



My pondering and forever mixed up collage of a mind trying to make sense of fashion & other various vivid topics and objects that take my fancy...

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Candice Wren Pretty Pashminas

Pashminas, pashminas often practical and versatile for those cold lazy days, layer it up with long knit tops and knit cardies, but sadly that is about the only fashion outing and opportunity so to speak pashminas receive. For after that pashminas are dismissed and discarded, left to collect cotton dust in the back of the wardrobe. Because sadly pashminas have always just been practical. That's it, that's the short fate of the understated pashmina a timid fashion accessory, lacking behind other fashion accessories in regards to snazzy fashion points. For their often too ordinary, drab and dull. To avoid further fashion neglect the pashmina needs to shed its original skin and prove to its harsh pashmina haters that the pashmina can be a much desired, popular wardrobe item.

Designer **Candice Wren** may just be about to kick off a pashmina revolution! Injecting pashminas with a dose of colour. Whilst on her holiday in Turkey Candice Wren couldn't help but notice how popular pashminas were, but also how they lacked surface design and decoration. It was that moment illustrator and print designer Candice conjured up a cracking idea, combine the two.


Candice bought up a few pashmina souvenirs returned home and began experimenting applying her adorable and fun prints to the plain pashminas, "It was a trial which just snowballed into a fashion brand of printed pashminas!" Candice's bespoke pashminas was born. Using designs from her graduate work such as dolly costumes and perfume bottles. Expanding ideas and designs into her first ever pashmina collection which is evidently screaming out for an extension... Could a S/S Candice Wren fabulous fashion collection maybe on the cards? "I would love to do a collaboration I'd particularly like to team up with a good seamstress/pattern cutter where beautifully developed clothes could be made using the printed fabric I would supply. I think a range of tea dresses would be perfect since all my designs are ultra girly.

There is a particular label on Portobello market where a girl makes all her own clothes under the name Millua. Her style is gypsy and girlish and she uses pretty light and floaty materials, mainly dresses which you could dress up or down with a pair of leggings. I would love to work with her."

'I'm just a girl, Take a good look at me Just your typical prototype'

'Just a girl' NoDoubt

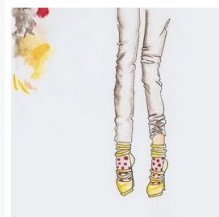
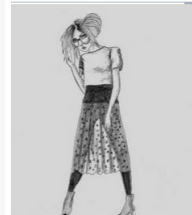
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Prettyneons graduated last year and is now seeking long and very, very hard indeed for a job opportunity within the creative/fashion industry. Though supermarket check out girl seems to be my only career calling at present. Needless to say if you feel I could slot in to a possible fashion/creative job role then please save me from the mundane that is shelf filling and allow me to use my fashion degree!

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KAT



photos: Candice Wren pashmina collection.



Kat sure is fierce with those pencils!

TODAYS WARDROBE WISH IS...



stuff I wish I had

Prettyneons Thrift Rummage...



erm, this bit is me thrifting around

MY PRETTY INSPIRATION



I need inspiration and I need it now

Prettyneons Has Got The Volume Up...



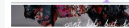
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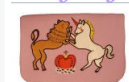


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Super Cute Bags

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