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Best Vintage Store

YOU NEED LOOK NO FURTHER THAN THE CURRENT '90S REVIVAL to know that when it comes to style, everything new is old. And for the best fashion-forward throwbacks we turn to Downtown boutique **BARRIO VINTAGE**. Owners Bradley Rhea and Jonathan Saupe have a knack for tracking down the coolest clothing and accessories from eras past. “We get to see garments that we never would have imagined existed,” says Rhea. “We’ve had wild hand-painted denim, immensely oversized '80s jewelry and jumpsuits with legs flared wider than we knew was possible.” Scoop up finds thrifted from across the U.S. Mainland then dive into their extensive collection of Hawai'i-made pieces. **1161 NU'UANU AVE., 674-7156—BT**



BEST WOMEN'S ALOHA SHIRTS

↑ THE FOLKS AT JAMS WORLD MUST BE PSYCHIC: Somehow they've homed in on exactly what we want in a woman's aloha shirt. And let's be real, that's no easy feat—too boxy and you're channeling SpongeBob; too conservative and you'll look straight out of customer service. Jams World gets it just right with a flattering neckline that opens up mid-décolletage, breezy side slits that let the garment move with you and roomy sleeves that can easily be coaxed into cool-kid rolls. Add to that painterly prints and a soft rayon fabric that drapes in all the right places and you've got yourself the top of the tops. **MULTIPLE LOCATIONS, JAMSWORLD.COM—BT**



BEST LOCALLY DESIGNED SUNGLASSES

→ WHEN THE WOMEN ON OUR TEAM HAD THE OPPORTUNITY to try on **MOHALA EYEWEAR's** current Asian-fit sunglasses with high nose bridges, we loved what we saw: sunnies that didn't slip, dip or lift when we smiled. We also crushed on the new selection of fresh-yet-forever frames that appealed to our very different styles. Mohala now carries 19 styles in mirrored, polarized and gradient lens options. Another spectacular reason we voted it the best? A portion of the proceeds go to Room to Read, a national nonprofit dedicated to educating girls in Asia and Africa. **MOHALAEYEWEAR.COM—SM**

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BEST FABRIC PLANTERS

← YOU KNOW YOU'RE A NEXT-LEVEL plant parent when you shop more for your green babies than yourself. And who do we blame for our growing plant wares addiction? **PLANT SAX** owner Jessica Heiman of course. We can't get enough of her stylish planter covers made from vintage and remnant fabrics. This past year, Heiman teamed up with handbag designer Jana Lam to create a vibrant tropical collection and turned her green thumb blue, whipping up indigo shibori styles. Up next? Keep an eye out for cheery covers for your cleaning wipes containers. **PLANTSAX.COM—BT**