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Royal Watch

Backes & Strauss' latest gem-set watch, the Piccadilly Princess *Royal Colours* is a milestone to commemorate the brand's 225th anniversary. Set in an 18k white gold case, the watch is an epic mix of diamonds comprising 66 different 'royal' hues and 10 different shapes on the dial, case and bracelet. Seemingly set in a random order, it is meant to look like a work of Mother Nature.

www.backesandstrauss.com



INNATELY ICONIC

Munich-based designer Gerhard Schreiner believes that "nothing is impossible". This design philosophy

is apparent in each of his handcrafted pieces. Using only top quality materials and one of a kind precious gemstones, his creations are in a league of their own. These pieces from the Green Forest Line collection feature emerald cabochons, sapphire leaves and diamonds in both white and yellow gold.

www.schreiner-jewellery.com



On Style

Italian designer Giovanna Protti observes trends closely to constantly create fresh, feminine and modern collections for Verdi. She puts together different coloured stones to form thoughtful interpretations for Verdi's clients. These bangles are available in both white and yellow gold and are adorned with diamonds as well as orange, green and blue sapphires.

www.verdigioielli.com

Gem Devotion

Having learned, studied and taught jewellery making, Vladyslav Yavorsky perfected handcrafting jewellery with IVY, which stands for Inspired Vladyslav Yavorsky. Crafted in-house, this pair of 18k yellow gold earrings, featuring rhodolite, spinels and diamonds, boasts of his love for fine jewellery and an artisanal alchemy.

www.ivynewyork.com



PERSONAL ATTENTION

Natural coloured stones, elegance and timelessness are what defines Hans D. Krieger's signature style. This simple, delicate necklace made with platinum and set with colourless diamonds draws all attention towards a magnificent Paraiba tourmaline centre stone that completes the piece. www.kriegernet.com



HANS D. KRIEGER

FINE JEWELLERY



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June Hong Kong Jewellery & Gem Fair: CEC Grand Hall Stand D 12
International Jewellery London: Olympia Stand D 20
September Hong Kong Jewellery & Gem Fair: CEC Grand Hall Stand D 12
Singapore Jewelfest
Jewellery Arabia, Bahrain
www.kriegernet.com



Turquoise

Turquoise is an opaque semi-precious gemstone, with colours ranging from green to blue. It is believed to help facilitate a better flow of energy in the body. ISE's drop turquoise earrings hang under a string of diamonds and onyx for a breathtaking contrast of colours.



Blue Topaz

Clear and captivating, blue topaz was believed by ancient civilisations to have cooling properties. This gem represents eternal romance and friendship, making it the perfect gift for a devoted lover or a loyal friend. Sette's pair of Pavone earrings feature 22.75 carats of blue topaz with diamonds set in white gold.

Lapis Lazuli

This deep cobalt stone is believed to strengthen the bond between the heart and mind. Traditionally the stone of royalty, lapis lazuli is said to boost immunity and gives the wearer a clear mind. The pair of Jean Schlumberger Bracelets in 18k gold and platinum perfectly balances the blue of the lapis lazuli and turquoise stones with the brilliant shine of the diamonds.



Paraiba Tourmaline

Tourmalines play an entire spectrum of colours – from reds to blues, greens to browns, and even three colours in one stone. Paraiba tourmalines come in a vivid blue-green hue. Its clarity is said to conjure strength and inspiration. Dilys' rests a 3.81 carat Paraiba tourmaline in a nest of diamonds and tourmaline accents to create its Vintage collection ring.



Tanzanite

Rare and valuable, tanzanites can be found in only one place in the world – the Merelani Hills of Manyara, Tanzania, hence the name. This gemstone is said to cure stress-related illnesses such as high-blood pressure and depression. A stunning pair of earrings from Hans D. Krieger uses tanzanites that total 26.26 carats and is set in 18k white gold.



Sapphire

Precious and majestic, sapphires commonly come in darker shades of blue. Ranging in hues from pale azure to dark royal blue, sapphires are decorative stones that are said to bring joy and wisdom to those who wear them. Scavia presents the spiral *Evoluzione Blue* ring with an unheated oval sapphire and baguette-cut diamonds set in white gold. 