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# HEAVEN HAS HEELS

THE LOVE ISSUE

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**VA BIEN** bustiers;  
**REVERIE** trousers;  
Vintage stole;  
**CHARLES ALBERT**  
necklace and ring;  
**LULU FROST**  
bracelet.

# ESSENCE

AUGUST 2015

## Silver Fox

VMT vest, **Va Bien**  
bustier, **Milly**  
trousers, **Blaine**  
**Bowen** silver rings,  
**Mordekai by Ken**  
**Borochoy** black  
knuckle ring, **Sophia**  
**Webster** sandals. ▶







# The Ultimate Summer Wedding Lingerie Guide for Everyone from Bride to Plus-One



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*edited by* CHELSEA ZALOPANY



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# 8 Subtly Sexy Lingerie Brands to Put On Your Radar

BY RUTHIE FRIEDLANDER

## Perfect your under-the-dress look in time for Valentine's Day.

Sure, there are a few giants that dominate the lingerie world (hi Victoria's Secret, looking good Agent Provocateur), but there are loads of smaller lingerie brands out there creating delicate, demure, bold and over-the-top sexy underthings.

Here, Bonnie Pressman, Chief Merchant of [OuiHours.com](http://OuiHours.com), a new, visually stunning, lingerie e-commerce site co-founded by Marc Balet and Alex Dulac, shares her favorite under-the-radar brands you should consider for this year's Valentine's day.

### VA BIEN

"What makes this brand so special is its European fabrics and embroideries with couture-like finishes," Pressman says of Va Bien, a brand that specializes in lingerie for special occasions.

Va Bien Atelier Lily Dream Basque, \$225; [ouihours.com](http://ouihours.com)

Va Bien Lily Dream Panty, \$75; [ouihours.com](http://ouihours.com)



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# 30 Bras So Pretty You Won't Want To Hide Them

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Paired with extra-high-waist jeans and a sleek jacket, this laser-cut flower bustier becomes a head-turning crop top.

**Va Blen** Lily Dream Basque, \$225, available at [Ouihours](#).



Christina Milian's bustier  
by Va Bien







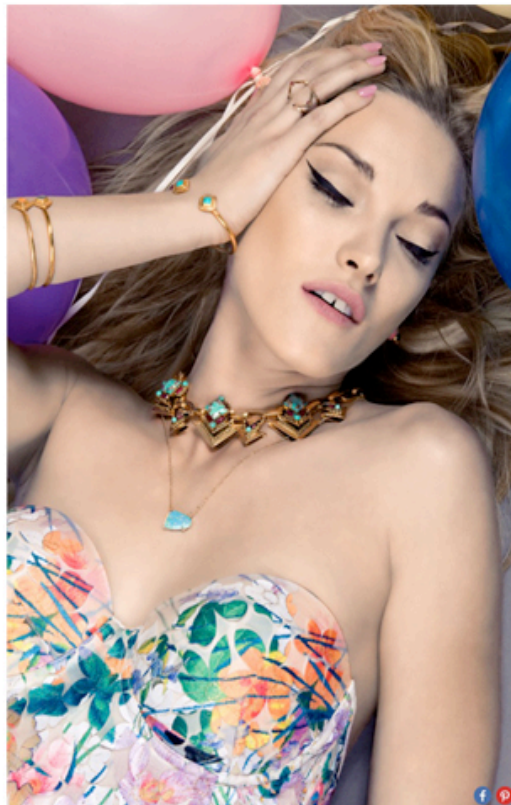
Bustier by  
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# The Bold and the Beautiful: Colorful Spring Styles Shot by Jessica Bloom

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Just in time for a warmer season, photographer Jessica Bloom and stylist Molly Drago take us on a psychedelic-chic journey through Spring's most colorful pieces.

Browse our latest editorial story where bold designers like Missoni, Mara Hoffman, and Giuseppe Zanotti show us that bright is the new black.

Top: **Va Bien**; Choker Elizabeth Cole;  
Necklace: Kendra Scott; Cuffs: Julie Vos; Ring:  
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Look 1  
hosiery HUE  
one piece GEORGINE

Look 2  
pants MANGO  
sweater BIRGER ET MIKKELSEN

Look 6  
HER  
dress NIRCO CASTILLO  
socks HUE  
bustier **VA BIEN**  
HIM  
sweater BIRGER ET MIKKELSEN  
pants MANGO

# Modern twists on tweed

By **Ingrid Schmidt**

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Va Bien (left), Balenciaga (center), Moschino (right)

By **Ingrid Schmidt**

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**T**wweed, that borrowed-from-the-boys fabric that Coco Chanel began reinventing for female clients in the 1920s, is in soft focus again this season. Vibrant color, metallic threading, embellishments such as ostrich feathers, jewels, sequins and soft fringe feminize nubby tweeds, as do nipped-in silhouettes that showcase hourglass curves.

At top, from left, **Va Bien** wool bouclé tweed Atelier bustier with silk ribbon detailing, \$325 at [vabienusa.com](http://vabienusa.com); Balenciaga belt-trim tweed trousers, \$1,995 at [matchesfashion.com](http://matchesfashion.com); Moschino tweed sweatshirt with jeweled trim, \$298 at [moschino.com](http://moschino.com).

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Bustier by **Vo Bien**

# OK!

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V Neck Knitted  
Lurex Sweater  
Dress.  
Wow Couture, \$78;  
wowcoutureusa.com



Selena,  
Forever Unique,  
\$580;  
foreverunique.co.uk

Sheer Lace  
All-In-One.  
Topshop.  
\$80;  
topshop.com



Blanche Velvet  
Mini Dress,  
Ruche, \$63;  
shopruche.com



Ambrosia Cocktail  
Flute Dress.  
Shona Joy, \$385;  
revolveclothing.com



Monrow Top,  
T Bags Los  
Angeles, \$163;  
tbagslosangeles.com

## DARE TO BARE

Want to start 2016 with a bang? Then ditch your traditional LBD for Hollywood's most attention-grabbing trend – sheer! Although the red carpet is sometimes a panty parade, the transparent look can be interpreted more modestly, thanks to garments with minimal peekaboo details. Keep the rest of your ensemble simple – and remember: Confidence is your best accessory!



Galen Camisole,  
Babaton, \$60;  
aritzia.com

## Underpinnings to pull it off



When a bra isn't possible, support the girls with these adhesive cups. Le Lusion, Fashion Forms, \$40; amazon.com



If undies are on display, a high-waisted, full-coverage piece is essential. Margaux Mesh Pin-Up Bottom, Les Coquines, \$48; lescoquinesusa.com

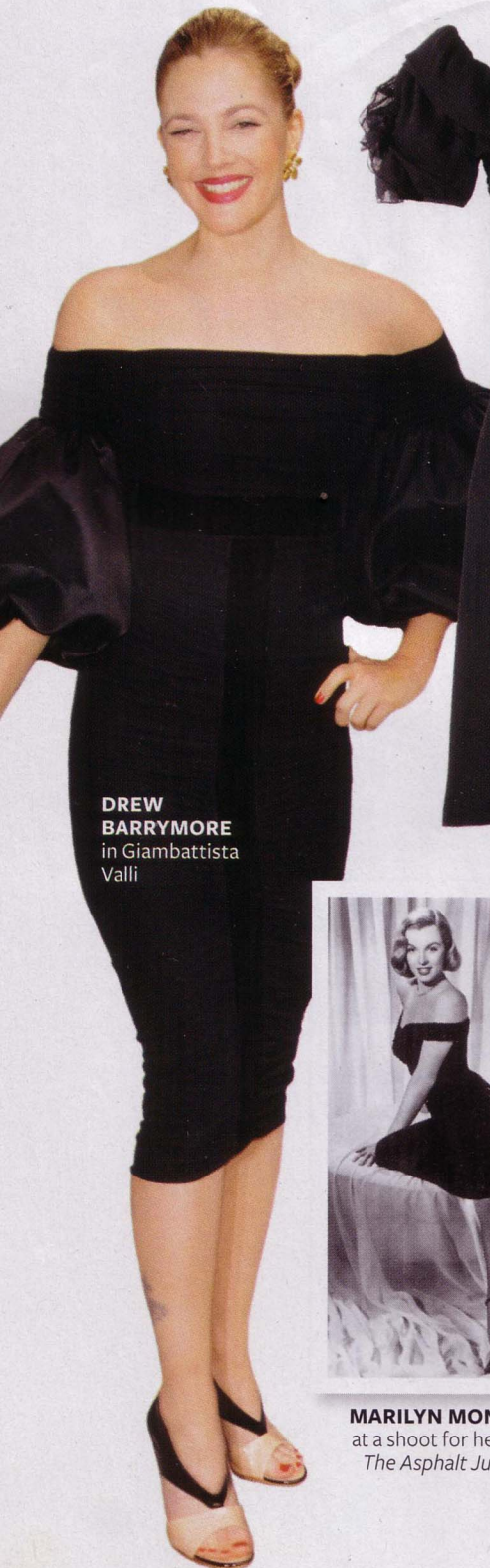


A nude strapless bra lifts while going undetected. Marquise Strapless Basque, Va Bien, \$80; vabienlingerie.com

your Look | **LITTLE BLACK DRESS**

# off the shoulder

Manage your curves with this clever silhouette: The wide lines of the top balance the skirt just right. Set off the dress's retro vibe with a multifaceted cocktail ring.



**DREW BARRYMORE**  
in Giambattista Valli



Silk jersey,  
Catherine Malandrino, \$495;  
212-929-8710.



Gold-plated ring with glass stones, Juicy Couture, \$98; 617-236-5514.



Cotton-silk, D&G, \$745; D&G boutiques, 800-979-3038.



Polyester-spandex, White House Black Market, \$98; whitehouseblackmarket.com.



Lyocell-elastane, DKNY, \$175; at select Bloomingdale's stores.

**TAKES OFF 5 POUNDS!**



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**MARILYN MONROE**  
at a shoot for her film *The Asphalt Jungle*



Suede slingbacks with satin bow, Kate Spade New York, \$325; katespade.com.

**\*SHAPEWEAR SOLUTION**

Molded cups and built-in boning keep everything high and tight.

Nylon-spandex Body Briefer, Va Bien, \$90; at Saks Fifth Avenue.



# VOGUE







## TAILORED BLAZER

Wear this chic jacket to a formal event or scrunch up the sleeves to be workday casual.

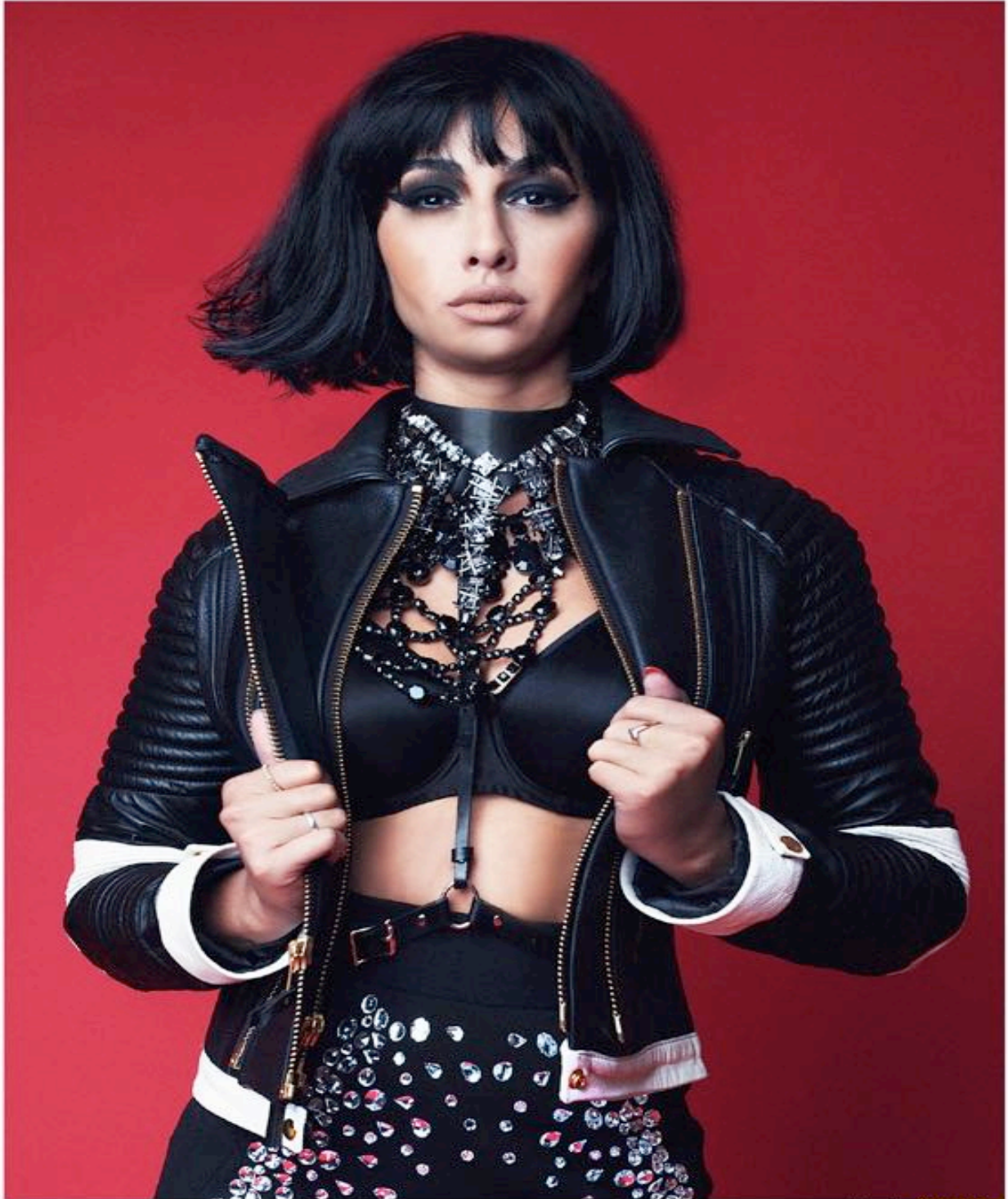
Blazer, Mossimo for Target, \$29.99; briefs, Va Bien, \$28.50; shoes, Espadrilles, \$54.95; watch, Tag Heuer

**BEAUTY TIP:** No pants? No problem. A caffeine-laced cream, like Mary Kay TimeWise Body Toning Lotion, \$28, will make legs look temporarily tighter.





# FACTICE



Bra by Va Bien

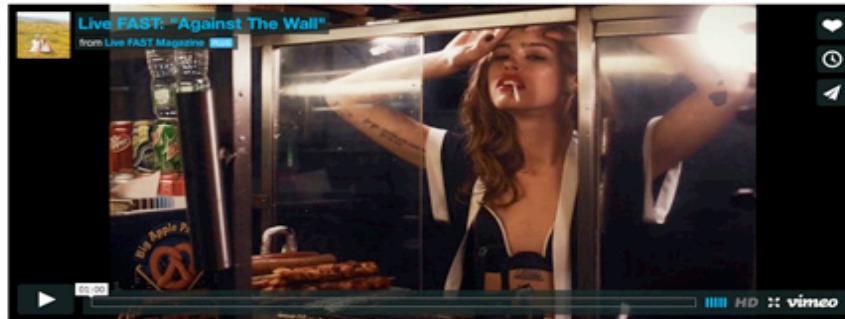
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# FACTICE

Jacket, Nicole Miller.  
Bodysuit, **Va Bien**.  
Skirt, Houghton.  
Necklace and Hand  
Jewelry, Haus of Topper.  
Bracelets, Erickson  
Beamon and Sequin.

## New York City 1:47am Abby Brothers by Nikola Tamindzic

words by JULIA CHILDS  
on FEBRUARY 25, 2015



There are some women who come alive only in the dark. The alter ego daylight provides them slips away as they run wild beneath streetlights. She lives fast. You may try to grab ahold of her, but it is a worthless attempt. It isn't until the sky drips from indigo to peach, at the trace of dawn, that you can hold her. Our latest editorial takes you to New York City at 1:47am with [Abby Brothers](#). She is defiant and bold. She embodies the fast aesthetic of New York City. She embodies the fast aesthetic of any adventurous woman.



Briefs by [Va Bien](#)

[Nikola Tamindzic](#) captures Brothers as she leaves voyeurs with little left to the imagination. One of our earlier editorials, we have been anxiously awaiting for the opportune moment to release these images. With the launch of our debut print magazine, we figured now was as great a time as any. View the full editorial in Live FAST Issue 1, available [here](#).

## heat of the moment

SEXY CAN BE SUBTLE — AND STRONG. THIS SEASON SIZZLES WITH ACTIVEWEAR-INSPIRED BRAS AND BRIEFS THAT ELEVATE BASICS TO SEDUCTION STATURE.



From left: Fortnight's nylon and spandex longline bra with Hanro of Switzerland's micropolyamide and elastane boyshorts; Va Bien's nylon, elastane and silk bralette with Noe Undergarments' silk, Lycra spandex and rayon briefs;

VPI's polyester and spandex tri-toned bra with Eres' silk satin, silk, polyamide and elastane high-waist briefs. At right: Blue Life's rayon and spandex tri-top with Noe Undergarments' Tactel and Lycra mid-rise briefs.

BY JAVIER ROMERO USING MAC COSMETICS; HAIR BY KATSUMI MATSUO AT ARTMIN USING ORIBE HAIR CARE; FASHION ASSISTANT: EMILY MERCER; PHOTO ASSISTANT: EMILY TAYLOR

SHEILA VAND ON HER ROLE AS A VAMPIRE AND HOW ACTING CHOSE HER – EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW

Article by: Admin - December 18, 2014



Sheila Vand photographed by Jonathan Bookalil for The Untitled Magazine. Sheila wears a cover up by Agent Provocateur, top by Va Best and shoes by Cici Hot.

"She moves so deliberately and she holds everything inside. I had to kind of gather all of that, all of myself, and bring it in," says Sheila Vand on her new role as "the girl" in Ana Lily Amirpour's *A Girl Walks Home Alone At Night*. "I feel the reason why I became an actor was so that I could transport myself to other worlds, and that's the beauty of doing indie movies too. I feel like often it's a passion project for everyone involved." The 29-year old Iranian American actress from California first came on our radar in her role as Sahar in Ben Affleck's Oscar Award-winning film *Argo*. She played the Canadian Ambassador's housekeeper, who discovers the truth about the American house guests staying with her boss, and risks her life to cover for them. Although her lines were sparse, Vand's performance as the stoic Sahar caught the attention of *The Los Angeles Times*, who featured the actress on their "Small roles, powerful performances" piece in 2013. So it comes as no surprise that her role in *A Girl Walks Home*, is as a character who also doesn't speak much, albeit she is the film's lead. Not to mention the fact that the role was written for her, which is flattering in more ways than one.

Aside from acting, Vand also dabbles in performance art. But perhaps dabble is the wrong word, because her performance piece *Sneaky Nietzsche*, which she describes as "a theatrical live music experiment for the fictionally inclined" was commissioned and shown at LACMA in 2011. Very interested in blurring the lines between fiction and reality, Vand is enthusiastic about using all the various mediums available with performing: on Broadway, in film and tv, in gallery spaces and museums.

Vand is currently a regular on NBC's *State of Affairs*, and is working on a supporting role in an indie film called *The Highway Is For Gamblers*. *A Girl Walks Home Alone At Night* premiered at the 2014 Sundance Film Festival, and is currently out at selected theaters nationwide. Check out *The Untitled Magazine's* exclusive interview with Sheila Vand below.

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