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15. LAVEAU is a sustainably-minded brand unafraid to be confidently lost, helping people see beauty within imperfection. The designs are derived from drawings that are recreated into adventurous, whimsical, and ethereal prints to commemorate and appreciate the hurdles one goes through in life. They feature womenswear, sportswear, and home collections. Visit laveaucollection.com IG: @laveauofficial

16. SHOP MEKO is female founded, owned and operated since 2016. They are native New Yorkers with a global glow. Keep it natural. Glam it up. Do what you feel. At times they are minimalist and sometimes they can't resist getting glam. They enjoy margaritas as much as they crave green juice. Because contradictions are ok. It's always a sunny day at SHOP MEKO! Visit shopmeko.com and follow on IG: @shop.meko

17. This fall **TOUCH BY ADRIANA CAROLINA** is launching its first knitwear collection called New York, where simplicity meets sophistication. This new collection is inspired by a cosmopolitan woman who desired to dress in classy but effortless styles. The looks are very versatile and these pieces are the perfect canvas to create elevated and relaxed looks as you desire for your special occasions. Fall in love and indulge yourself with this New York Collection. Visit: touchbyac.com IG: @touchbyac

18. ELINA COLUMBA is an abstract artist whose artworks are inspired mostly by travelling. She believes art can add the right energy to any space and make you feel better. You can add the right mood, or joy, or some fresh energy into your space and your life. Visit elinacolumba.com or follow @elina_columba_paintings on IG.

19. Introducing **RYRY SCALLOP** - the UK's first compact child car seat meeting the EU's toughest safety standards. Designed with safety and portability in mind, without compromising on style and sustainability. Safe enough for everyday use, yet compact enough to travel with you in style. Visit ryrycompact.com and @ryrycompact on IG.

20. CAROLINE BOFF is an emerging, contemporary artist who exhibits internationally. Caroline is a fellow of the Royal Society of Arts and is with the Tin Man Art Gallery in London and Hampshire and global design firm M Moser New York. She has recently exhibited in Greece, London, New York, San Diego, Birmingham and Miami and has upcoming exhibitions in New York and London, as well as in many virtual reality exhibitions. Her work has recently been featured in the Collector's Choice China Volume III. carolineboff.co.uk and IG @artbycarolineboff

21. BALUSHKA Resort Wear shares its passion for traditions whilst creating summer inspired outfits that are sophisticated, elegant, fashionable, and fun. Supporting the concept of 'eco-chic', they use the highest quality linen and unique hand embroidery techniques to craft sustainable garments. Visit at LoveBalushka.com and follow @ba_lush_ka on IG.

22. Esther Leslie founded **ELLY HOME DECOR** to help others de-stress and bring peace and wellbeing into their homes. Her soy and coconut wax scented candles and pillows are handcrafted with love and beautifully packaged in her studio in Trinidad and Tobago. Her candles are available in four sizes and nearly 40 scents. Use code CNT for 15% off (expires 31/12/22). Photographer: Alicia Pierre. Visit ellyhomedecor.com IG: @ellyhomedecor

23. ECLAT DESIGNS by Crystin is a high-end, luxury furniture brand based in Colorado, USA. One of the top innovative furniture designers for artistic, imaginative and evocative furniture styles, she creates each piece to be truly one of a kind. She believes that each furniture piece has a compelling story that can be brought to life with colours and mixed media design. Renown for her metallic finishes, unconventional techniques, and immaculate presentation, her work is functional art that uses furniture as a canvas for self expression. Her furniture styles range from Rococo to Bohemian Chic. Purchase or see more of her work at eclatdesignsbycrystin.com Follow @eclatdesignsbycrystin on IG for her latest fabulous furniture creations and projects.

24. The Sur Collection by **OSTRA BRASIL** is inspired by the French expression "Ton Sur Ton", a timeless concept that manifests itself in an analogous colour palette of different nuances, having the same dominant base colour. The radiant blue colour and its gradations convey an energizing sensation, with saturated tones and over soft tones, bringing an optimism to this season. Shop Lidianne Andrade's stunning collection at ostrabrasil.com.br and follow @ostrabrasil on IG.

25. Treat yourself to naturally dyed silks by France, a natural dye artist in California and owner of **LU FRANCE INTERIORS**. Explore LFI's handmade and ethically sourced collection of home décor too including candles, ceramics, wooden pieces, and handwoven pillow covers. Shop at lufranceinteriors.com and follow @lufranceinteriors on IG.

26. The Australian brand **VSWIM**, founded by two sisters, draws their inspiration from the Mediterranean summer. They strive to evoke feelings of confidence and beauty with flattering silhouettes and seamless finishes. VSWIM is ethically handmade in Sydney, Australia from high quality swimwear fabrics. Visit vswim.com.au or follow @vswim_ on IG.

27. SULARA is a company based in Costa Rica that includes activewear, loungewear and wellness products that let you wear a way of being. Each product is designed to let you connect with your mind, body and spirit. Travel in balance to discover your next destination. Shop online at sularawear.com and follow @sularalifestyle on IG.

28. Artistic Fine Art photography with unique and partly limited exclusive works of Fine Art Prints. **ANJA DIABATÉ** is an artist based in Hamburg, Germany. She uses Fine Art Photography to transform her concepts and ideas into unique artworks. Her strength and power is the transformation of her ideas and creativity into extremely expressive and soulful photos. Find the collection online at anjadlabate.com and follow @anja.diabate on IG.