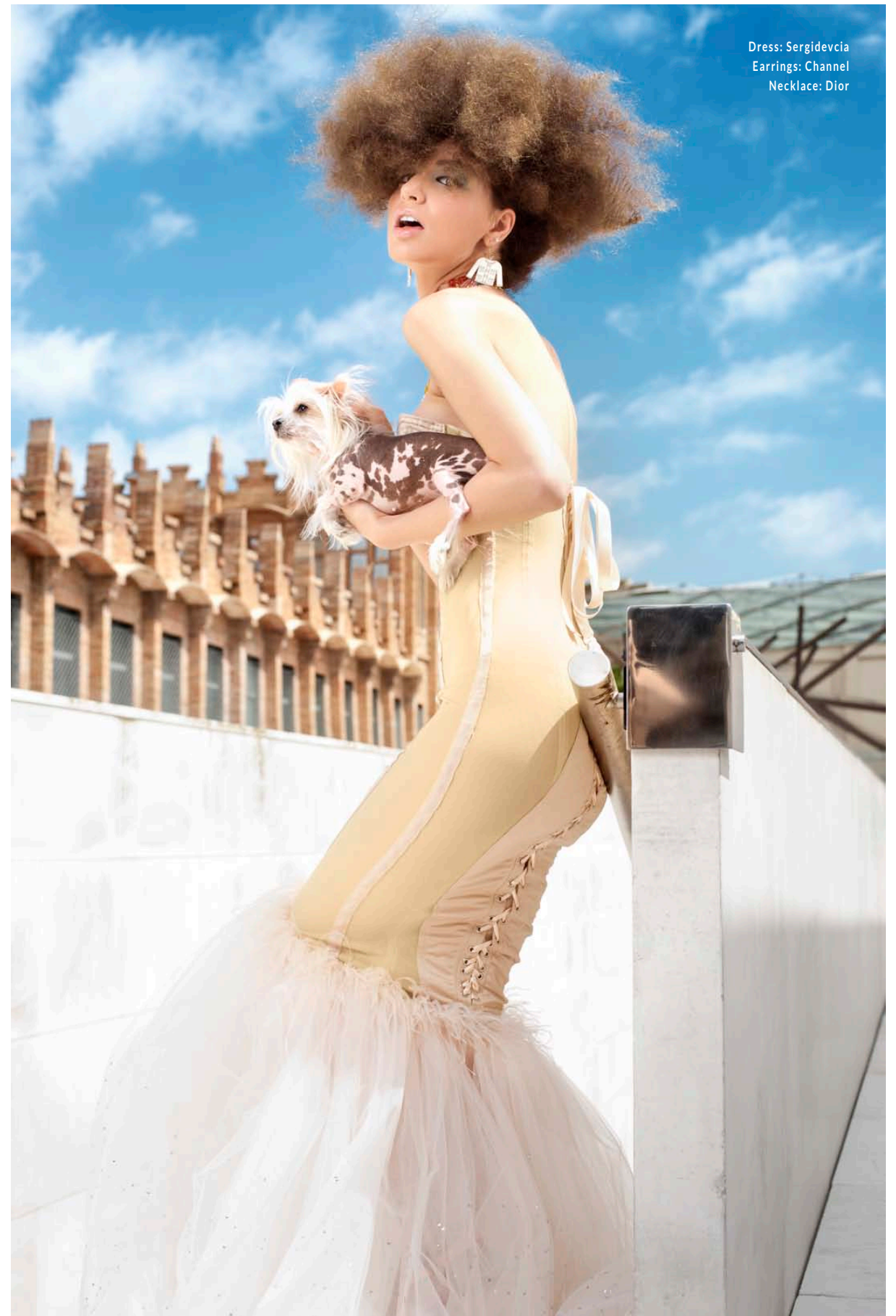


Dress-Corset: Sergidevcia  
Earrings & Necklace: 50'S Vintage





Jumpsuit: Sergidevicia  
Necklace & Earrings: Christian Dior  
Shoes: Versace



Dress: Sergidevicia  
Earrings: Chanel  
Necklace: Dior



# FASHION FORWARD

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Lace Cropped Top, Feather H/W Skirt:  
Desire'e Marie Design - www.desireemariadesign.com

Gunmetal Bib Necklace: Unknown Brand  
Platform Heels: Nastygal.com

Blouse: Mesh Hi-Low  
Velvet bralett & shorts: Desire'e Marie Design  
[www.desireemariadesign.com](http://www.desireemariadesign.com)

Gold Choker Necklace: Target  
Belt: Unknown Brand  
Shoes: Christian Siriano



Dress: White Jersey TurtleNeck

Gold Beaded Necklace: Unknown Brand  
Nude Heels: Michael Kors  
Blake Cortes - [blakecortes.com](http://blakecortes.com)





# BOUDOIR

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*HER INCREDIBLE BODY OF WORK IS FUN, FRESH AND SHARP. LIFESTYLE, PORTRAIT AND FASHION PHOTOGRAPHER, EVELIEN KOOTE SHARES HOW SHE CAME TO LOVE THE ART AND WHAT SHE ENJOYS MOST ABOUT HER CAREER.*

**I** live in the wonderful little city of Muiden, near Amsterdam. For as long as I can remember I've been fascinated by photography. As a child I couldn't get enough of looking at photographs. It was especially old photographs I found the most impressive because of the stories they portrayed. Stories I try to tell in my own work now. I find that I try to portray my own specific style by integrating a realistic display, the emotions of that particular moment and a creative view into my photographs.

My studies at the Nederlandse Fotovakschool in Amsterdam (funded by myself), my participation in

workshops and courses and discussions with other photographers have brought me to where I stand now.

I love working with an entire team of creative kindred spirits who share the same passion and goal to create a stunning result. My biggest challenge is to always keep pushing the limits in order to get to the proper and desired result.

Check out more of Evelien's work at [www.evelienkoote.com](http://www.evelienkoote.com).

# IMPERIUM NAPOLEON ARISTOKRATIE

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MUA / MIKEL SCHMIDT  
Hair / PIERRE HEINEMANN  
Designer / RENATTA PRUNEDA - [WWW.RENATTAPRUNEDA.DE](http://WWW.RENATTAPRUNEDA.DE)







Shirt: ZARA  
Skirt: River Island  
Necklace: Bijou Brigitte



# COLOUR ME SOFTLY

Text / JEN LOMAS fashion blogger @ FASHIONCHUHI.BLOGSPOT.COM  
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MUA & Hair / EKATERINA NOVINSKAYA - WWW.NOVINSKAYA.COM  
Stylist / NIKKI BROWN - WWW.NIKKIBROWNSTYLE.COM  
Model / OLIVIA ANCELL (BODY LONDON)



On this page:  
Shirt and Skirt: ZARA  
Necklace: Accessorize

Right page:  
Top: TOPSHOP  
Skirt: Love Moschino  
Shoes: KG by Kurt Geiger  
Necklace: TOPSHOP



**T**his spring, lady-like full skirts are making a comeback. The best are knife-pleated and mid-length. However, they are far from prim and proper. There's a good range of skirts to suit all your moods; sheer and pastel, gold and silver metallics or leather (or pleather look if you want the cheaper option). I'm ecstatic that these skirts are making a comeback; I love the blowy, gliding motion of them. You instantly feel more glamorous and feminine when you put one on. To carry on this ladylike feel you can add some pointed pumps, a cute sweater and a statement necklace. Pairing a Peter Pan collared blouse with a pastel skirt and embellished flats will hit three spring trends in one outfit and make you feel ladylike and sophisticated, even if you can usually be found in jeans and Converse most days.

If that is all too girly and ladylike for you, why not team a metallic, lamé skirt with an

oversized sweatshirt, maybe with sequin or bead embellishments? Pair it with ankle socks and black ankle boots for day and nude or black pumps for night.

A high-waisted full skirt can look super cute with a cropped t-shirt or more fitted long sleeved top. Pick pastels that complement each other, like pink, baby blue and yellow, or pick similar shades from the same colour for a street style worthy look.

With these full skirts, the mid-length works best to keep the silhouette sleek; if you go too short it could look like a ballerina's tutu. With a full skirt you should keep the top half sleek and fitted, if you wear a jumper, make it more slouchy than voluminous. Too much volume all over and you could get lost in your clothes.





Shirt: Michael Kors  
Skirt: ZARA  
Necklace: Accessorize  
Shoes: Prada



# WAVES OF DESIRE

Designer & Stylist / FARWA ZULFIQAR  
Photography / CATHY DU  
Model / GIULIA FLAMINI  
MUA / ARIANNA GIULIANTE





Designer & Stylist / FARWA ZULFIQAR  
Photography / VIRGINIA DI MAURO  
Model / GIULIA FLAMINI  
MUA / STEFANIYA HOROSHKO  
Hair Stylist / POURPARLER PARRUCCHIERI

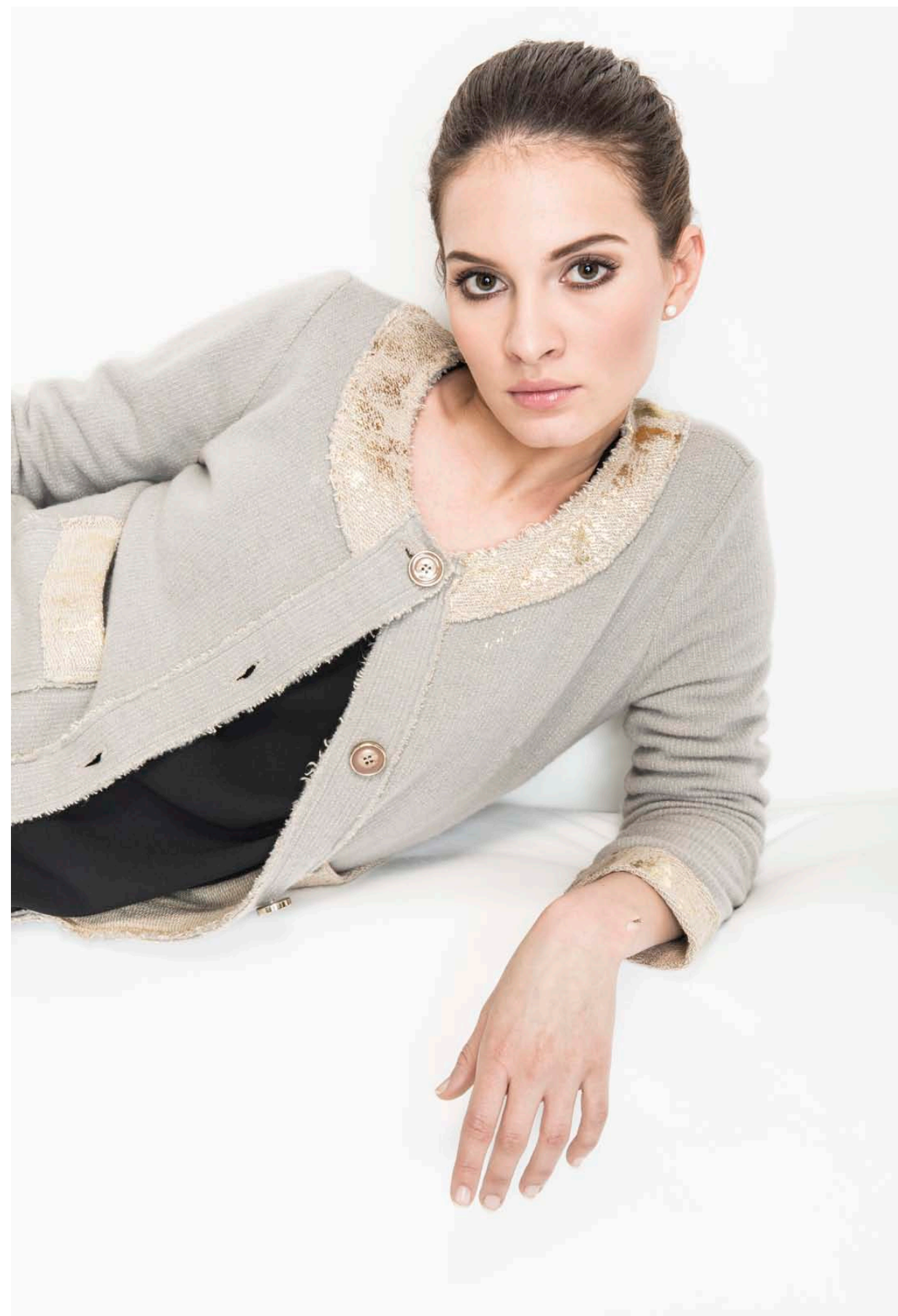


Designer & Stylist / FARWA ZULFIQAR  
Photography / CATHY DU  
Model / GIULIA FLAMINI  
MUA / ARIANNA GIULIANTE



# TO BE, THINK, & WEAR

Photography / MARCO LANZA  
Model / IULIA BISERICARU





## FROM FLORENCE TO NEW YORK WITH GLAMOUR

**T**he Florentine fashion Brand, 'To Be,' a woman's contemporary ecologic clothing brand, has established itself in the course of seven years, through the inspiration of its founder, Simone Vannuzzi. Vannuzzi, has a long family tradition in the field of textiles. After many years around the world to the meticulous research of unconventional fabrics and innovative eco friendly production techniques, Simone Vannuzzi and his staff created in the 2011 the 100% made in Italy brand ToBe. The Tuscan designer has created a sport-glam label by revolutionising the habitual guidelines of casual outfits. 'To Be' merges comfort and elegance in the traditional sweater, by using cashmere and silk fabrics, with touches of Sangallo lace and vintage prints.

The woman Fall/winter 2014/1015 collection irradiates glee, romance and willpower! London Smoke Grey is the new black, mixed with white, to give a sophisticated allure to the patchwork sportswear. With line elements from men's outfits with a charismatic femininity it has never been so glamorous for women. The tailoring technique applied to sportswear seduces at first sight. The palette includes gray and black. In regard to textures and fabrics, the main element is the flannel, the cornerstone of Made in Italy and patterns such as languid roses of Florentine gardens of Palazzo Pitti.

The ToBe brand caters to the city woman that wants to express herself as urban, independent, athletic, and/or multi-ethnic, curious and fully aware of herself.

For more information link to:  
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# LUCK BE A LADY

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Hair & MUA / SAJ MACK for MAC Cosmetics  
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# LAZY SUNDAYS


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Photography / PETER VAN ALPHEN  
Designers / SERI LEE - [CARGOCOLLECTIVE.COM/SLEELABEL](http://CARGOCOLLECTIVE.COM/SLEELABEL)  
& SANDRA MOTALLEBI - [WWW.SANDRAMOTALLEBI.COM](http://WWW.SANDRAMOTALLEBI.COM)  
Shoes / Model's own  
Hair / SUZANNE HENDERSON  
MUA / CHARLENE HILTON  
Set / SYDNEY'S HISTORIC LUNA PARK





# SOUND OF IKEBANA

Photography / ANDREW MACCOLL  
Model / ISABELLE FAITH  
MUA / CHEREINE WADDELL  
Stylist / SERENA FORLINO ONDINA MONTGOMERY ISABELA KLEUT  
Necklace / KILLARI - KILLARIJEWELLERY.COM



**S**ingapore based fashion and accessories design house Mad About Hue (MAH) is one to watch out for in 2014. Its latest collection "Sound Of Ikebana" continues the brand's reputation for merging art and science. For this collection MAH collaborated with the acclaimed Japanese media artist Naoko Tosa. This collection "reinforces the notion that the silhouette is a blank canvas and each scarf is a painting."

MAH is a unique collective that unites international artists, designers and photographers performing between Art and Science creating Fashion. MAH produces accessories and ready to wear collections that have attracted viewers worldwide. The philosophy behind the company is to "lovingly hand-make not anonymously mass-produce it". With the aesthetic statement "SCIENCE + ART become FASHION" Mad About Hue is all about prints, colours and individuality creating wearable art pieces. Launching on Valentine's Day, the collection of youthful scarves and silk cover-ups express Japanese color tradition and culture through digital technology.

The designers of this limited collection were inspired by a series of four eponymous videos shot at 2000 frames per second, capturing the explosion of kaleidoscopic paints generated from the sound waves from Haiku poems sung by the artist. The collection of 20 prints interprets each of the four seasons through fluid color, and the results are something that MAH founder Ondina Montgomery recognized as a unique hybrid of art and science.

"Sound of Ikebana" collection pieces are available online at [mahcollection.com](http://mahcollection.com).



# PURE FANCY

Photography / CATH HERMANS  
Assistant / CHRISCILIA TEHUPEIORI  
Clothing / CAROLA VAN BENTHUM  
Knitware / DE REUVER FASHION  
MUA & Hair / MARINO LAMBRIX  
Model / CHLOE LAARMANS  
Styling / CAROLA VAN BENTHUM  
Shoes / Kop en Staart  
Jewellery / van pimps & pearls and issamadeby







# QUEEN OF HEARTS

Photography / BELINDA MULLER  
Stylist / SLEIMAN DAYAA  
Hair & MUA / TONEE ROBERIO  
Model / JESSICA KAHAWATY (Miss World Australia - 2nd runner up Miss World)







# TAKE A BOW

Photography / EDWIN WATSON  
Model / KELLI WHITE  
Wardrobe Styling / WILLIE JOHNSON  
Hair & MUA / AMBER LYNNE  
First Asst & Digital Tech / DAN MOORE  
Retouch & Design / JASON LOTT & EDWIN WATSON  
Clothing / Valentino







# SLEEPING BEAUTY

Creative Concept & Floral design / FLOWERS by JULIA ROSE  
Model / FIDESSE FEHR  
MUA / REBECKAH WURZBACHER  
Photography / PHOEBE HOFSTEEDE PHOTOGRAPHY

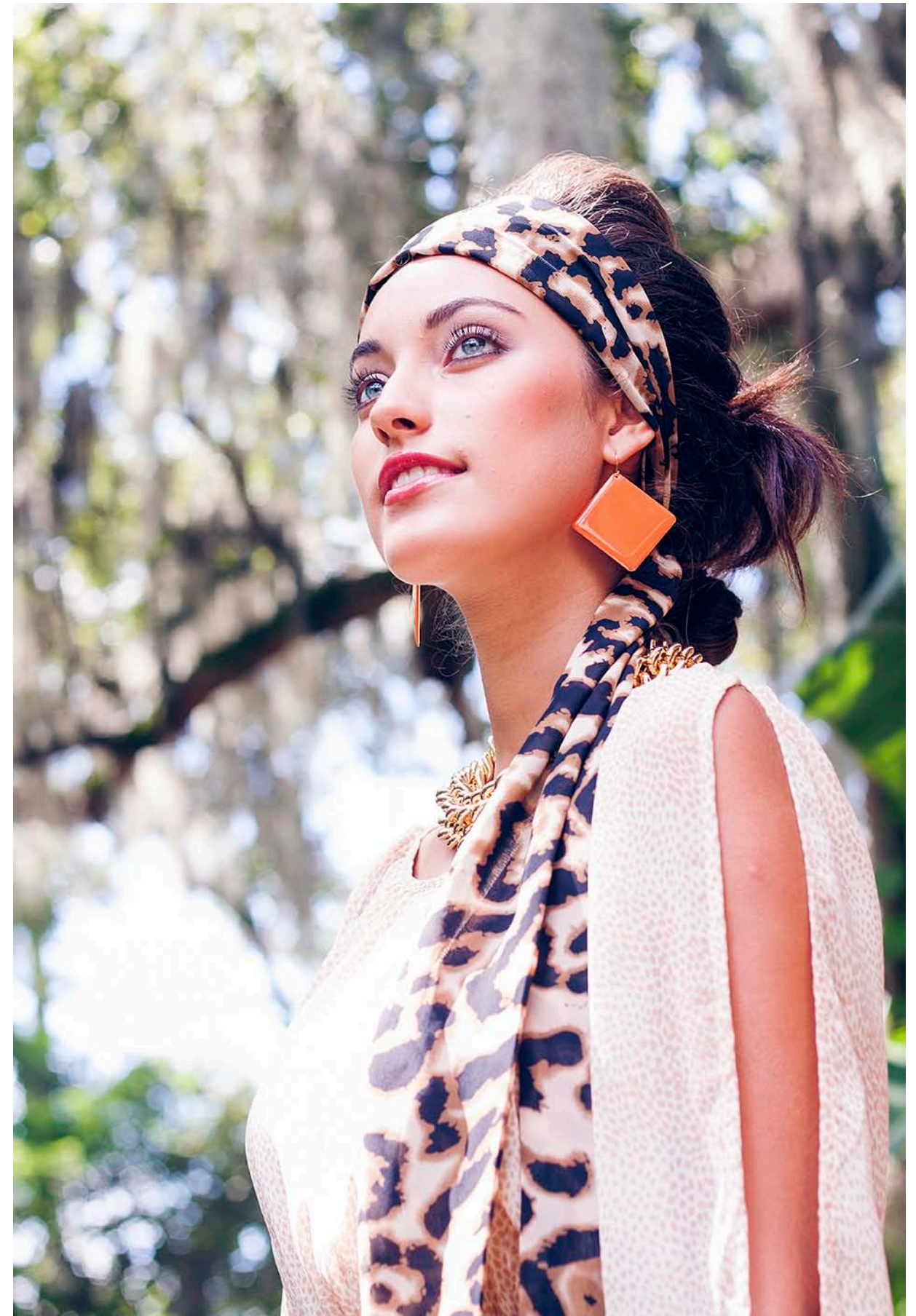


Floral designer & Creative concept / FLOWERS by JULIA ROSE  
Corset / MADONNA BAIN ECO INTIMATES  
Fabrication Team / CHRISSY DILLON & ROD WYATT  
Photography / JULIA ROSE

# PATTERNED PERFECTION

Photography / ASHLEY MARIE PHOTOGRAPHY  
Styling / DANIELLE MCFARLAND & DON ME NOW  
Hair & MUA / DANIELLE MCFARLAND





## AZUCAR

Model / MARLENE GARCIA TURNER  
Photography / DANNIELA RAMOS  
MUA / YUZLY M  
Art Directing / DCS  
Hair Styling / KEEVA HAIR ARTISTRY  
Designer / FRANCISCO AZUCAR

**A** fiery red-haired beautiful woman by the sea in a gorgeous two-piece floral dress blowing in the wind seems as if she is floating in air. The work of Francisco Azucar is full of passion, raw emotion and in essence the human spirit.

In November 2012, the fashion world lost one of its most talented designers. While getting models prepped to walk at the 5th Annual Chillounge Night event in St Petersburg, Florida, Azucar, as he was better known to his friends and fashion industry professionals, suffered from a fatal heart attack.

Azucar was of Cuban descent and was born in Miami, Florida. He based his work out of Miami but worked often in the Tampa/St. Petersburg area. He was a very talented designer that created versatile Men's wear and Women's wear (including swimwear and pageant dresses) that set him apart from other designers.

His amazing personality, warm heart, obvious talent, and couture dresses led him to be loved and respected throughout the industry.





# SUMMER LOVIN'

Photographer / KALEE KILGROW  
Model / Katie McCall  
MUA & Hair / KATIE MCCALL





# WITCHES FROM THE SOUTH

Photography / MJ SUAYAN  
Styling / SHEN DEGUIA AND MJ SUAYAN  
Model / RODINA LUSPO OF CAL-CARRIE'S INT. PHILIPPINES  
and ANN CASAS OF MERCATOR MODEL MANAGEMENT PHILIPPINES  
MUA / SHEN DEGUIA



# LET THE WILD RUMPUS START

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# ESME VIE

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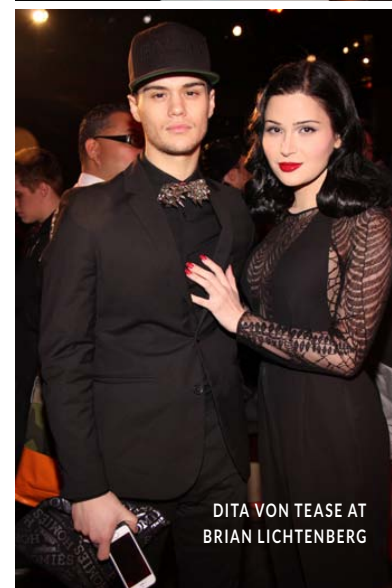
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# NEW YORK FASHION WEEK

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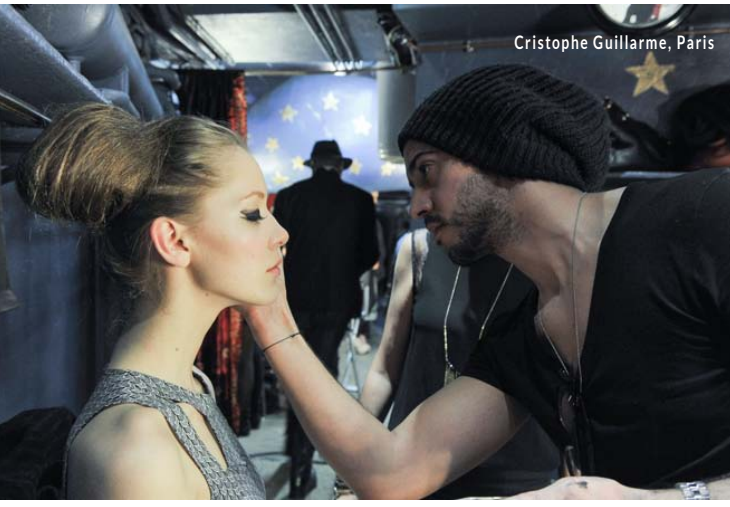
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SPRING / SUMMER 2014 COLLECTION

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Prints / DELO Graphic Design Studio  
Post Production / IGNAT DOZO



Nicola Gleichauf - Frank Barylko



Cristophe Guillarme, Paris



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# TOKYO GIRLS COLLECTION

Photography / MASARU AZAMA

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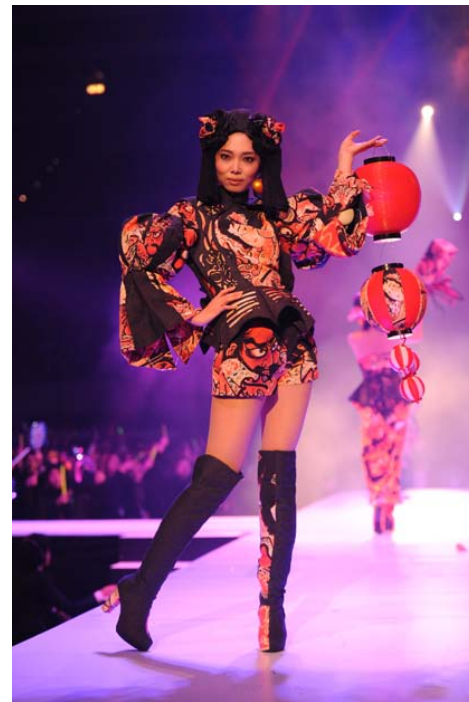
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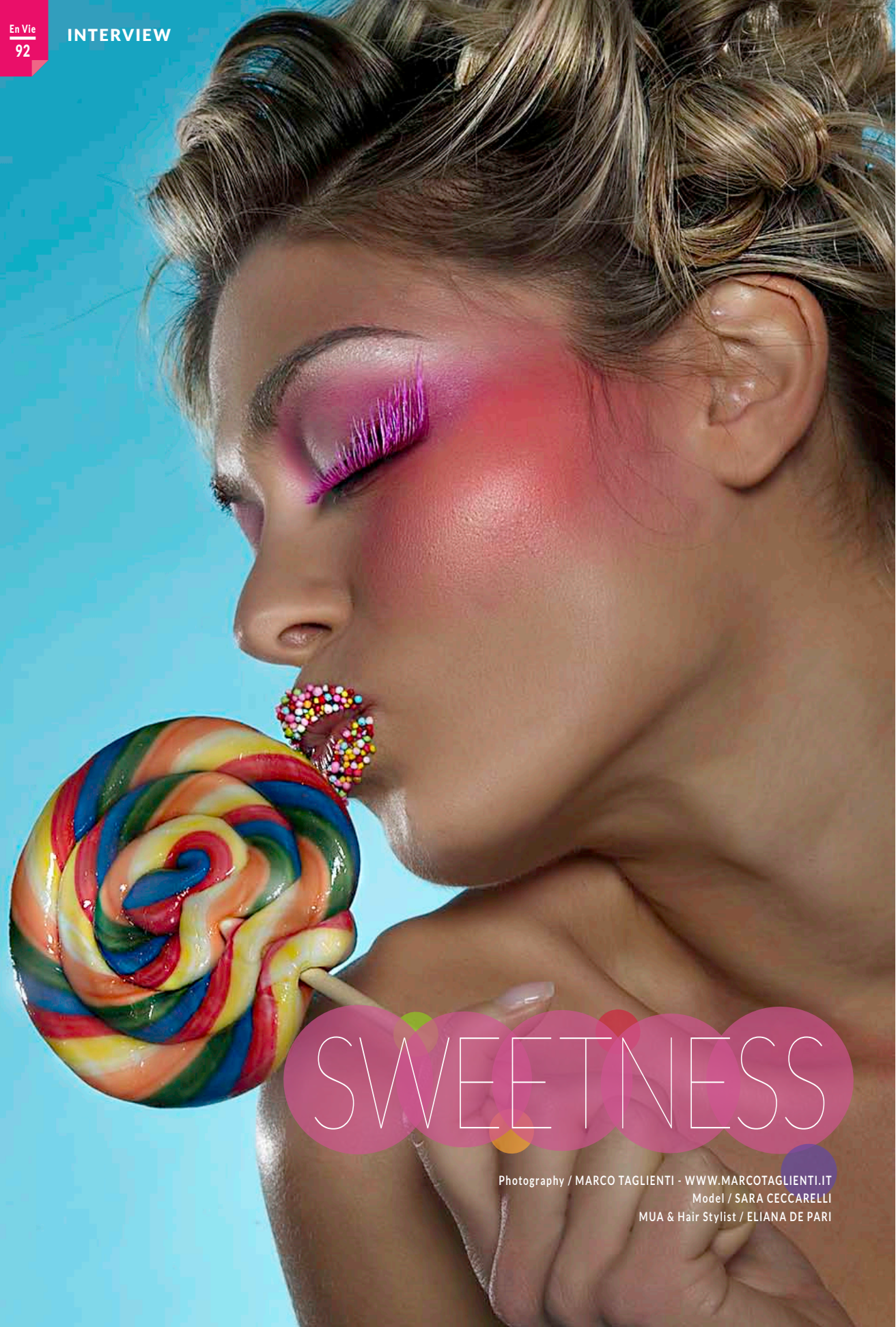
# ESMOD JAPON 2014

THE BEST COLLECTION Photography / NOBUMICHI MIYAGI

# MODE GAKUIN

COLLECTION

Photography / MASARU AZAMA



# SWEETNESS

Photography / MARCO TAGLIANTI - WWW.MARCOTAGLIANTI.IT  
Model / SARA CECCARELLI  
MUA & Hair Stylist / ELIANA DE PARI



## SWEETNESS: INTERVIEW WITH MUA ELIANA DE PARI

**E**liana de Pari was born in Rome in 1978 and since she was a child she was attracted to the charm of make-up. She attended one of the best academies in Rome and received a Master in Fashion- Beauty. She began working with many photographers to create look books from glamour to beauty. She continued on improving her technique and testing her ability with different techniques and styles. Eliana attends regular perfecting courses to stay up to date with the newest techniques.

**EV:** How did you get started as a makeup artist?  
What inspired the career

**EDP:** Since I was child I loved to draw, paint, sculpt and create objects with clay or polymer clay. Makeup for me has always been only a passion, but I never thought to make it a career. One day I decided to sign up to a course called Look Maker in Rome. It was an experience that opened me to a new world and made me realize my fate .

**EV:** How did you create this look?

**EDP:** The look for this photo shoot was born from the idea of sweetness, I used pastel colors and soft shades to recreate the sensation of candy which is colourful and fun. I applied real decorations for cakes on the lips which was a real treat for the model!

**EV:** What is your advice for upcoming MUAs?

**EDP:** This job gives me a lot of satisfaction but it also requires a lot of diligence and sacrifice. There are no set times or holidays. I often work on weekends and just as often I have to move from one city to another. Only a great passion can keep me going!

Check out Eliana's work at [www.elianamakeup.com](http://www.elianamakeup.com).

# MARIPOSA IN PASTEL

Text / EVARA COLLIN  
Photography / CLAUDIA RAYMAT  
MUA & Hair / EVARA COLLIN  
Model / RENÉE VAN OSTA @FLAG MODELS

PROFESSIONAL MAKE-UP ARTIST AND HAIRSTYLIST, EVARA COLLIN SHARES THE SECRETS BEHIND THE LATEST SPRING MAKEUP TRENDS

**I** really loved this shoot with such a great team. We were free to experiment and be more creative than we sometimes have to be for commercial work. I was inspired by an editorial with butterflies, black and white, nude makeup, and straight hair. For this shoot we stayed with the idea of the butterflies but we did something completely different.

Spring is coming so for the make-up I used MAC foundation, Face and body. I used it very light and transparent because Renée has beautiful skin. She didn't need much coverage. Some light concealer under the eyes as contouring and working with light and shadow does miracles. For her eyes we wanted to work with a lot of colour; pastels but also more vivid colors. It was a perfect match with the

butterflies and the styling we had. We first did the lighter pastel colors and then we built it up with more vivid and darker colors.

The eye shadow and color pigment are both MAC. It's a highly concentrated loose powder that can be blended easily and gives a subtle wash or you can achieve an intense effect if you use it differently. Sometimes I put an under layer in black, white or another colour to have a more vivid colour. Lips are Make-up studio. They are lighter in the middle and darker on the edges. The mascara is Chanel's Inimitable. For Renée's hair I crimped it with an iron and then did different hairdos and braids.

Learn more about Evara's work at [www.evaracollin.be](http://www.evaracollin.be).





# NEVERLAND

Photography / MELISSA HOUBEN - WWW.MELISSAHOUBEN.NL  
Models / LISS BOUWENS  
MUA / LANA HOUTHUIJZEN  
Design & Styling / ELISABETTY PLOOS VAN AMSTEL  
Florist / MARION LEMMEN

**M**et Liss Bouwens, the beautiful brown-eyed blonde born in the Netherlands but raised in the south in a little place called Venlo.

*EV: When and why did you start?*

**LB:** Wow, that's way back! They scouted me on the streets in Amsterdam but I didn't take it seriously. A few years later I was walking in Amsterdam's fashion week and I simply loved it!

*EV: How would you describe your life's motto?*

**LB:** I have a few mottos in life but the one on top would be: shit happens.

*EV: When was the most fun you've had on a modeling shoot?*

**LB:** Last summer in New York For L'Anza. I loved everything about it; the vibe, the people and the parties of course!

*EV: What is the most challenging part about modeling?*

**LB:** I always have high goals and expectations. I always try having the right mood in a shoot, which can be difficult sometimes. However, I never give up until I am satisfied with the results!

*EV: How do you prepare for a modeling shoot?*

**LB:** It's important to keep yourself in shape and always make sure you know with whom you are working with.

*EV: What are your life goals?*

**LB:** My goal is to continue to travel the world for modeling and meet nice people with good energy! My all time goal is to have a spread in Vogue Italia. That's every models dream, right?

*EV: What is your advice for aspiring models?*

**LB:** To the young woman who would love to become a model I'd say always be yourself and love what you do!





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# Forecast from the Stars

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## ARIES MARCH 21 - APRIL 19



Since the sun moved into your sign life has been good. You are strong, you shine, your libido roars, love is seeking you out, and you are getting your way. Enjoy this time but be sure to relax and take it easy around the time of the lunar eclipse on the 25th.

## TAURUS APRIL 20 - MAY 20



You know your mind better than anyone else and now is the perfect time to create life on your terms. A certain amount of clearing out is required and there could be some conflict with loved ones as you resolve issues and tie up loose ends. When in doubt use your intuition to guide you.

## GEMINI MAY 21 - JUNE 20



You, and only you, can decide your path of greatest happiness. This month you will be able to have your way and make desired breakthroughs in all areas, especially around the 19th, when your spirituality becomes powerful leading to changes that will become apparent next month. An excellent time for foreign travel.

## CANCER JUNE 21 - JULY 22



Crabs, this is the month for walking your walk and talking your talk. If others do not fit in with your plans you have the strength to walk alone. Personal happiness is your priority. Career blossoms after the full moon on the 10th and family will be supportive of any moves you make.

## LEO JULY 23 - AUGUST 22



Let family and home take a back seat while you focus on career and finances this month. Things are moving forward and there is much success to be had in the workplace. You are able to use your intuition to make quick financial decisions and any dealings with foreign lands or companies could prove lucrative.

## VIRGO AUGUST 23 - SEPTEMBER 22



Your eighth house is strong and the focus is on transformation and rebirth. This is an optimum time for detoxing all areas of your life. Try a new diet, change your job, move house. It won't be easy; the process of change never is, but the end result will be wonderful.

## LIBRA SEPTEMBER 23 - OCTOBER 22



As long as love is going well, everything else will work out for Libra. You will be appreciated in whatever you decide to do this month, which could bring opportunities for romance. Don't get overly concerned with any financial worries; they will sort themselves out in the coming year.

## SCORPIO OCTOBER 23 - NOVEMBER 21



The lunar eclipse on the 25th occurs in your sign and will affect you strongly, so take time out, be gentle with yourself and keep a low profile while you redefine key areas of your life. Love is good and there is a good chance you will meet people with whom marriage seems a possibility.

## SAGITTARIUS NOVEMBER 22 - DECEMBER 21



Follow the joy and you will attract what you need into your life. Fun is to be had in all areas this month; especially romance, time spent with friends and in the workplace. The lunar eclipse on the 25th occurs in your 12th house of spirituality, so avoid and risks for a few days before and after the eclipse.

## CAPRICORN DECEMBER 22 - JANUARY 19



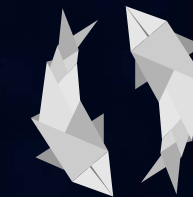
The lunar eclipse on the 25th brings about a testing time for friendships and relationships. There could be dramas and life-changing experiences in the lives of those close to you, so put career and work on hold and devote your time to home and family this month.

## AQUARIUS JANUARY 20 - FEBRUARY 18



A wonderful time for learning, taking a new course, even teaching, as your mind is sharp and information is easily assimilated these days. The lunar eclipse on the 25th reinforces change, especially in career. These are changes that you have little control over, so avoid overt actions. Things are not as you imagine them to be just yet.

## PISCES FEBRUARY 19 - MARCH 20



There is turbulence in the world, enhanced by the lunar eclipse, and, for you, foreign travel is best avoided this month. Instead focus on the home, family and your emotional wellbeing. You are in the 'behind the scenes' phase of your career and now is the time to prepare the inner psychological and emotional conditions for future success.

