

Harper's BAZAAR

ARABIA

**ALICIA
KEYS
WEARS
MICHAEL
KORS**

**342
BAGS, SHOES
& DREAM
DRESSES**

WARDROBE UPDATE:
**THE
CRUISE
COLLECTIONS
TO BUY**

**DONATELLA
VERSACE**
ROMANCES
DUBAI

FROM
**FRONT
ROW**
~To~
**RED
CARPET**
THE MONTH'S
HOTTEST SOIRÉES

Meet Arabia's
**FASHION
ARISTOCRACY**



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EDITOR'S LETTER

Dress, Dh\$32,233,
Valentino at
Stylebop

Earrings, Dh\$1,560,
Balenciaga

Face and eye
palette in Rose
Bliss, Dh\$325,
Giorgio Armani

Top, Dh\$10,450,
Erden at Colette.fr

Skirt, Dh\$1,210,
See by Chloe

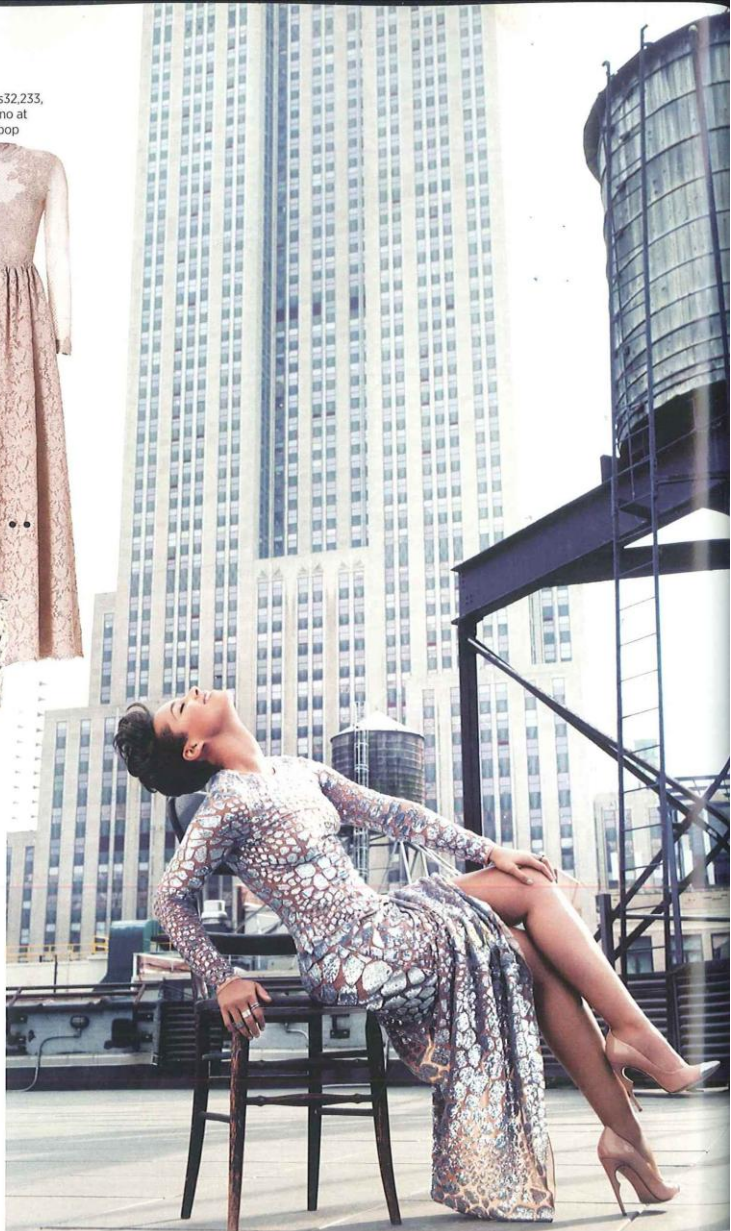
Louise loves...

Shoes,
Dh\$6,800,
Roger Vivier
at Level Shoe
District

Bag, Dh\$18,690,
Chanel

Now, with the backing of the government of Dubai and bodies such as the Design & Fashion Council, d3 and the incredible team behind Fashion Forward, Madiyah, along with the rest of the UAE-based fashion industry, is increasingly well-placed to break into the wardrobes of the world's most discerning shoppers.

When not rubbing shoulders on the front row at Fashion Forward, the region's style insiders can generally be found clad in Lululemon at the Physique 57 barre (see right for an exclusive P57 offer for *Bazaar* readers). It's the exercise class that has taken Dubai by storm, with its thigh-burning, bicep-toning, ballet-inspired moves. I have to confess that my favourite part is always the last few minutes when the instructors finally let everyone recover to the strains of Alicia Keys' *Superwoman*. It's a safe bet that the crowds at Alicia's Dubai concert this month won't be lying prostrate when the 14-times Grammy Award winning singer takes to the stage. As the *Bazaar* team reported back from the set of this month's cover shoot, Alicia "makes you feel empowered to be a woman"; her body-confidence and the way in which she embraces her shape and curves make her a role model we can all learn from. ■



EMPIRE STATE OF MIND
Alicia Keys wears dress, Dh\$56,180, Michael Kors. Shoes,
Dh\$2,552, Jerome Rousseau. Left hand: silver rings,
Dh\$750 each; right hand: ring with stone, Dh\$800, all MKS
at Bloomingdale's. Ring finger ring, Alicia's own



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