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## HOLIDAY GLAMOUR

THE LITTLE BLACK DRESS  
FRENCH CHIC, PARTY  
SHINE & THE TUXEDO

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**BODY-HUGGING LEATHER CREATES DANGEROUS CURVES.**

Leather dress, \$865,  
Brandon R Dwyer.

Necklace, Carole  
Tanenbaum Vintage  
Collection; bracelet, Rita  
Teşolin; hose, Silks; shoes,  
Christian Louboutin.

**OPPOSITE PAGE: SHOW OFF TONED SHOULDERS IN A STRAPLESS TAKE ON THE TUXEDO.** Cotton/ rayon-blend dress, \$149, Bebe. Bracelet, Van Der Straeten, Holt Renfrew; hose, Preston & York.

**FLARE BEAUTY** Offset a sleek frock with wild-child curls. Try Herbal Essences Body Envy Volumizing Hairspray, \$4.

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FLARE'S WISH LIST IS STOCKED WITH HOT FINDS FOR EVERY WOMAN ON YOUR LIST—INCLUDING YOU!



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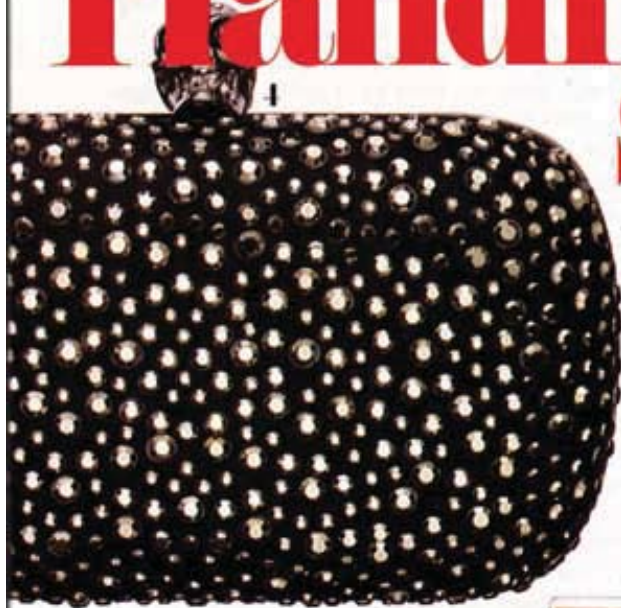
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# Handful of sparkle

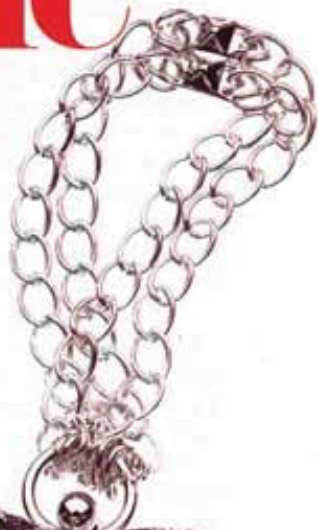
Showstopping clutches for girls about town



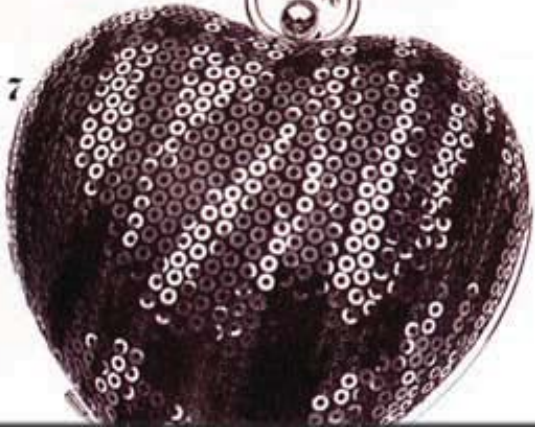
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- 1. Plastic, \$70, Jimmy Choo for H&M.
- 2. Leather, \$495, Kotur, Holt Renfrew.
- 3. Calf hair, \$255, Cole Haan.
- 4. Crystal, \$1,595, Alexander McQueen, Holt Renfrew.
- 5. Metal/crystal, \$969, Clara Kasavina.
- 6. Silk/brass, \$1,850, Louis Vuitton.
- 7. Metal/plastic, \$35, Aldo.

## ON THE COVER

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**John Galliano** TORONTO The Room at The Bay.  
**LittleShilpa** for Crystallized Swarovski Elements  
 Visit [www.littleshilpa.com](http://www.littleshilpa.com). **M.A.C** ACROSS  
 CANADA. Or visit [www.maccosmetics.com](http://www.maccosmetics.com).

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**Alan Anderson** TORONTO Stefania's, White. ACROSS CANADA At select Holt Renfrew. Or visit [www.caroletanenbaum.com](http://www.caroletanenbaum.com). **Banana Republic** ACROSS CANADA. **Bebe** Call (877) 232-3777 or visit [www.bebe.com](http://www.bebe.com). **Brandon R Dwyer** TORONTO **Eleven Boutique**. **Carole Tanenbaum Vintage Collection** TORONTO Stefania's, White. ACROSS CANADA At select Holt Renfrew. Or visit [www.caroletanenbaum.com](http://www.caroletanenbaum.com). **Christian Louboutin** See listing for page 44. **French Connection** ACROSS CANADA. Or visit [www.frenchconnection.com](http://www.frenchconnection.com). **H&M** See listing for page 44. **Herbal Essences** ACROSS CANADA At drug- and grocery stores and mass-market retailers. **Marc by Marc Jacobs** Visit [www.marcjacobs.com](http://www.marcjacobs.com). **Marc Jacobs** Visit [www.marcjacobs.com](http://www.marcjacobs.com). **Preston & York** Call (800) 345-5273. **Rita Tesolin** Visit [www.ritatesolin.com](http://www.ritatesolin.com). **Silks** ACROSS CANADA At mass-market retailers. **Van Der Straeten** ACROSS CANADA Holt Renfrew. **Winners** ACROSS CANADA.

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**AG Hair Cosmetics** Visit [www.aghercosmetics.com](http://www.aghercosmetics.com). **Garnier** ACROSS CANADA At drugstores and mass-market retailers. **Goody** ACROSS CANADA At drug- and grocery stores and mass-market retailers. **John Frieda** ACROSS CANADA At drug- and grocery stores and mass-market retailers. **Jolie** ACROSS CANADA At drugstores. **Tresemme** ACROSS CANADA At drug- and grocery stores.

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