



CLOCKWISE FROM LEFT: Suede ballet flats (\$175–\$195) by Margaux; stone and bead bracelets (\$120 for set of 5) by Kat Mittman Kobak; brushed leather-trim flap top bag with hand-cut three-layered crystal (\$890) by Kristina George.



## FINISHING TOUCH

FROM LUXE BALLET FLATS TO CONTEMPORARY JEWELRY, SHOP CHIC ACCESSORIES DESIGNED RIGHT HERE AT HOME. **BY CASEY TRUDEAU**

New York is no longer the only East Coast city with a booming fashion scene—Philadelphia is home to several designers making waves with their fresh, innovative accessories. Handbag label **Kristina George**

incorporates minimalist elements in its crisp designs that are infused with stunning geometric patterns and textures ([kristinageorge.com](http://kristinageorge.com)). In jewelry, Kat Mittman Kobak of **Kat Designs** is inspired by distinct

personal styles, which makes it easy for anyone to find a piece that feels like it was made just for them ([katdesignsllc.com](http://katdesignsllc.com)). Launched last year by Harvard classmates Alexa Buckley and Sarah Pierson, online retailer

**Margaux** offers chic and comfortable ballet flats in Italian leather and suede. The site features measuring instructions for the foot's four measurable areas—or they will send a complimentary fitting kit. The kicker? You can

even specify different sizes for each foot ([margauxny.com](http://margauxny.com)). While these designers are already beloved by savvy local shoppers, they are sure to reinforce our burgeoning reputation as a fashion destination. ■