



LARA BOHINC
PYTHON
SANDALS, £648

LARA BOHINC
LEATHER
SHOES, £540



LARA BOHINC
LEATHER
AND SUEDE
SANDALS, £432

The next step

First came jewellery, then bags, and this month, Lara Bohinc launches a capsule shoe collection. Staying true to her bold design signature (no ballerina flats here, thank you) her five-piece debut includes gladiatorial evening heels in python, multi-strap sandals in black suede and gold leather, and an impressive black leather peep-toe shoe-boot, which boasts whip stitching and a gold-link chain that looks like it has come straight out of Bohinc's line of fine jewellery. The 37-year-old designer, *top left*, explains that she wanted to design shoes in tune with her other products. "This shoe launch completes the Lara Bohinc look," she says. "Now I plan to launch collections by themes and not by product categories. It's fun to explore a design concept through a variety of different materials." Her Eclipse collection, for example, has inspired the design of three shoes - Apollo, *above left*, Lunar, and Lara's favourite, Sun Ray, *left*, featuring the same curved lines and sun-ray motif found in her jewellery collection. There's still more to come in Bohinc's thriving empire. "I plan to launch home accessories and small furniture, too," she says. "I like the idea of creating something that has more longevity, compared to the fast rhythm of fashion." Exclusive to Harvey Nichols. *GT*

WILBUR
& GUSSIE
CLUTCHES,
FROM £135
EACH



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This coveted line of clutch bags is now available at its own transactional online boutique. With so many styles, prints and colours to choose from, each punctuated with a characterful clasp (this season boasts diamond-studded giraffes, scorpions, owls and roosters) the only problem is choosing which one to buy. Wilburandgussie.com. *SH*

Grown-up woollies

Starting out as a childrenswear brand, Chinti & Parker's super-soft hand-finished cashmere yarns (produced by Italy's finest, Loro Piana) were originally intended for precious newborn skin, but this season, the label debuts womenswear. The result? Sweaters and long-line cardigans with cute patch pockets and contrast elbow patches, in addition to organic-cotton racer-back vests and fine-rib granddad T-shirts. Fast track them all to wardrobe-staple status. ChintiandParker.com *TM-S*

The new-look knits

Browns joins forces with Modernist design duo Andrew Jones and Abdul Koroma this season, resulting in an innovative eight-piece capsule knitwear collection, called Modernist for Browns. Every piece in the line - from cable-knit sweater dresses to cropped chubby cardi-jackets - can cleverly be worn solo or layered up. Bulk buy now. *SH*



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CASHMERE
CARDIGAN,
£190