

SCOOP

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SCOOP IS COMING HOME

NEXT SHOW:
12-14th February 2017



After an incredible "Scoop in the City" which saw leading boutique trade exhibition Scoop take a one-off vacation at London's Old Billingsgate Market, the show is returning to its original beautiful home, the Saatchi Gallery in Chelsea, next season.

Once again taking up residence in the stunning setting of one of London's most iconic galleries, Scoop's 15th edition will build on its unique aesthetic, fusing fashion & art and proving once more that it is the capital's most inspiring and exciting fashion destination.

"We have had a blast this summer and our one-off event at Old Billingsgate was a huge hit, demonstrating just how loyal both our exhibitors and visitors are to Scoop and our concept. But I'm absolutely thrilled to be returning to our original home, refreshed and full of new ideas – just as after any good vacation! – and to continue our success story where it all began," says founder and managing director Karen Radley.

With a diverse mix of ready-to-wear, accessories, footwear, jewellery, perfumery and a whole host of lifestyle products, Scoop attracts an exclusive mix of home grown and international labels, new and established designers and some of the biggest and hottest names in the industry, many of which choose Scoop as their only trade platform.

This season's line-up won't disappoint, with UK labels **Conditions Apply**, known for its luxurious and beautifully handcrafted designs; **Goat**, offering understated elegance from cashmere to ready-to-wear; quintessentially English knitwear brand **Quinton Chadwick**, effortlessly stylish outerwear and lifestyle label **Parka London**, as well as internationally renowned knitwear designer **Ruth Erotokritou** all flying the flag for British design. Other must-see Brit labels on show include cashmere specialist **Wyse London**, which transforms humble sweaters and knits into wardrobe essentials with eye-catching details; footwear label **Hudson** with its cool collection of signature boots and shoes; and **Mercy Delta**, offering luxury screen printed scarves and blouses that are simply irresistible.

They are joined by an outstanding mix of designer collections from across the globe, including French brands **Lilith**, worn by celebrities, artists and fashionable women the world over thanks to its unique blend of unusual fabrics and off-beat colours; **Oakwood**, the leather brand "par excellence" and its beautiful collection of contemporary and individual leather jackets and coats; as well as fellow outerwear brand **Pret Pour Partir**, which has revolutionised the image of rainwear with elegant parkas that combine function and style.

Other international names include quirky jewellery label **Chupi** and designer **Roisin Linnane**, both from Ireland, **Diego M** and **Transit Par Such** from Italy, handbag brand **Mercules** from Spain, Australian jewellery brand **Kirstin Ash** and US label **Dahlia Razzook**, which offers a versatile mix of work to cocktailwear and is returning to Scoop for another season.

For an up to date and complete list of everything that's on offer at Scoop, visit www.scoop-international.com.

The show takes place **12 - 14th** February 2017 at the Saatchi Gallery in Chelsea, London.

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Notes to editors:

Karen Radley, founder of Scoop International, has had an extensive and multi-faceted career in the fashion industry, spanning the manufacturing, retail and design sectors. She first joined her father's clothing and accessories business, Radley, and after working for several years on the brand's international sales, Karen side-stepped to the manufacturing and then the design side using her years of trade experience to inform and support the role. Having gained an all-round experience of the industry, Karen went on to manage the designer company Quorum, whose designers included Celia Birtwell, Betty Jackson and Ossie Clark, and was instrumental in the staging of an exhibition of the work of Ossie Clark at the Victoria & Albert Museum.