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Moonstone for healing, amethyst for protection: crystals are having a hot moment in fashion

- Crystal jewellery is on trend, with designers harnessing the supposedly healing power of gemstones for fashion-forward bracelets, bangles and necklaces
- Designer Jia Jia Zhu was drawn by the 'vibrations and energy' each crystal embodies, while Shabnam Melwani-Reis sought 'natural ways to heal'



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Diane Kordas beaded earrings. The former fashion designer has an interest in mystical symbols.

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American jeweller Diane Kordas combines crystals and other fine gems with a cool rock 'n' roll aesthetic. The former fashion designer has an interest in mystical symbols — her evil eye collection is a bestseller — and her latest designs include power beads and beaded hoop collections that use crystals such as agate, aventurine and kunzite.