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Annabel Davidson on accessorising extremities



## PRETTY LITTLE THINGS

With a nod to the classics, Pandora's new stacking rings in 14ct gold, enamel and a sprinkling of stones are fresh and sweet, in a variety of braided, twisted and granulated designs. The tiny bow and flower details make them particularly irresistible. And starting at £30 for the sterling silver versions (£225 for gold), there's every reason to wear as many at a time as you can. [pandora.net](http://pandora.net)



TOP & BOTTOM: PANDORA STACKING RINGS IN STERLING SILVER, ENAMEL, AND GOLD. FROM £30



## SISTER ACT

Cartier's newest jewellery watch collection, L'Heure Envoûtée de Cartier, prompts a double-take for both its beauty and the fact that it has been designed as three horological pairs, each made up of two timepieces, one figurative and one abstract. A marvellous Art Deco high jewellery 'secret' watch of diamond rows framing a shield-shaped 33.51-carat emerald is the big sister to a new crocodile brooch watch, sporting a green alligator strap and removable bejeweled crocodile. But the pearl pair has to be the most lovely of all – two high jewellery secret watches, one hiding the movement behind a huge 9.94-carat rose-cut diamond, the other behind the diamond plumage of a graceful swan.

CARTIER HIGH JEWELLERY SECRET WATCH IN GOLD, DIAMONDS, NATURAL PEARLS AND ONYX. POA FROM CARTIER

## ROSE LOVER

PIAGET'S HIGH JEWELLERY ROSE PASSION COLLECTION WAS UNVEILED IN GENEVA IN JANUARY THIS YEAR BUT, IF YOU MISSED IT, A VERY SPECIAL COLLECTION OF SIX NEW PIECES WILL BE SHOWN FOR THE FIRST TIME AT THE NEWLY EXPANDED PIAGET BOUTIQUE AT HARRODS IN MAY. THIS ROSE ELEGANCE NECKLACE IN WHITE GOLD AND DIAMONDS MAY HAVE THORNS BUT THERE'S NOTHING PRICKLY ABOUT IT.

[piaget.com](http://piaget.com)

PIAGET ROSE ELEGANCE NECKLACE IN WHITE GOLD AND DIAMONDS. POA AT HARRODS



## FAN CLUB

Chinese fashion icon Bao Bao Wan may not be a household name here, yet, but her social status in China is unparalleled. She only has to post a picture of herself wearing something by Dior on Instagram for it to sell out instantly in her homeland. She also happens to have a gorgeously opulent jewellery line. This fan bangle from her 'La Brise de la Danse' collection is a high jewellery fusion of eastern motifs and serious diamonds. POA from Harrods.

BAO BAO WAN FAN BANGLE IN GOLD AND COLOURED DIAMONDS. POA AT HARRODS

## ANOTHER WAY

Rings on her fingers and bells on her toes? Why not! Jewellery has never just been confined to drop earrings and wedding bands, and contemporary jewellers are taking advantage of the freedom that gives them. **1 Diane Kordas'** ear cuff curls up the ear like the tendrils of a diamond-set plant. [net-a-porter.com](http://net-a-porter.com) **2 Mexican fine jeweller Colette's** serpent handpiece winds itself around three fingers and the thumb. [giftlab.com](http://giftlab.com) **3 Parisian brand Etername's** best-selling double-ring is a slinky take on the multi-finger ring and comes in coloured sapphires as well as white diamonds. [etername.com](http://etername.com) **4 Noudar's** articulated Imperial Lace ring is just one example of her alternative styles – the Qatari jeweller puts diamonds into headpieces, chain-linked finger bracelets and even fingerless gloves. [frostoftlondon.co.uk](http://frostoftlondon.co.uk).



**1** DIANE KORDAS WHITE GOLD AND DIAMOND EAR CUFF. £3,350. **2** COLETTE SERPENT HAND. JEWELLERY IN GOLD AND EMERALDS. £21,680



**3** ETERNAME ENTRELACS ROSE GOLD AND PINK SAPPHIRE DOUBLE FINGER RING. £1,250. **4** NOUDAR ROSE GOLD AND DIAMOND IMPERIAL LACE RING. POA

