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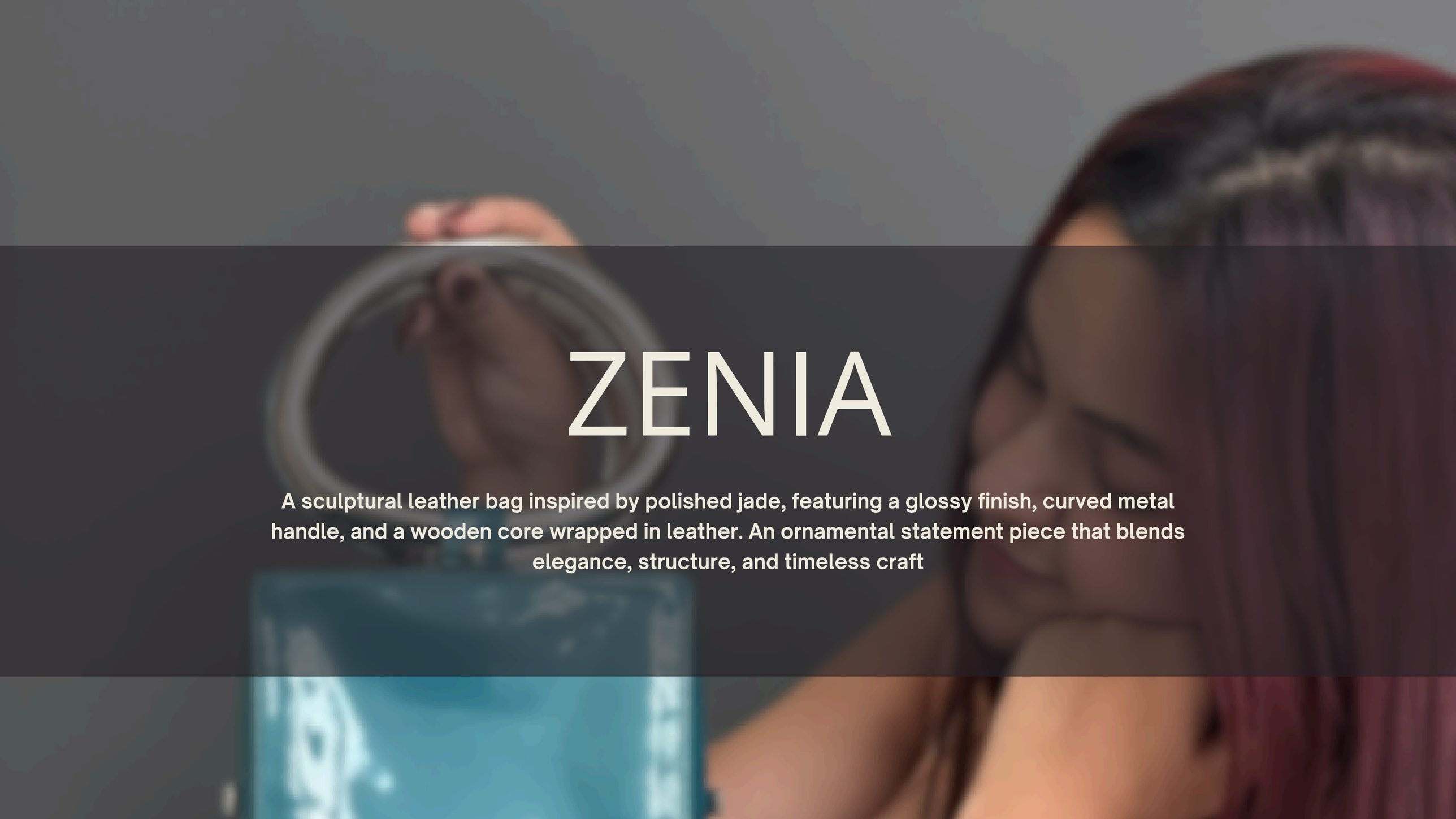
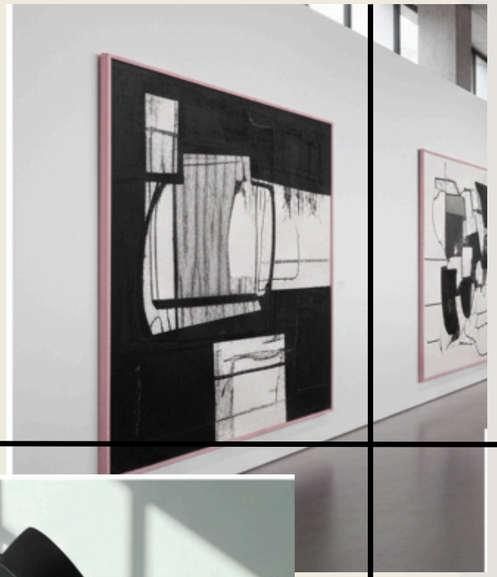


ZENIA

A sculptural leather bag inspired by polished jade, featuring a glossy finish, curved metal handle, and a wooden core wrapped in leather. An ornamental statement piece that blends elegance, structure, and timeless craft



CLIENT BOARD

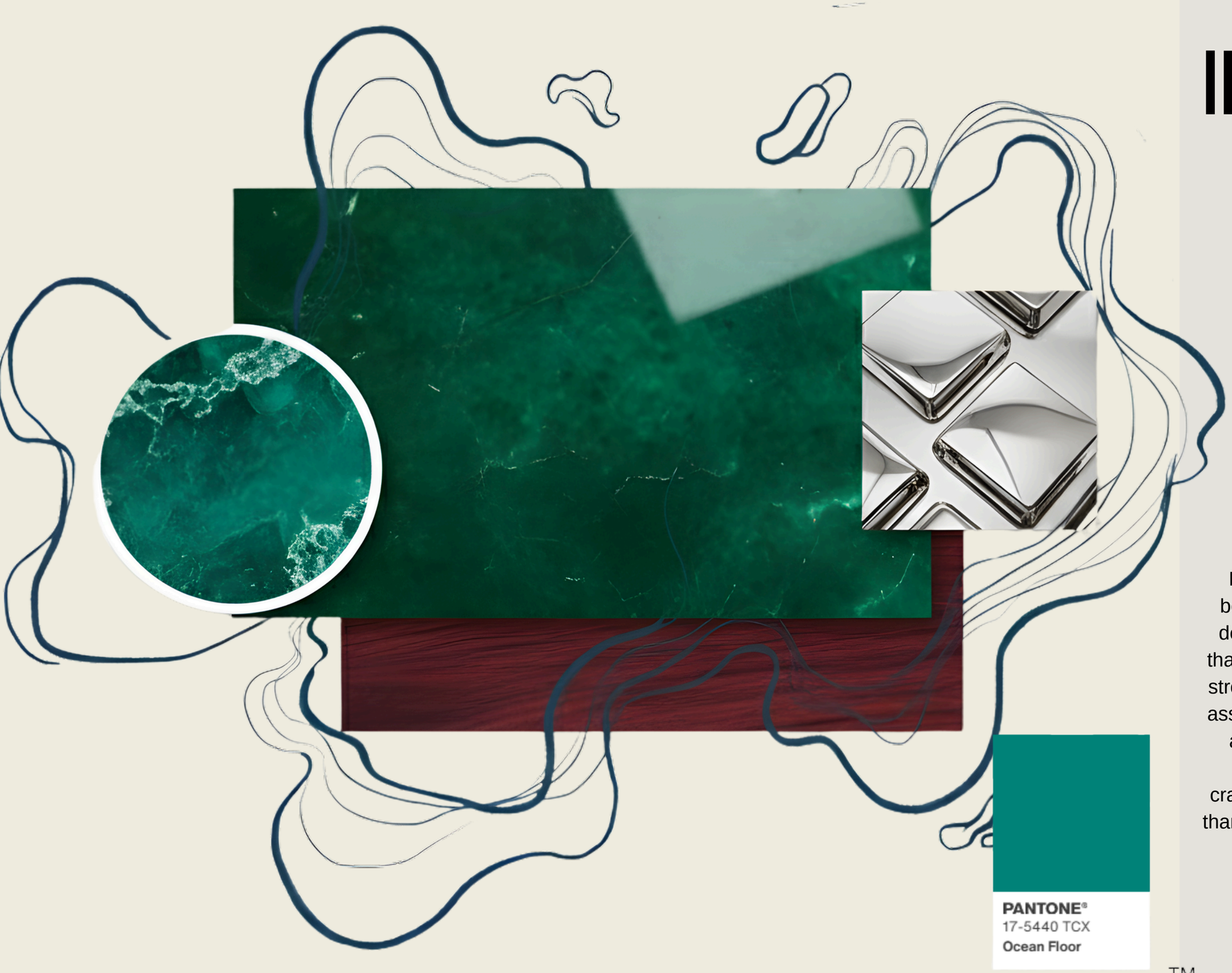
Profession: Luxury Fashion Art Director
Age Group: 25–32 years
Location: Mumbai / Delhi
Style: Minimal, sculptural, refined, muted tones
Personality: Calm, aesthetic-driven, detail-focused
Lifestyle: Gallery openings, boutique cafés, creative studios, design events
Likes: Silver accents, modern art, satin textures, quiet luxury

THEME

EASTERN LUXE MINIMALISM

“Eastern Luxe Minimalism” draws from the quiet refinement of East Asian design—clean lines, balanced forms, and serene simplicity. It blends cultural elegance with modern luxury, highlighting soft textures, subtle geometry, and a calm, elevated aesthetic.

INSPIRATION



POLISHED JADE

Polished jade is a symbol of purity, elegance, and timeless beauty. Revered across cultures, it is admired not only for its deep, refined green hue but for its smooth, glass-like surface that feels both natural and precious. Jade embodies balance — strong yet serene, ornamental yet deeply meaningful. It is often associated with protection, wisdom, and quiet luxury, treated as an object of reverence and displayed with care. Its surface reflects light softly, giving it an inner glow that feels alive, crafted, and enduring. In its polished form, jade becomes more than a stone — it becomes an artifact, sculptural and intentional, carrying cultural memory, craftsmanship, and a sense of grounded elegance.

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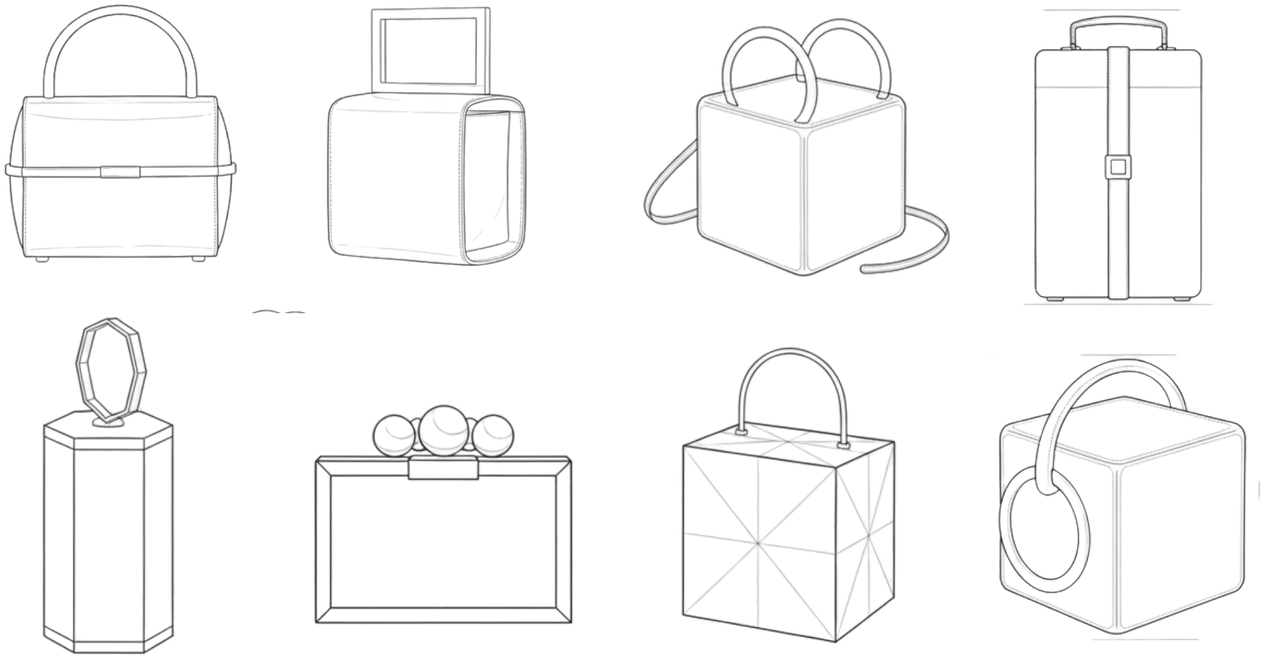
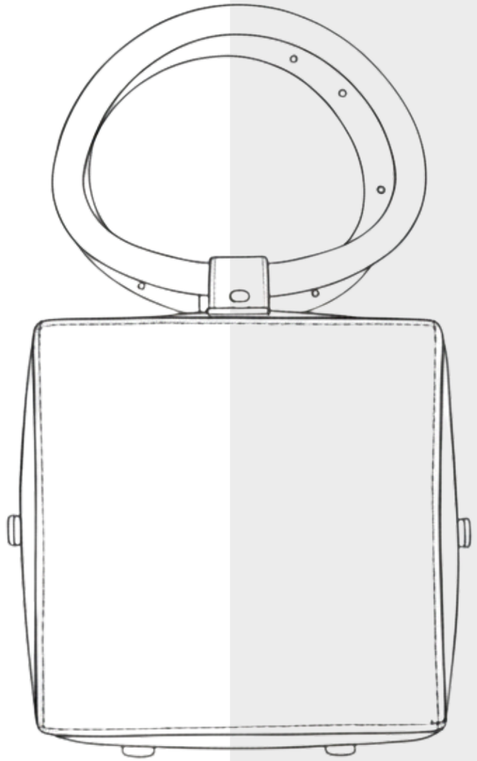
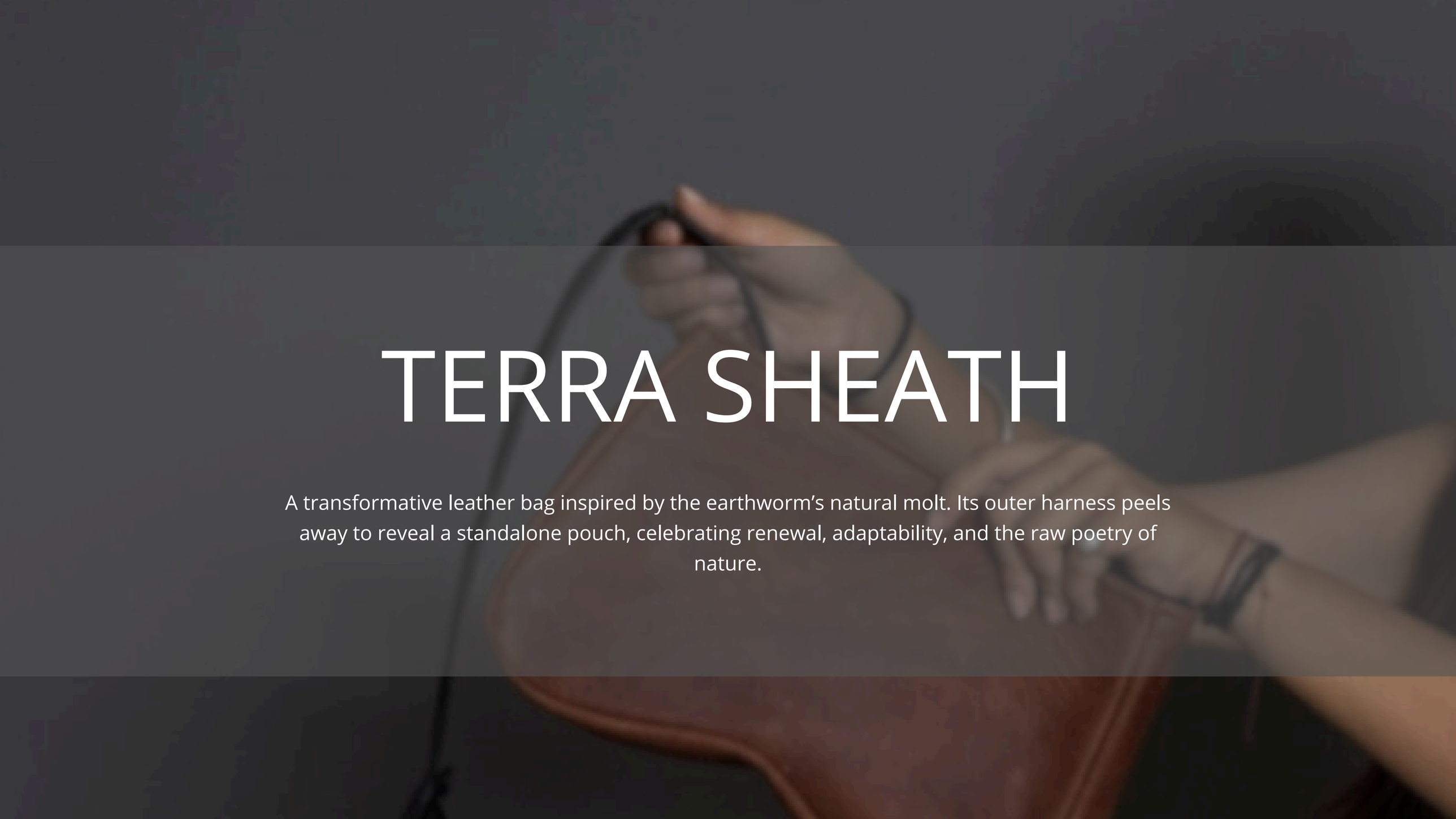




FINAL SILHOUETTE



TERRA SHEATH

A transformative leather bag inspired by the earthworm’s natural molt. Its outer harness peels away to reveal a standalone pouch, celebrating renewal, adaptability, and the raw poetry of nature.

CLIENT BOARD

AGE GROUP: 24–32
PROFESSION: Museum / Gallery Curator (Contemporary Craft & Material Arts)
LOCATION: Delhi / Bangalore / Kolkata
ECONOMIC CLASS: Upper-middle class
PERSONALITY:
Soft-spoken, analytical, artistic; deeply appreciative of materials, forms, and construction techniques.
STYLE:
Earth-toned wardrobe, clean silhouettes, woven textures, metal jewelry, structured coats — elegant with a natural touch.
LIFESTYLE:
Spends time reviewing exhibitions, visiting artisan studios, attending art fairs, writing curatorial notes, traveling for craft residencies, and exploring cafés with raw, minimal décor.
LIKES:
Natural textures, documentary photography, sculptural objects, functional art, metal accents, earthy color palettes.

THEME

ORGANIC MECHANICS

A fusion of natural, fluid forms and functional mechanical structure. This theme blends earthy textures with engineered details, creating a balance between organic movement and precise construction

INSPIRATION

PANTONE®
19-1419 TCX
Chicory Coffee

PANTONE®
17-1052 TCX
Roasted Pecan

EARTHWORM

The earthworm is a symbol of quiet resilience and constant renewal. Its segmented body allows fluid movement and flexibility, while its ability to shed and regenerate reflects transformation and adaptability. Living close to the soil, it embodies grounding, organic structure, and the unseen work of nature beneath the surface.

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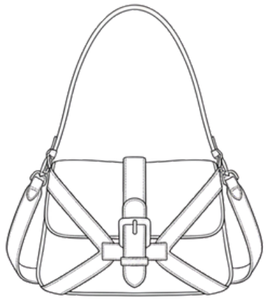

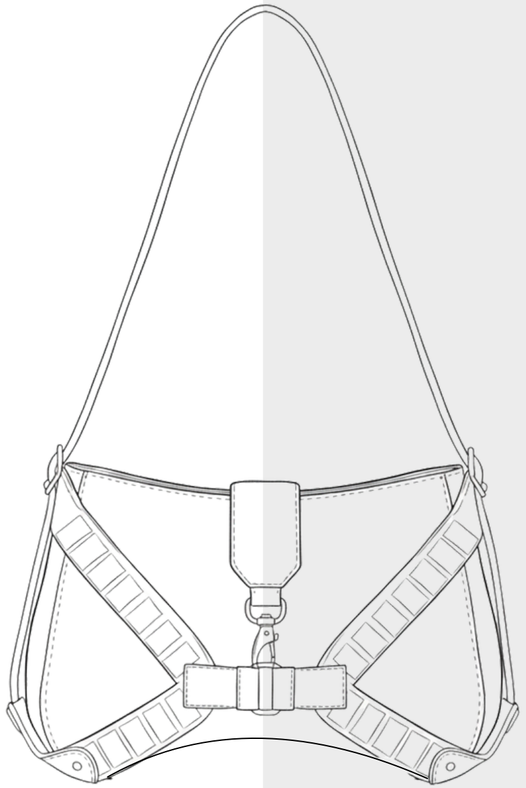

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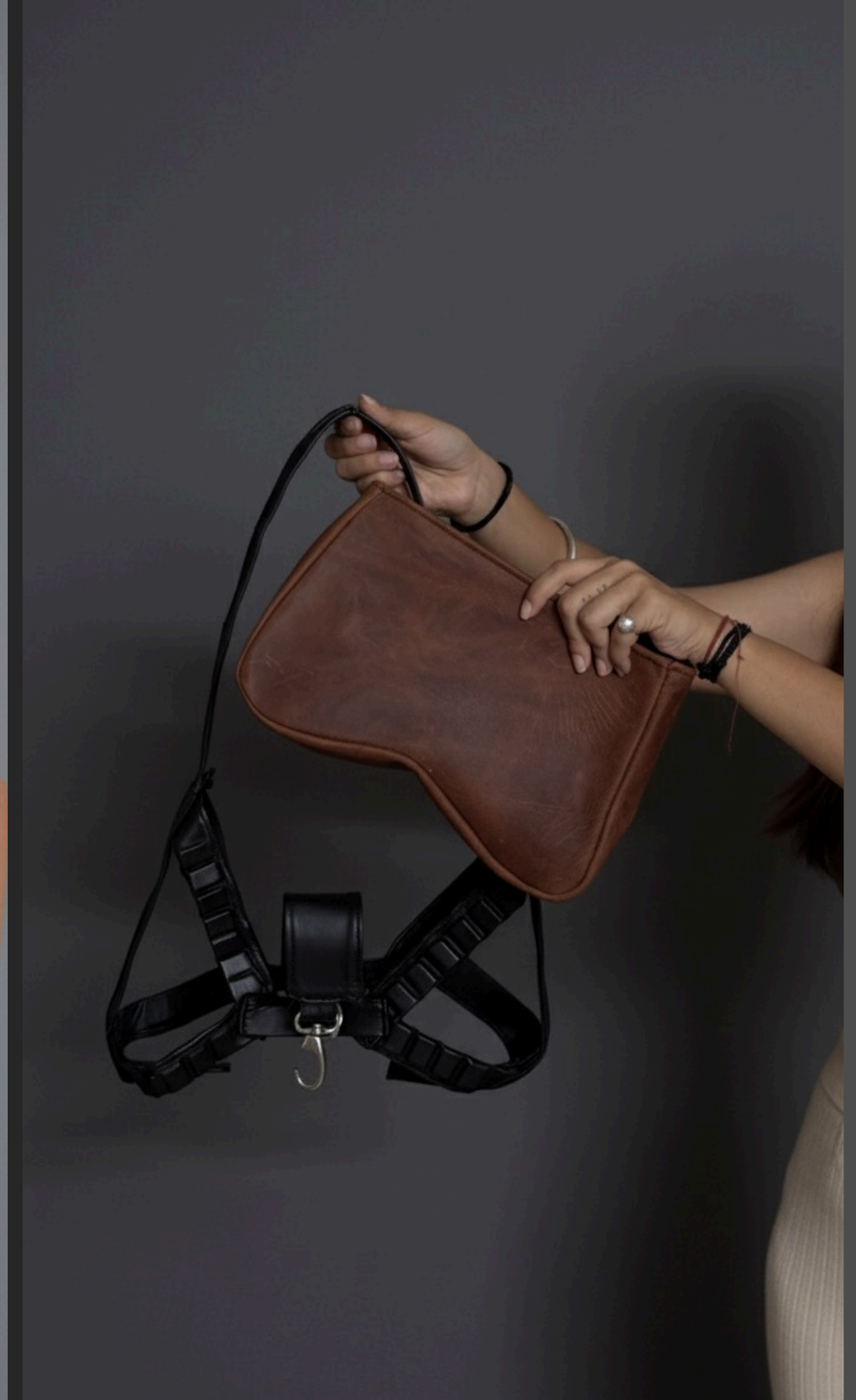
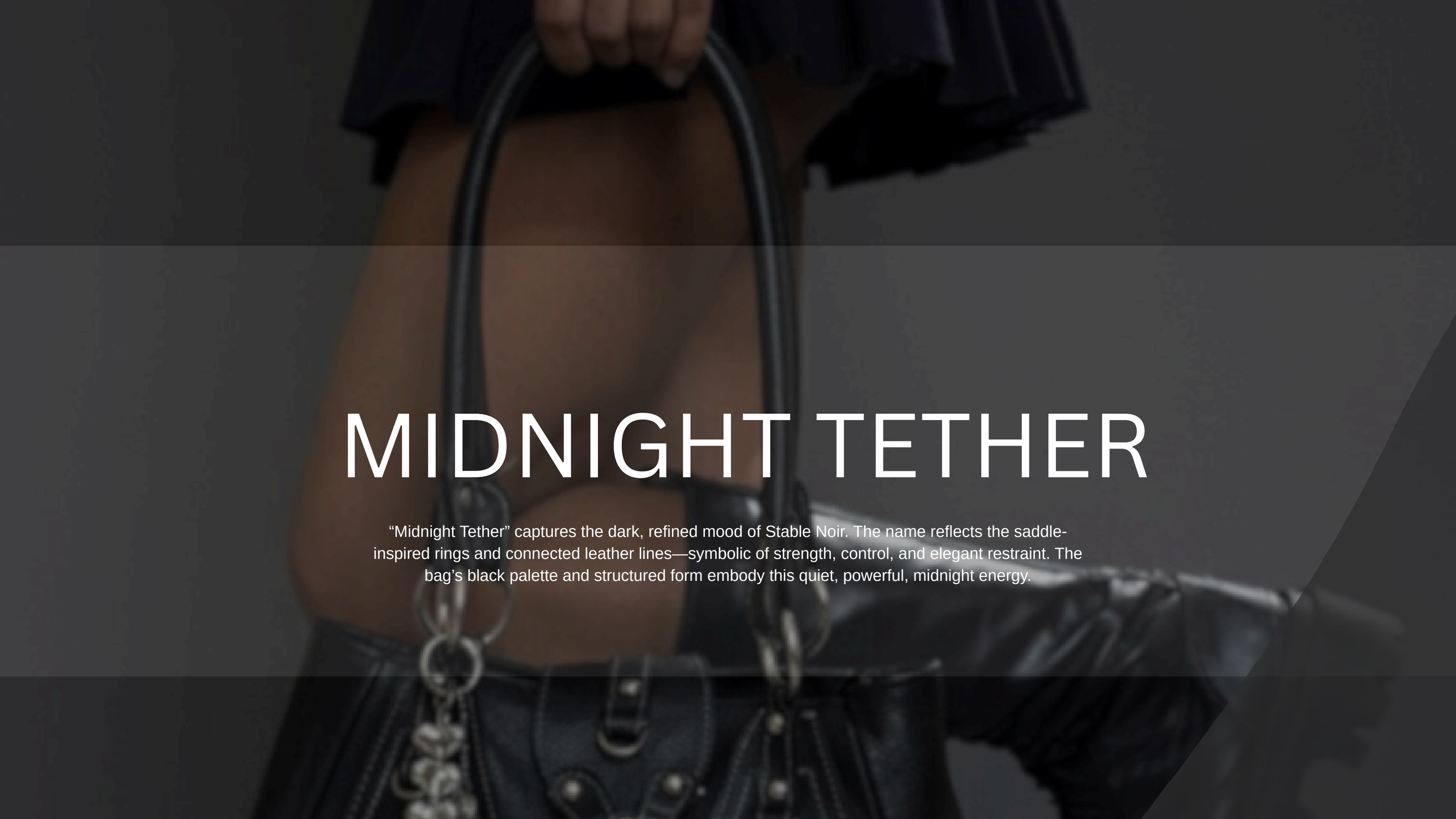
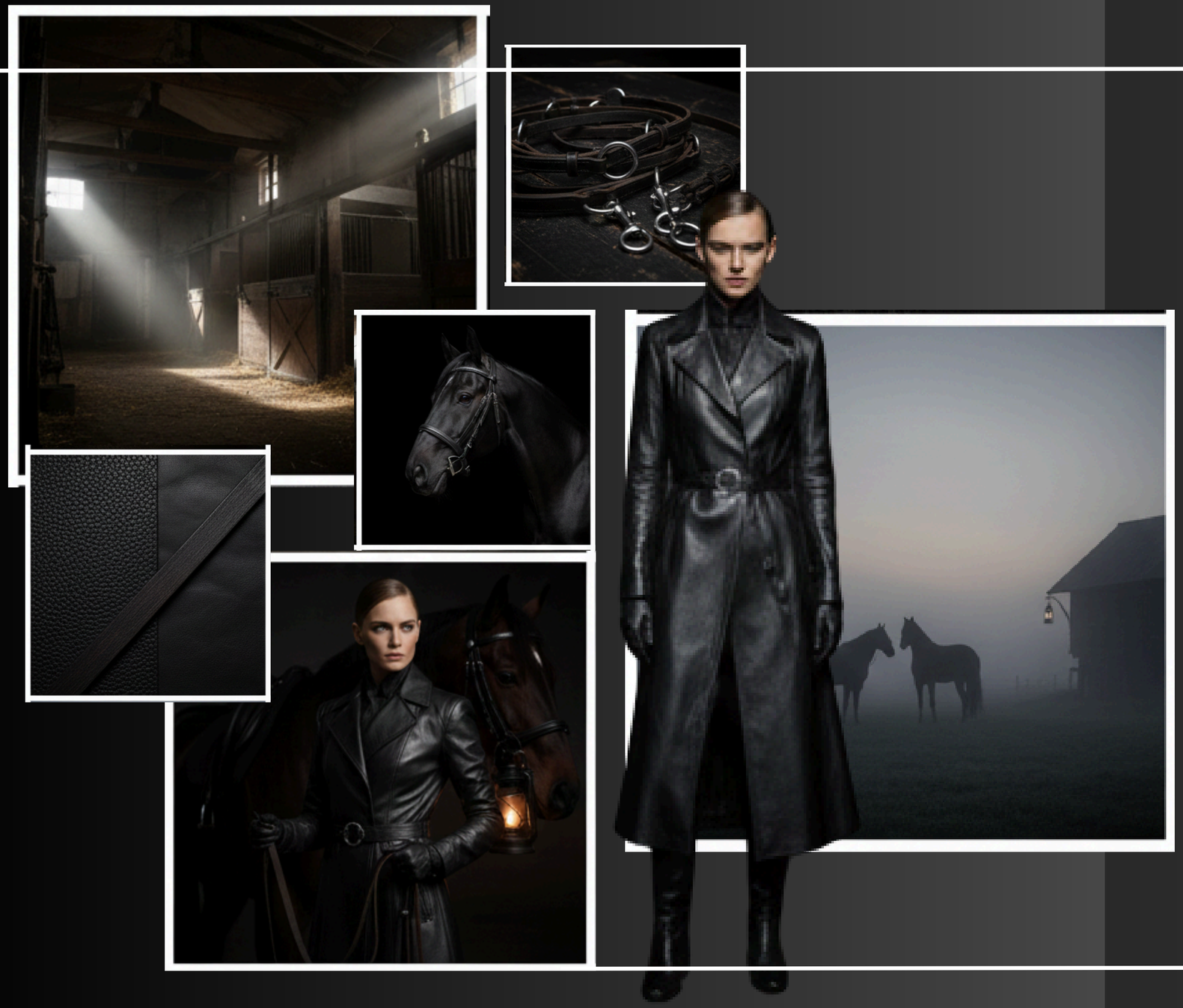




MIDNIGHT TETHER

“Midnight Tether” captures the dark, refined mood of Stable Noir. The name reflects the saddle-inspired rings and connected leather lines—symbolic of strength, control, and elegant restraint. The bag’s black palette and structured form embody this quiet, powerful, midnight energy.

THEME



STABLE NOIR

Rooted in the quiet strength and discipline of equestrian spaces, “Stable Noir” draws from the dark palette, polished metals, and structured forms found inside the stable. It reflects an atmosphere of control, elegance, and understated power. The theme embraces shadow, texture, and contrast, capturing the dramatic tension between softness and structure. It evokes a world where movement feels intentional and every detail holds weight.

INSPIRATION

HORSE SADDLE

A horse saddle embodies a balance of strength, fluid curves, and purposeful structure. Its rich leather surfaces, precise stitching, and iconic ring-and-strap elements reflect a tradition of craftsmanship rooted in movement, control, and harmony between rider and horse.

CLIENT BOARD

AGE GROUP: 22–30
OCCUPATION: Dark Fashion Content Creator
PERSONALITY: Bold, expressive, aesthetic-driven
STYLE: Black leather jackets, tall boots, silver jewelry, dramatic styling
LIFESTYLE: Shoots in stables, old barns, misty fields, noir cafés
LIKES: Cinematic imagery, horses, moody fashion, structured pieces

SILHOUETTE EXPLORATIONS

FINAL SILHOUETTE

THE PATINA CRATE

Structured for urban exploration, this backpack fuses the durable spirit of a vintage toolbox with a refined, modern silhouette. Built for creative utility, it offers an organized elegance perfect for carrying the essentials of your everyday routine, from the cozy café to the indie market

CLIENT BOARD

AGE: 18–24
SEX: Female
LOCATION: India
PROFESSION: College student / creative professional
ECONOMIC CLASS: Middle class
PERSONALITY: Optimistic, free-spirited, creative, joyful
STYLE: Boho-Modern
LIFESTYLE: Grounded routine with a curious, wandering spirit; enjoys cafés, indie markets, and artsy explorations.
PREFERRED BRANDS: Loewe, Mango, Max Mara
LIKES: Neutrals, dark tones, comfort, laid-back looks, subtle vintage elements

NOSTALGIA

RETRO

MORDERNISM

INSPIRATION

THE VINTAGE TOOLBOX

Vintage toolbox, with its weathered patina and sturdy construction, evokes a sense of timeless craftsmanship and practical ingenuity. Each scuff and faded mark tells a story of projects tackled, ideas brought to life, and a history of hands-on creation. It's an ode to durability and the enduring beauty of tools well-used and cherished.

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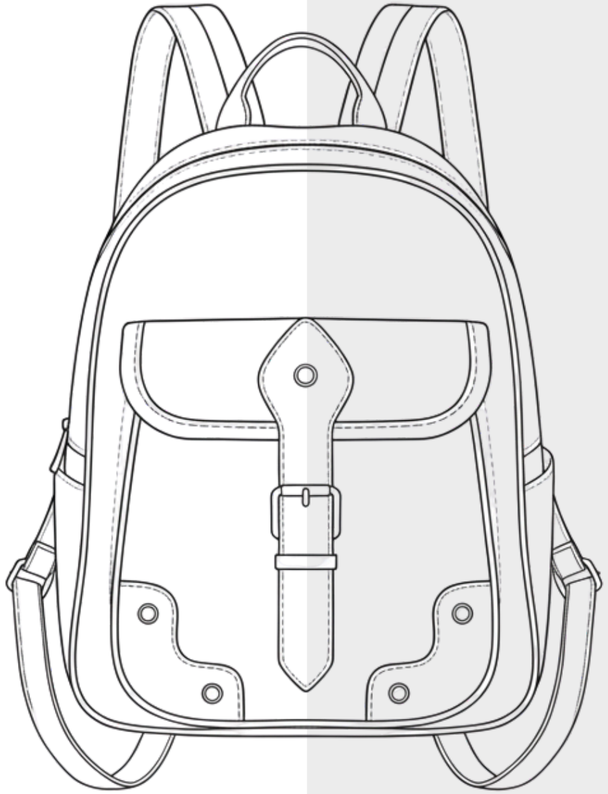

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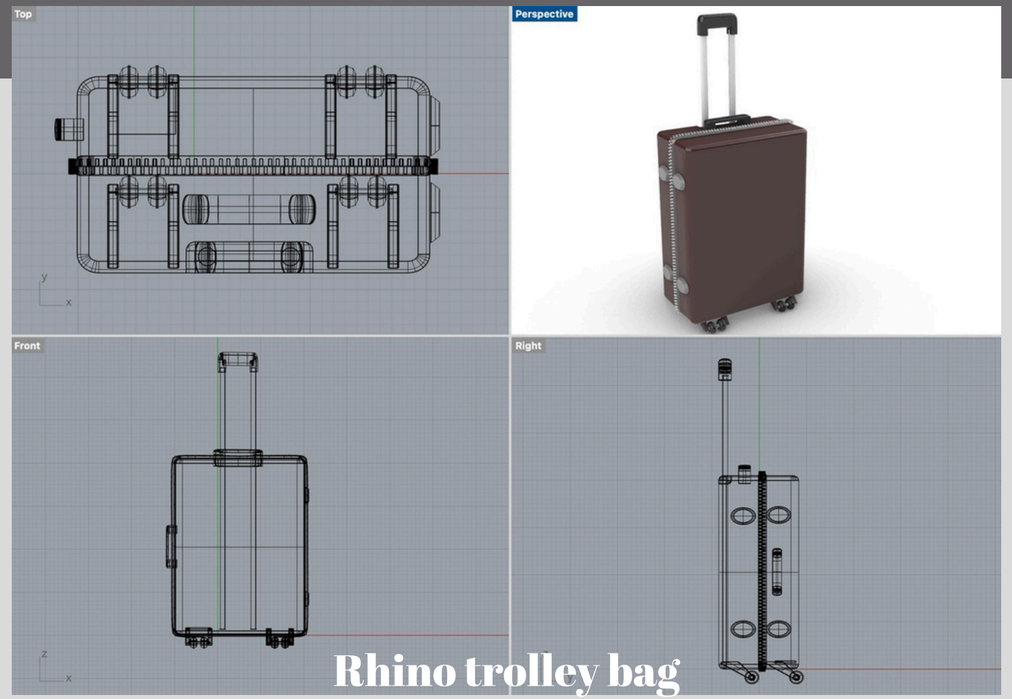
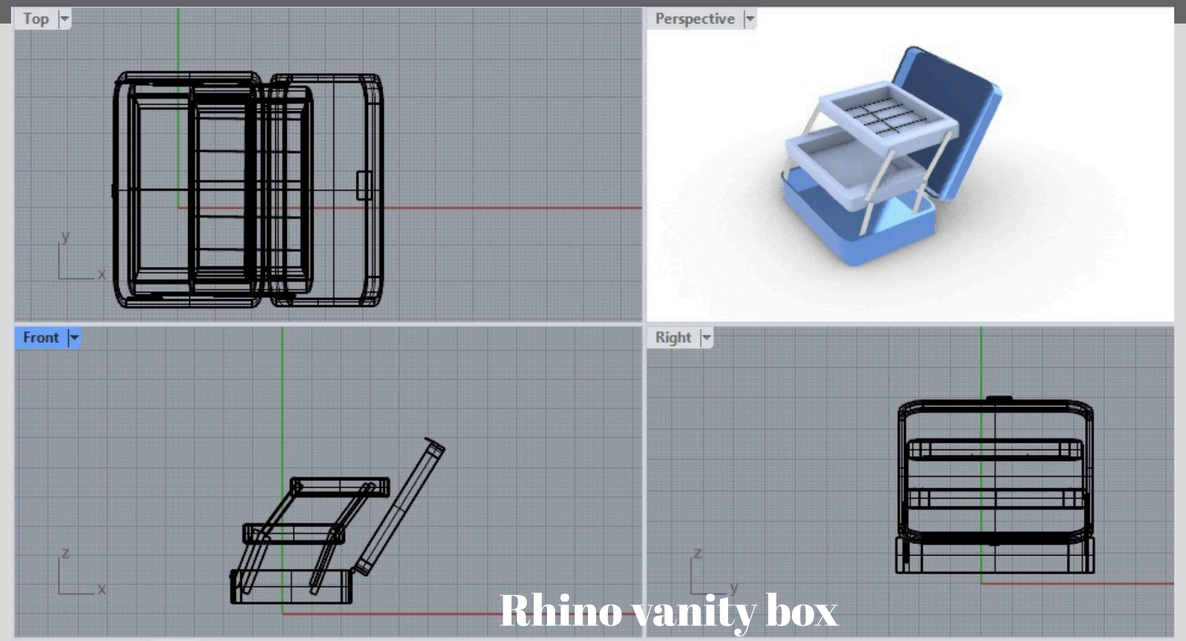
MISCELLANEOUS

Shoemaster Sneakers

Shoemaster oxford shoe



Rhino trolley bag



Rhino vanity box

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