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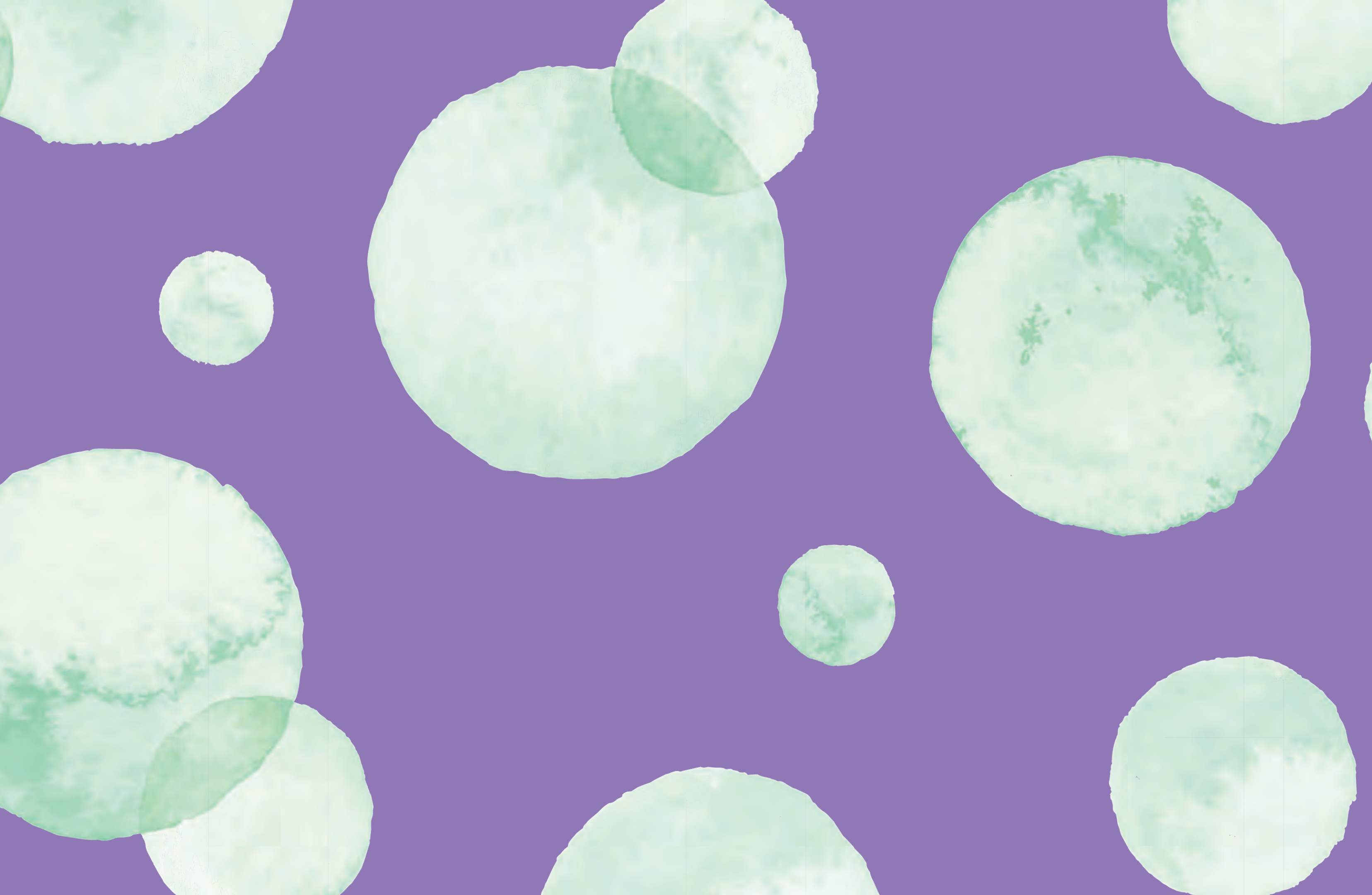
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~ LET'S DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY ~

Photography by **KT Auleta**
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Styling by **Leila Bani**
Movement Direction by **Kate Franklin**
Makeup by **Paula Lanzador**
Hair by **Jesse Ervin**
Dancers: **Kate Franklin, Sarah Hutton, Bennet Tracz, Allie Shiff, Kaya Tsurumi, Kluane Peabody and Juolin Lee**



Sarah wears linen blend, smocked-sleeve and hand loomed patchwork crop-top with pink linen blend palazzo pant by *Justine Conning*



**Bennet wears crinkled-cotton wrap-top and silk taffeta duster coat with passementerie detailing and corduroy trouser with fringe trim by *Nicola Marais*
Juolin wears boned bubble sleeve lycra bodysuit by *Anne Luskey***





Kluane wears bridal mesh unitard with lace detailing and demi peplum by *Nilofar Attar*, Kaya wears ruched mesh trouser with vinyl underwear and matching top with open bust corset by *Gaby Faut*, Allie wears lace strapless dress and matching maxi sleeve shrug with pearl beading by *Charlotte Doucet*, Bennet wears power mesh pleated palazzo pants and halter tank with molded leather vest by *Quinn Price*.



**Kluane wears metallic foil rib-knit gown by *Lancie Huang* ;
Sarah wears metallic foil calfskin dress with beaded fringe by
Cody Enevoldsen ;
Bennet wears silver paillette tube dress by *Gurpreet Sahota*.**



Bennet wears hand painted wool suit with satin trims and belted bandeau by *Jaryd Price*.



**Kaya wears silk organza bustier with leather straps and pearl knit midi-skirt
and Allie wears mythology print hand-knit sweater by *Carlie Olfert*.**



Kate wears silk organza smocked and beaded camisole with leather trench and multi-buckle twill trouser by *Carlie Olfert*.



Kate wears vinyl beaded mini dress and bandeau with magnetic horns by *Samira Amanpour*.





Sarah wears panelled onesie with contrast stitching and cropped red puffer coat by *Ashley Andrews*; Bennet wears neoprene umbrella dress with polkadot lycra hooded unitard by *Xilum Narciso*; Kluane wears faux fur printed jacket by *Lancie Huang* and patchwork bodysuit by *Arashdeep Pannu*; Luolin wears blue bandeau by *Ashley Andrews* and subtraction cut double clown pant by *Xilum Narciso*.



Allie wears tartan and denim wrap trouser and boned tartan corset with cotton bishop sleeve blouse by *Ainsley McPherson*.



Kaya wears tailored vest and matching skirt/pant in tweed and melton wool by *Jonathan Maxwell*; Bennet wears two-tone denim maxi pant with matching sweater and techno twill cargo vest and Kluane wears patchwork denim jumpsuit with sashiko stitching all by *Ty Feldinger*; Allie wears open front trouser with satin multi-pocket cargo vest and corduroy puffer jacket by *Paige Taylor*; Sarah wears pleated shorts with silk chiffon wrap top with smocked sleeves and pin woven vest by *Nicola Marais*.



Kaya wears breeches and matching tailored jacket in waxed cotton by Benjamin Collier; Klwane wears silver taffeta strapless bubble dress by Quinn Price; Bennet wears silver paillette tube dress by Turpreet Sahota; Allie wears sparkle rib-knit subtraction cut gown by Elane Sy; Sarah wears silk and lace slip dress by Lencie Huang and silver hoop trouser by Elane Sy



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Amira, Haruka, Nathan,
Sofi, and Tallyn
@ Wild Models



THOMAS ALVES



Look 1. Haruka wears satin corset, pencil skirt with contrast stitching and latex opera gloves.
Look2. Nathan wears ice-dyed tee shirt, denim twill utility vest and contrast stitched trousers with studded skull cap.



SAMIRA AMANPOUR



Look 1. Tallyn wears leatherette shearing jacket, bandeau and pencil skirt with beaded appliqué and magnetic horns.

Look 2. Sofi wears leatherette mini dress with power sleeves and beaded details.



ASHLEY ANDREWS



Look 1. Haruka wears silk organza bodysuit, duchess satin asymmetrical bandeau and wide leg patent leather trousers.

Look 2. Tallyn wears panelled onesie with contrast stitching and cropped puffer coat.



NILOOFAR ATTAR



Look 1. Haruka wears lace acid-print evening gown.
 Look 2. Bridal mesh bodysuit with lace appliqué and matching demi-peplum.



BENJAMIN COLLIER



Look 1. Tallyn wears coated cotton breeches and riding jacket.

Look 2. Amira wears wrapped bustier with wrapped denim and linen mini skirt.



JUSTINE CONNING



Look 1. Sofi wears linen palazzo pants and hand-woven sweater with smocked sleeves.

Look 2. Haruka wears green linen top, bell bottom trousers and melton wool coat with painted leather insets.



CHARLOTTE DOUCET



Look 1. Amira wears lace bolero top and strapless dress layered with cotton shorts and bandeau.

Look 2. Silk wrap skirt and bustier with lace cups.



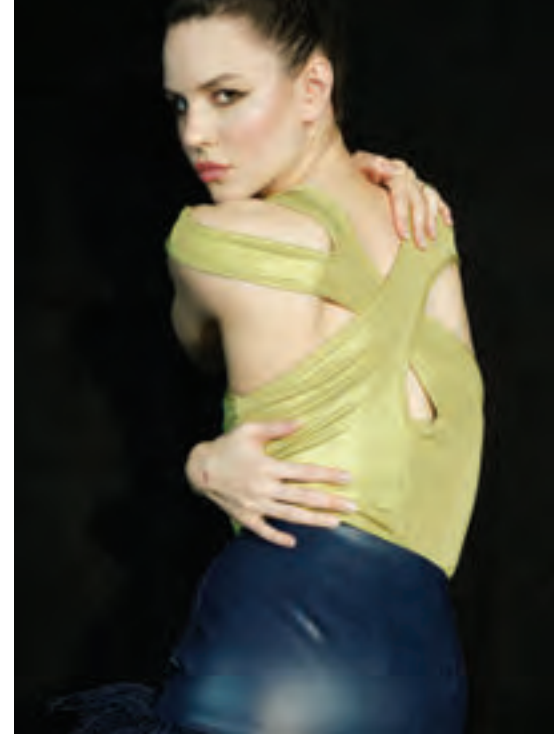
SHANNON DOWNIE



Look 1. Amira wears silk chiffon Juliette dress, chiffon blouse and cotton trousers with organza godets.
 Look 2. Duchess satin corset top with matching mini skirt.



STEPHANIE DUNN



Look 1. Tallyn wears boned silk corset and pantie set with tulle and organza bustle with organza maxi-flower appliqué.

Look 2. Lurex keyhole tank top with leatherette and feather fringe pencil skirt.



STEPHANIE EBERT



Look 1. Sofi wears silk jersey wrap dress and silk chiffon practice skirt.
Look 2. Tallyn wears tencel twill power suit with contrast piping.



CODY ENEVOLDSEN



Look 1. Tallyn wears foil leather sheath dress with button fringe.

Look 2. Amira wears cotton babydoll dress and melton wool button blanket.



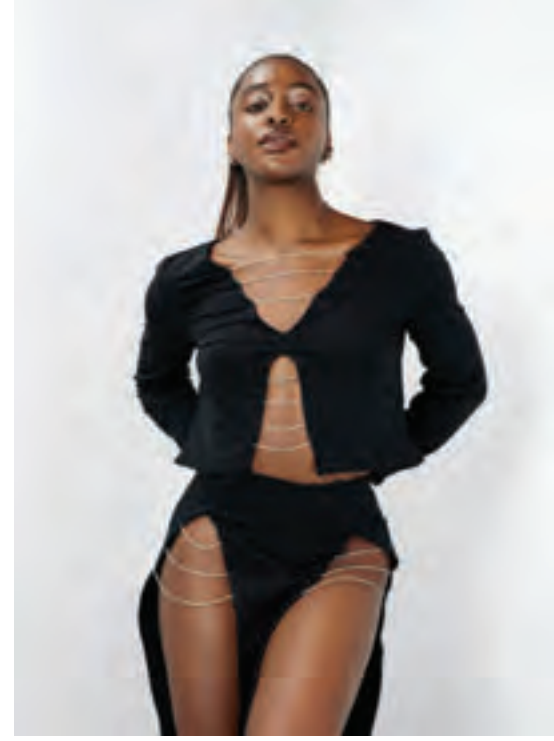
MAGGIE EUSTACHE



Look 1. Haruka wears corduroy bellbottoms with contrast piping and matching satin trim vest.
 Look 2. Silk taffeta capri pants with feather fringe and matching top with organza sleeves.



ELLA FAIRBROTHER



Look 1. Amira wears jersey top and skirt set with chain detailing.
 Look 2. Haruka wears jersey mini dress with matching shrug.



GABBY FAUT



Look 1. Sofi wears satin strapless dress with ruffled bustle.
Look 2. Taffeta gown with maxi-ruffle and tulle overlay.



TY FELDINGER



Look 1. Nathan wears patchwork denim coverall with sashiko stitching.
Look 2. Ripstop tactical vest with color blocked French terry sweat suit.



SHEN HALFNIGHT



Look 1. Nathan wears linen tee-shirt and trouser set.
Look 2. Tencel top and trouser set with magnetic snaps.



MIA HANAOKA



Look 1. Haruka wears cotton sailor top, rushed chiffon skirt layered with cotton mini skirt.
Look 2. Amira wears silk chiffon blouse and sailor front trousers.



ISABELLE HORN



Look 1. Haruka wears strapless babydoll dress in organza and tulle with hand painted bodice.

Look 2. Hand painted canvas apron top and matching mini skirt.



SARAH HORVATH



Look 1. Amira wears denim bandeau and skirt set with circle cut-outs and organza button front blouse.

Look 2. Haruka wears organza combat vest and matching cargo trousers.



LANGIE HUANG



Look 1. Sofi wears metallic foil rib knit evening gown with satin opera gloves.
 Look 2. Silk and lace slip dress with faux fur printed jacket.



KAREN KUAI



Look 1. Amira wears checkered denim trousers with deconstructed waistband, cotton blouse and heavy lace apron top.

Look 2. Haruka wears embroidered micro suede mini dress with organza underlay.



LYDIA LAI



Look 1. Amira wears colour blocked denim sailor shorts, pearl strap halter top and organza bolero with LED insets.

Look 2. Haruka wears duchess satin bustier and miniskirt with tulle bustle.



AVIS LORENTE



Look 1. Haruka wears wool military jacket with satin tunic and French terry trousers with crush velvet cape.

Look 2. Vinyl pentagram caplet with colour blocked flared trouser and polyester tank top.



ANNE LUSKEY



Look 1. Tallyn wears tailored jacket with organza godets, taffeta bustier with dip-dye veil and hand-dyed rib knit trousers with burnout details.

Look 2. Sofi wears linen and organza shorts and lycra bodysuit with organza bubble sleeves.



NICOLA MARAIS



Look 1. Nathan wears quilted taffeta passementerie coat with bertha collar, crinkled silk georgette cardigan and corduroy pants with fringe detailing.

Look 2. Pin woven vest, silk chiffon blouse with smocked cuffs and silk linen pleated front shorts.



ANGEL MATHEW



Look 1. Sofi wears asymmetrical upholstery dress with grommet, lacing and beading details.

Look 2. Nathan wears duchess satin suit with tulle ruffle embellishments.



JONATHAN MAXWELL



Look 1. Tallyn wears mixed melton skirt-pant and matching tailored waistcoat.
 Look 2. Dupioni silk taco sleeve blouse with upcycled jacquard miniskirt.



AINSLEY MCPHERSON



Look 1. Sofi wears tartan bustier, deconstructed sleeve and tam set with crush velvet hot-shorts and panniered cotton overskirt.

Look 2. Tallyn wears cropped cotton blouse and matching ascot with pleated tartan and denim wrap trousers.



XILUM NARCISO



Look 1. Amira wears polka dot print bodysuit, neoprene strapless umbrella dress with reflective trim and panelled organza veil.

Look 2. Haruka wears neoprene and taffeta leg-o-mutton sleeve shirt with oversized corduroy clown pants.



CARLIE OLFERT

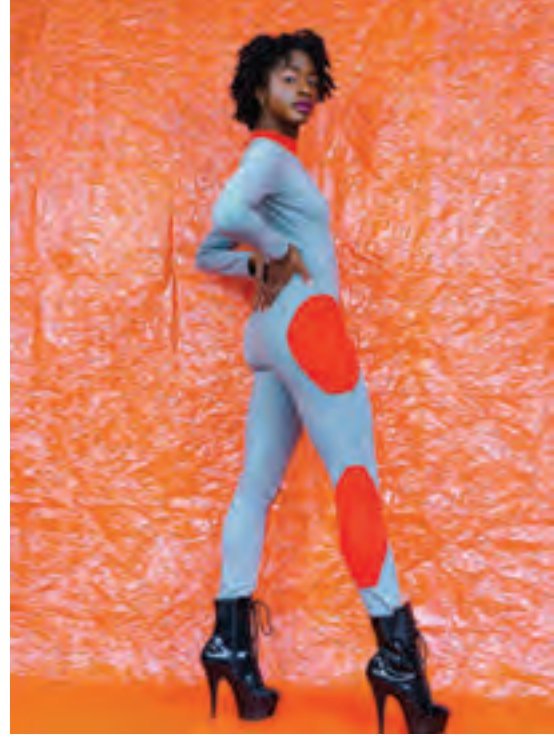


Look 1. Haruka wears silk panelled bustier with Morse code beading, pearl knit skirt with circle cut-outs and leather trench coat

Look 2. Nathan wears hand-knit Grecian print sweater, tweed tailored pants with leather and melton varsity jacket.



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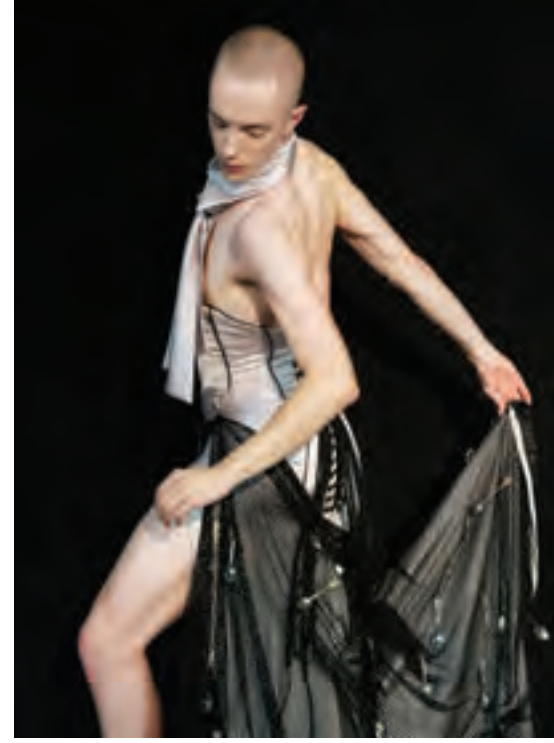
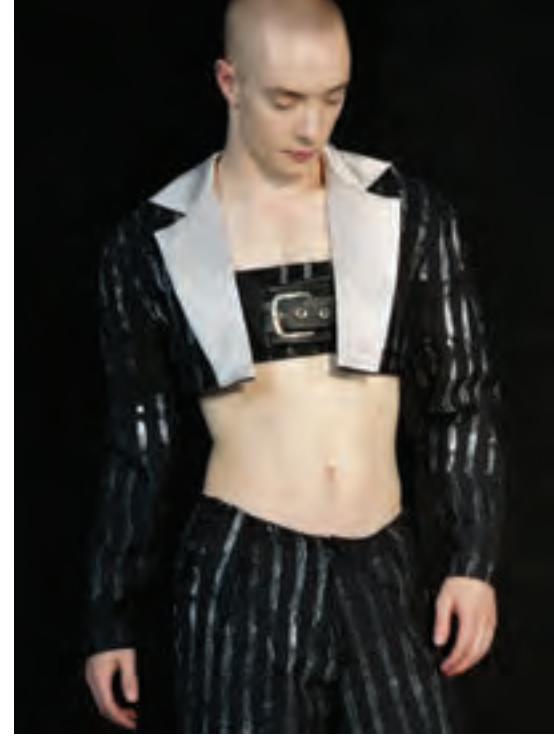


Look 1. Amira wears rib knit bodysuit with circle appliqués.

Look 2. Nathan wears vinyl vest with blanket stitching, cotton button front top with French cuffs and cotton twill high-waisted trousers.



JARYD PRICE



Look 1. Nathan wears hand-painted, deconstructed suit with satin trim and buckle bandeau.
Look 2. Deconstructed evening gown with mesh overlay and antique spoon paillettes.



QUINN PRICE



Look 1. Amira wears silk chiffon evening dress with beading and matching fringed gloves.

Look 2. Haruka wears taffeta strapless babydoll bubble dress with crushed velvet opera gloves.



MANIYA RAI



Look 1. Amira wears satin and organza bra and skirt set and chiffon sari with embroidered trim.
Look 2. Nathan wears silk tunic, wool overcoat and cloak with fringed trim.



GURPREET SAHOTA



Look 1. Sofi wears silver paillette evening dress with matching purse.

Look 2. Haruka wears satin dress with pearled French seams, lace capelet and matching purse.



EVAN SHACKELLY



Look 1. Nathan wears cotton button front shirt with belt detail and cotton twill cargo pants with D-ring appliqués.
Look 2. Oversized silk-screened tee-shirt with cotton straight leg trousers.



MAYA SHUTTLEWORTH

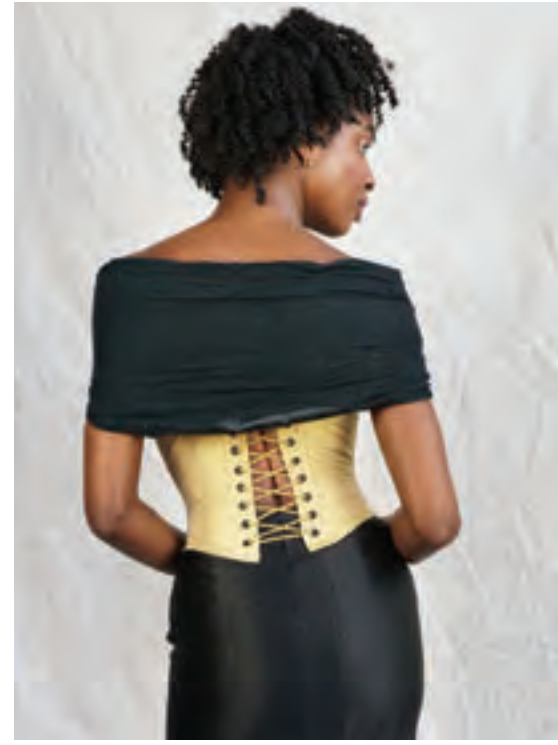


Look 1. Haruka wears cotton button front shirt with rib knit sweater vest, wool convertible jicama pants and matching bouquet tote bag.

Look 2. Amira wears convertible picnic blanket skirt with matching shirt and cotton work coat.



KIERRA SOUTER



Look 1. Haruka wears taffeta and organza spiral ruffle dress with crushed velvet opera gloves.

Look 2. Amira wears satin waist cincher, cotton bra top and satin evening skirt with hand-printed godets.



PAIGE TAYLOR



Look 1. Amira wears corduroy puffer coat with satin utility vest and split leg denim trousers.

Look 2. Haruka wears corduroy overall skirt and satin top with blanket stitching.



SELENA WALRAVEN



Look 1. Haruka wears crushed velvet playsuit with satin appliqué and chiffon printed vest.

Look 2. Nathan wears satin colour blocked bellbottom trousers with fringed leather vest.



NILOOFAR YARMOHAMADI



Look 1. Haruka wears hand-beaded duchess satin jumpsuit.

Look 2. Sofi wears hand-beaded duchess satin cocktail dress with pleated chiffon skirt.



MARIAM ZAGHOUL



Look 1. Amira wears rhinestone beaded velour tracksuit.

Look 2. Embroidered satin pant suit with faux fur heart purse.





INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Academic Achievement / Ainsley McPherson

Technical and CAD Design / Xilum Narciso

Sustainability / Anne Luskey

Portfolio / Thomas Alves & Mia Hanaoka

Garment Construction / Ainsley McPherson

Pattern Making / Benjamin Collier

Illustration / Ainsley McPherson & Thomas Alves



VANCOUVER FASHION WEEK

With each graduating class, three exemplary students are presented with the Blanche Macdonald Centre Award for Excellence. A lot of time, care and debate goes into selecting these budding designers, suffice to say this was not an easy task. So many talented students developed in this year's classes but decidedly, these three shone brightest. Many contributing factors go into selecting the lucky winners of this prestigious prize: academic achievement, skill, dedication to their craft and our program, growth and equally important, their voices and visions as designers.

The Blanche Macdonald Centre Award for Excellence recipients will receive one year's mentorship, access to Blanche Macdonald's illustrious staff and resources, a sponsored show at Vancouver Fashion Week as well as model casting from the city's top agencies. Showing at Vancouver Fashion Week is a massive step into the industry, getting you in front of the fashion community on a global scale. A solo show during an international fashion week is an achievement many designers don't realize until much later in their careers... if ever.

We have full confidence that these three ingénues will pass this professional test with flying colours.

Please join us in congratulating this year's recipients:

Ainsley McPherson, Carlie Olfert and Nicola Marais.

Congratulations you three on your well-deserved accomplishments. May your visions, voices and work ethics be an exemplary beacon for future designers. Well done.

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AINSLEY MCPHERSON



ABOUT THE COLLECTION /

This collection, entitled "Teenage Wasteland" is an exploration of lifelong influences and personal heritage. Inspiration is drawn from my Scottish roots through the use of my own clan tartans - McPherson and Anderson - and elements of the historical highland uniform. A genuine physical connection to my Scottish heritage is made by my use of 100% wool tartan material sourced from Scotland by my own family member over 20 years ago. Traditional meets unconventional when historical silhouettes and materials merge with the attitude and rebellion of 1970s Rock'n'Roll flares and platforms galore, nostalgic styles are reimagined for the modern eccentric. With nods to British rock icons such as The Who and The Sex Pistols, this collection serves as a personal memoir of my childhood Rock'n'Roll education and its continued influence on my life and art.



CARLIE OLFERT



ABOUT THE COLLECTION /

The inspiration for this collection is rooted in fiction and stories. Other lives, other times and other worlds leaving their marks on the designs. Silhouettes echo architecture from Middle Earth and depictions of Greek myths are spashed across sweaters and shirts. The Fall colour palette combines black, white, brown, green, copper, and orange, bringing to mind old book stores and rainy days. The collection bridges what is and what could be, with garments whispering messages beaded in morse code, cable sweaters that paint a hidden picture with each seemingly idle turn and colour work knits that tell a different story depending on your perspective.



NICOLA MARAIS



ABOUT THE COLLECTION /

Jugendstyle is a collection that celebrated the beauty of nature-driven design. Hugely inspired by the Art Nouveau movement prevalent between 1890 and 1910. Art Nouveau was established as an art movement showcasing long, fluid organic lines. The crafts-people strived to revive good workmanship, raise the status of craft, and produce genuinely modern design that reflected the utility of the items they were creating. Jugendstyle is made for anyone seeking modern youthfulness and femininity all the while appreciating historical elements.



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