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Dior takes elegant yet unposed approach for fall 2017

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Jennifer Lawrence for Dior fall 2017

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French fashion house Christian Dior has captured actress Jennifer Lawrence "just as she is" as the brand continues its focus on femininity and the female perspective.



Since taking the helm of Dior after Raf Simons stepped down, artistic director Maria Grazia Chiuri has reinforced her role as the house's first female designer. In her first campaigns and initiatives, there has been an underlying theme of feminism and strong female personalities.

Casual cool

Ms. Lawrence is a familiar Dior face, working as an ambassador for the brand's Lady Dior handbags and Dior Addict beauty products.

In the black-and-white series of images, Ms. Lawrence appears very casual, relaxed and without artifice.

Instead of an abstract high-fashion shoot, Dior's Ms. Chiuri and French photographer Brigitte Lacombe wanted the imagery for fall/winter 2017 to correspond with Ms. Lawrence's personal style and how today's modern young woman dresses.

Ms. Lawrence wears a Bar jacket over a statement tee with loose fitting jeans. Text on one of the tees reads, "We should all be feminists" (see story).

The actress also wears J'adior ballet flats or black leather pumps, multiple rings and good luck necklaces in gold. The Lady Dior handbag that appears in the campaign was designed with a more bohemian feel by Ms. Chiuri.

Dior's latest Lady Dior handbag includes a broad shoulder strap inspired by a design Ms. Chiuri discovered in the house archives.

