

ELISE TSIKIS IMAGINES A CAPSULE COLLECTION FOR LUX* RESORTS & HOTELS

LUX* Resorts & Hotels are excited to announce a collaboration with Elise Tsikis - the young Parisian jewellery designer who is fast becoming a name to know. LUX* gave Elise complete freedom to create a unique collection.

A collaboration that entailed months of hard work and musing to conceive jewellery that emulates the LUX* philosophy while also staying true to the creator's philosophy.

Elise drew her inspiration from her mixed heritage and Greek and Mediterranean roots to create this unique collection. Each piece is evocative of holidays spent by the sea: the waves, the warm sand, the heat of the sun on her skin, and the everlasting feeling of a holiday.

Shells, reminiscent of the famous 'coquille Bonheur' that inhabit the beaches of Mauritius, Maldives and Reunion Island, are omnipresent in her collection. Elise's creations echo the LUX* spirit: radiant, lighthearted, and unrestrained.

Elise is a self-proclaimed autodidact who finds perfection in flaws. Her creative process is intuitive; she begins with the materials chosen. She designs statement pieces that reflect her vision of how fashion should be: buy less but better.

Her ethos: artisan jewellery that is 100% made in France. Each step of the creative process happens in her atelier in the 7th arrondissement in Paris.

LUX* goes the extra mile in selecting creators who are in vogue, and with whom they have found common ground. The hospitality group strives to offer their clients high-quality products that are eye-catching but also authentic. It is a way of enabling guests to take home objects as memorable as their holidays.

It wasn't long before LUX* was enchanted by Elise's craft and personality, unearthing in her the elegance and simplicity that encapsulate the spirit of the « Lighter-Brighter » brand.

Her jewellery can be found in the LUX* boutiques in Mauritius, the Maldives, and in Reunion as from 24 January .

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The Lux Collective

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About LUX* Resorts & Hotels

LUX* Resorts & Hotels helps people to celebrate life by delivering consistently on the promise of a different kind of Luxury; hospitality that is Lighter.Brighter. LUX* stages exceptional experiences in different locales – whether on the Beach, in the City or in Nature – by banishing thoughtless patterns and being more simple, fresh and sensory than our competitors.

The resorts and hotels in the LUX* portfolio include LUX* Belle Mare, Mauritius , LUX* Le Morne Mauritius, LUX* Grand Gaube, Mauritius; LUX* South Ari Atoll, Maldives; LUX* Saint Gilles, Reunion Island, LUX* Tea Horse Road Lijiang, Yunnan Province, China, LUX* Tea Horse Road Benzilan, Yunnan Province, China, and LUX* Bodrum, Turkey.

Other new properties in the pipeline and opening soon LUX* North Male Atoll, Maldives; LUX* Resorts & Residences Al Zorah, United Arab Emirates; LUX* Tuscany Italy, LUX* Resorts & Residence La Baraquette, France, LUX* Phu Quoc, Vietnam; and LUX* Luxelakes, Chengdu, China.

100% CARBON FREE HOLIDAYS AT LUX* RESORTS & HOTELS

LUX* Resorts & Hotels strongly believes in sustainable tourism development, and has embarked in a journey towards a carbon clean future through its project "Tread Lightly". Tread Lightly is the offsetting 100% of the carbon emissions emitted during guests stay. The carbon offsetting contribution is used to support various offsetting projects in developing countries within the regions where LUX* is operating. To learn more about the LUX* Tread Lightly €1 per day voluntary participation carbon-offsetting fee, please visit www.luxtreadlightly.com

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Une créatrice amoureuse des mélanges. Née en France d'un père grec et d'une mère française, elle débute ses études de couture à la Chambre Syndicale de la couture parisienne, puis aux Arts Décoratifs de Paris.

Elle nourrira son expérience par la suite dans les studios de Christian Dior, Jacadi Paris et enfin Massimo Dutti, à Barcelone. Cette ville fut particulièrement inspirante et déterminante dans son parcours. De retour à Paris en 2014, le projet de créer son propre univers s'est alors concrétisé:

"J'ai pris du temps pour me connaître réellement, savoir ce que j'aimais et ce qui m'inspirait et le bijou s'est imposé. Il englobe tout; la couleur, la nature et la préciosité".

Une histoire métissée.. "Ma famille est originaire d'une petite île, Chios. Je suis très fière de mes racines. Mon histoire est un métissage, un mélange de cultures et on le retrouve dans mes créations , mélange de pierres brutes, mariés é un style moderne et actuel".

Naissance d'une collection - Tout commence autour de la matière, sans tendances ni diktats, les collections se créent instinctivement, avec un seul fil rouge.. La Nature. " Je suis très minutieuse et patiente quand je crée, je peux passer des jours sur un produit à chercher sa justesse".