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Bare Beauty's Jessica Morse Bares All About Product Reviews, Brand Partnerships, Effective Pitches and The Instagram Algorithm

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Our Non-Toxic Baby Gift Guide with MADE SAFE

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MADE SAFE Makes Sense

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Jessica Alba Gets Honest About Running a Billion-Dollar Company

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A childhood marked by illness pushed actress Jessica Alba to create The Honest Company, a trailblazing business to help families stay safer – and now, with four GH seals under their belt, Jessica and her team are working hard than ever to deliver on that mission... read more

Healthy Baby Guide

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There are over eighty thousand chemicals in use today, and some of them are known to scientists to cause a range of diseases and conditions from cancer to ADD to early puberty. The problem is that right now, people almost need a degree in chemistry just to go shopping... read more

What New Research Reveals About Crafting a Non-Toxic Home for Kids

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This Is What's Happening in the Remarkable World of Green Business

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#RaiseTheGreenBar Sustainability Summit at the Hearst Tower, NYC

NOVEMBER 14 2017 – THE CONSCIOUS CONNOISSEUR

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Good Housekeeping Hosts First-Annual Green Summit

NOVEMBER 14 2017 – COSMETICSDESIGN.COM

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Raising the Green Bar: Your Roadmap to Sustainability & Success

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Good Housekeeping Deputy Editor and Good Housekeeping Institute Director Laurie Jennings discusses the GH Institute and MADE SAFE's first annual Green Summit... read more

Toxic Timeout: 5 Petrochemicals in Beauty to Know + Avoid

OCTOBER 31 2017 - THE CHALKBOARD

Below we're breaking down five major chemicals commonly found in beauty products. Take note, tell your friends and shop a little greener... read more

Spotlight On: Oilogic Essential Oil Roll-Ons for Babies & Kids

OCTOBER 10 2017 - MINDFUL MOMMA

When my boys were little, I loved using baby products made with essential oils, but I was always a bit too nervous to try to concoct my own essential oil blends to use on them... read more

Decoding the MADE SAFE Certification: What Does It Mean for Brands + You?

OCTOBER 9 2017 - W.E.L.L. INSIDERS

For most of us, there's a defined ah-ha! moment we can point to when we started making the switch from conventional products to cleaner, greener options... read more

Are There Dangers Lurking in Your All-Natural Laundry Soap?

OCTOBER 4 2017 - MADELINE BLOM

In my quest to live as naturally as possible, I make sure I do everything I can to offer myself and my family the safest products possible. Doing our best to make more conscious choices... read more

Michelle Ranavat, Ranavat Botanics

SEPTEMBER 25 2017 - COSMETICSDESIGN.COM

In her Indie Beauty Profile, Michelle Ranavat, founder of Ranavat Botanics, talks about the entrepreneurial spirit she seems to have inherited... read more

US Children's Product Line First to Achieve NGO Safety Certification

SEPTEMBER 19 2017 – CHEMICAL WATCH

US toy company, Bioserie, has become the first children's product brand to be approved under the MADE SAFE labelling certification... read more

19 Green Beauty Brands We Fell In Love With at the Indie Beauty Expo

SEPTEMBER 6 2017 – ALLURE

These are some truly sophisticated, high-tech, luxurious products that just happen to be made by smaller companies, run by pioneers, families, and some truly inspiring women on a mission... read more

Meliora Cleaning Products Are MADE SAFE

AUGUST 8 2017 - GREEN PASSION BEAUTY

Have you been looking for affordable, safe, laundry detergent and cleaning products? Then look no further, Meliora Cleaning products are MADE SAFE with no known harmful ingredients and they work... read more

7 New Sustainable Food and Product Labels You Should Know About When You Shop JULY 26 2017 – RODALE'S ORGANIC LIFE

Understanding these labels will help you choose better organic and sustainable food, home, and beauty products... read more

I Tried Hairprint - The Safest Way to Cover Grey Hair - Here's What Happened

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Probiotic Mother Dirt Joins Brands Touting 'MADE SAFE' Certification

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Nonprofit MADE SAFE certifies consumer products that pass its evaluation against chemical lists from regulatory authorities, NGOs and other sources. Mother Dirt's AO+ Mist ... read more

Mother Dirt's Probiotic AO+ Mist Earns 'MADE SAFE' Label

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Mother Dirt, the firm that touts live probiotic skin care products that nurture the good bacteria of the skin, says its AO+ Mist now bears the MADE SAFE (Made with Safe Ingredients) seal... read more

Survey: Shoppers Prefer Safe Products

JULY 11 2017 – FOOD PACKAGING FORUM

Safer Chemicals Healthy Families surveys consumers to understand their view on toxic chemicals in products; observes strong preference for 'safe and healthy products free of dangerous chemicals'... read more

The Best All-Natural Summer Beauty Products That Keep You Fresh

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Oh, summer. There are so many good things about you – vacations, fireworks, barbecues, lightening bugs, the pool… read more

Rejuva Minerals – MADE SAFE Certified Cosmetics

JUNE 21 2017 – THIS ORGANIC GIRL

Hey guys! I'm back again with MADE SAFE – this time featuring Rejuva Minerals. MADE SAFE is America's first nontoxic certification for products we use every day from baby to... read more

10 Harmful Ingredients Lurking in Your Beauty Products

JUNE 11 2017 – TRUE BOTANICALS

While it's often the case that if you struggle to pronounce something, it's a good idea to avoid it (e.g., imidazolidinyl urea, a formaldehyde-releasing preservative commonly used in cosmetics... read more

What You Need to Know About Bug Repellent

JUNE 1 2017 – NATURALLY SAVVY

It's finally warming up outside, which means playing outside, family vacations, and... mosquitos. Yep, bug season is in full swing... read more

Non-Toxic Sunscreen and Other Safe Products

MAY 31 2017 – EMBRACING IMPERFECT

Summertime, summertime! Ah that wonderful repose of the great outdoors comes with great risk. There are toxins everywhere and the only solution is to find options... read more

What to Bring to Summer Camp

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Every morning one of my kids makes the countdown announcement: "Only ten more days until summer!"... read more

Olivia Wilde Talks About Her New Role With True Botanicals

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Olivia Wilde makes no attempt to sugarcoat things when it comes to her thoughts on the beauty industry... read more

Olivia Wilde on Her Beauty Obsessions, Social Media, and Joining True Botanicals

MAY 23 2017 - THE DAILY FRONT ROW

One glance at Olivia Wilde's Instagram, and it's clear the actress doesn't hold back when it comes to causes she supports. She recently teamed up with organic and eco-friendly line True Botanicals as its first chief brand activist... read more

Olivia Wilde on the Politics of 'Natural' Beauty and 'Melania Hair'

MAY 22 2017 – NYMAG

Both of Olivia Wilde's parents were Washington, D.C., journalists, so it should be no surprise that the actress is passionate about her politics, even when it comes to the politics of "natural" beauty... read more

Olivia Wilde Serves As Chief Brand Activist for True Botanicals

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As a celebrity with a platform, Olivia Wilde has chosen to advocate for True Botanicals, the natural skincare brand that's a far cry from the mass brands she has represented... read more

Olivia Wilde Is Now the Chief Activist for This Nontoxic Beauty Brand

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Thanks to an awesomely chic army of beauty brands delivering eco-friendly and effective natural beauty solutions, the once hippie-dippie natural beauty trend is now a full-on beauty movement... read more

EXCLUSIVE: Olivia Wilde Signs With Luxury Natural Skin-Care Brand True Botanicals MAY 19 2017 – WOMEN'S WEAR DAILY

"It's up to us in this country to regulate what we're using, because we cannot trust the government to regulate them in a safe way," said the former Revlon ambassador... read more

MADE SAFE Review: New Kids on the (Green) Block

MAY 10 2017 - SOCIALLY CONSCIOUS

There's a new non-profit watchdog in town and they are on a mission to do...exactly what their name implies. MADE SAFE is encouraging every product to obtain their certification so that we can feel comfortable... read more

Keep It Clean

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Dangerous Shampoo & Conditioner Chemicals: What Brands to Avoid and Our Must Use List MAY 6 2017 – TRUE VIRAL NEWS

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10 Things to Know to Find a Safe Bug Repellent

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Toxic Time of Month? Creepy Chemicals Every Woman Should Avoid

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How safe are your feminine care products? We're learning about dioxins, furans and how to avoid these common chemicals... read more

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Does Your Tampon Contain Pesticides? Here's Exactly What to Look For

APRIL 23 2017 – MIND BODY GREEN

By now, we can all agree that the fewer chemicals we come in contact with on a day-to-day basis, the better. So it makes sense that more and more feminine care companies are marketing... read more

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You might not know this but, I am kind of a search engine/blogger reading/Instagram addict. I am always on the hunt for new and upcoming natural beauty brands. When I find new companies or products... read more

MADE SAFE and Rejuva Minerals

APRIL 20 2017 - GREEN PASSION BEAUTY

Have you heard about Rejuva Minerals and that they have some of their cosmetics MADE SAFE certified? So excited to share with you what MADE SAFE certification means... read more

Hairprint Shampoos: Clean, Green, Detoxifying Machines

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Choosing a shampoo is complicated. Especially when you are looking for one that works and meets serious #truthbeauty standards... read more

Why "Toxic-Free" Is More Important than "All-Natural" When it Comes to Skin Care APRIL 17 2017 – MOMMAS ORGANICS

We're all doing what we can to make sure we're living as "green" as possible. From buying organic foods and reading the ingredients on our food labels to buying all-natural products for ourselves and families, it's never been... read more

Mama Earth Baby Products { Brand Review }

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Mama Earth is a brand, by a parent, for the parent. It was started when Ghazal and Varun were expecting their first child. That's the time they turned from a bungee jumping, pub hopping, carefree couple to safety wardens... read more

The Savviest New Products from Expo West 2017

APRIL 3 2017 – NATURALLY SAVVY

Andrea and I spent five amazing days in California at Expo West exploring all the hottest wellness trends. This year's show featured over 80,000 attendees with 3,100 exhibitors... read more

True Botanicals responds to the recent Unilever deal

MARCH 31 2017 – THE HUB OF CLEAN LIVING

News broke on March 30th that Unilever Ventures, the venture-capital and private-equity arm of Unilever PLC, has secured a minority stake in natural skin and hair care brand True Botanicals... read more

Meet Amy Ziff

MARCH 30 2017 - HAIRPRINT

What is the MADE SAFE seal and what do you look for in order to give a company certification? Can you walk us though the process to become MADE SAFE® Certified?... read more

Unilever Acquires Minority Stake in True Botanicals

MARCH 30 2017 - THE BUSINESS OF FASHION

"We have a very mission-driven business and culture. We are focused on eradicating the practice of selling toxic products," said Mace-Turner, noting that True Botanicals holds a MADE SAFE certification validating its ingredients' non-toxic status..." read more

12 Natural Skincare Brands to Keep on Your Radar

MARCH 23 2017 - INSTYLE

A few years ago, searching for natural skincare brands was like trying to get an Uber during surge pricing—stressful and pricey. Now, giving your skincare routine a spring cleaning has never been easier... read more

MADE SAFE + Annmarie Gianni Skin Care

MARCH 17 2017 – THIS ORGANIC GIRL

So we know, ideally, we want to eat organic food because we want to avoid pesticides, chemical fertilizers, dyes, GMOs and more. But what do we do we look for when it comes to buying makeup, skincare and personal care products?... read more

Anti-aging: The Real Deal

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In case you haven't noticed, I try a lot of natural skincare products. Sometimes it can be tough to go from some truly great skincare products to using ho-hum products... read more

Natracare's sanitary products first to get Made Safe seal

MARCH 17 2017 – NATURAL BEAUTY NEWS

Natracare has become the first brand to have its tampons, pads, maternity pads and nursing pads certified by MADE SAFE... read more

Brand Profile and Interview with Allyson Owens of Pleni Naturals

MARCH 13 2017 – THE GREENLY GUIDE

I think it's safe to say that parents want what is best for their children. We want to protect them and provide them with love so they can grow and thrive... read more

Are You Being Duped? Your 4 Best Resources for 'Digging Out the Dirt' on Safe Beauty MARCH 13 2017 – HEALING LIFESTYLES

If you're reading this article, it's likely that you spend a lot of time in the organic produce section of the grocery store. You probably started avoiding... read more

Get the Dirt on Nontoxic Spring Cleaning

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Your vacuum and a damp rag can get you pretty far. All those bottles under the sink are another story... read more

Why You Want to Re-Think Your Tampons, Pads and Maternity Care Products

MARCH 8 2017 - NATURAL PARENT MAGAZINE

You may have already seen their cheerful daisy-covered packaging in your local Organic Shop or Supermarket, but if you are not already a loyal customer, you soon will be... read more

Best Nontoxic Mattresses of 2017

MARCH 6 2017 – NONTOXIC REBOOT

If you were to only pick one item to switch in your journey for a nontoxic reboot, I would say that you should get a nontoxic mattress... read more

MADE SAFE Is the Gold Standard for Certifying Nontoxic Products

MARCH 2 2017 – MUSINGS BY SUSAN ROCKEFELLER

Musings believes that all who make an effort, make a difference. Curated by Susan Rockefeller, the Musings Spotlight offers at-a-glance overviews of how brands and organizations are creating a positive impact... read more

Natracare Introduces Nontoxic Products to Feminine Care

MARCH 3 2017 – WHOLEFOODS MAGAZINE

Natracare is leading the way in safe feminine care by being the first brand to certify its tampons, pads, maternity pads and nursing pads with the MADE SAFE (Made with Safe Ingredients) seal... read more

Safe Sex Products

MARCH 1 2017 - NATURALLY SAVVY

Last time we covered harmful chemicals in sexual health products, like condoms, lube, wipes and washes. This week, we're giving you suggestions for products that... read more

Natural Laundry Detergent ~ Don't Get Greenwashed!

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Look carefully at the label of your natural laundry detergent, and you may discover some decidedly unnatural ingredients! Here's how not to get greenwashed!... read more

Proven Nontoxic with MADE SAFE

FEBRUARY 24 2017 - NATRACARE

We've been pioneering safer menstrual products for years, and we're so proud to prove it with this revolutionary new certification... read more

BREAKING NEWS: Natracare Awarded MADE SAFE Certification

FEBRUARY 24 2017 - NATURALLY SAVVY

At Naturally Savvy, we have been advocating for full disclosure in feminine products for a long time and we've even set pads on fire to show you the contrast between conventional and natural products... read more

Amy Ziff's MADE SAFE Is Breaking You Free from Your "All-Natural" Bubble

FEBRUARY 23 2017 - MUSINGS BY SUSAN ROCKEFELLER

We've all seen it. It's plastered on the side of your favorite face cream, stickered on your all-purpose cleaning spray and promised on your chosen brand of paper towels. It reads: "all-natural..." read more

Harmful Chemicals in Sex Products: What You Need to Know

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There is no time like the present to talk about products made for the bedroom. While things like lube, condoms, feminine wipes and washes are often discussed in hushed tones, if at all, it's imperative... read more

MADE SAFE & Women's Health

FEBRUARY 21 2017 – S.W. BASICS

We're proud to celebrate women's health this month with S.W. Basics, Good Clean Love, Rejuva Minerals, and Sustain. Each of these companies is part of a revolutionary new movement to... read more

How Do You Know Your Skincare is Made Safe?

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As you can probably imagine, I get a LOT of questions about skincare ingredients and skincare products. Since I make my own skincare products... read more

Interview with Amy Ziff: Founder of MADE SAFE

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Creating a non-toxic home has been so important to me; especially since having kids. My eyes are now wide open to the thousands of chemicals we are exposed to on a daily basis... read more

Detox Your Nightstand: 3 Non-Toxic Products for the Bedroom

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Toxic relationships happen, but a toxic sex life doesn't have to. We're talking about non-toxic lube and why it's time to clean up your act in bed... read more

Chemicals to Avoid When You're Pregnant or Breastfeeding

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Coupled with the joy of becoming pregnant is the unfortunate realization that keeping your baby healthy means avoiding... read more

How to Avoid 5 Harmful Chemicals in Baby and Kids Products

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Have you heard that saying that a worried parent does better research than the FBI? Unfortunately, parents almost have to be professional sleuths to figure out... read more

The Toxic Shampoo Ingredient That's Not on the Label

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Learn how to steer clear of the questionable ingredient found in many shampoos and body washes. Here's the kicker: it isn't listed on the label... read more

No More Harmful Ingredients with MADE SAFE Certification

JANUARY 16 2017 – GREEN PASSION BEAUTY

Wouldn't it be great if we could just buy products off the shelf and not have to worry about them containing any harmful ingredients? This should be the norm, unfortunately it is not... read more

MADE SAFE and Moms Across America: Toxins and Solutions

JANUARY 12 2017 – MOMS ACROSS AMERICA

Zen Honeycutt, Founder & Executive Director of Moms Across America, interviews Amy Ziff, Founder & Executive Director of MADE SAFE about toxins in everyday household products and solutions to remove them... watch

Hairprint Is Nontoxic By Nature, and By Design

JANUARY 5 2017 – SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

Reading the ingredient list on one of the new shampoos from nontoxic hair care company Hairprint – sea buckthorn fruit, olive leaf, elderberry, green coffee extract, lactic acid — you might mistake it for a prestige skin cream... read more