

A SHOT OF SAKS POTTS

The Copenhagen-based label sure know how to make a cool coat



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SAKS POTTS Camel Shearling Colour Block Coat

Do it like a Dane – or specifically, Copenhagen-based Barbara Potts and Cathrine Saks. The duo’s womenswear designs are a tonic for a tired wardrobe, jazzing up jeans and bland neutral knits. A clever combination of coincidental colours, unusual textures, superior fabrics, avant-garde details and season-spanning shapes, any it-girl worth her following is investing in one of their catnip coats. And they are good coats – by which we mean warm, well-made, will-see-you-through-the-winter but also breathtakingly beautiful coats. Long gone are the days when fashion’s finest would shiver for the sake of a snap. Take inspiration from these street-style darlings and embrace your closet’s hearty new heroine.

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The Colour-Block Coat

WHO: Spotted at fashion week on Instagram’s Head of Fashion Partnerships Eva Chen, Man Repeller’s Leandra Medine, and Glossier’s Emily Weiss: you’ll want to swaddle yourself in this teddy coat come winter. As practical as it is eye-catching, it’ll happily do drinks, the grocery shop, and fashion week too.

HOW: Celebrate those bold lapels and flashes of colour and clash with all your might. A red dress or a contrasting cricket jumper will do nicely, or make like Chen and grab a brightly-clad friend.

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The Tibetan Jacket

WHO: Scandinavians boast a keen eye when it comes to style – our enduring fascination with Freja Beha Erichsen, Caroline Brasch Nielsen and stylist Pernille Teisbaek is surely testament. A favourite of them all? A great big furry coat, in surprisingly seductive colour combinations.

HOW: Ochre and baby blue, who knew how well they’d go together? Pull over a party dress for nippy nights or layer with classic brown and accessories and a ’70s button down skirt.

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SAKS POTTS Blue & Yellow Fur Tibetan Jacket



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The Rose Coat

WHO: Norwegian blogger Marianne Theodorsen isn’t afraid of a bit of colour – we’ve lost track of how many shades of the rainbow her hair has seen. Demonstrating the power of pink in this ultra-pretty rose jacquard coat, street style photographers swooned at the sight.

HOW: Denim jeans your daily staple? More sneakers than you know what to do with? Throw this coat over the top and you’re basic no more.

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The Danish creative consultant’s feed is a stream of mouthwatering still lifes – think vintage glassware, blueberry tarts and an adorable puppy called Rita.

VISIT

Snaps & Rye, Golborne Road
Billing itself at ‘London’s only Danish restaurant’, this place is comfort food central. Feast on meatballs, akvavit and open rye sandwiches (www.snapsandrye.com)