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Porter puts lens on female empowerment in winter issue

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Meryl Streep penned a letter for Porter. Image courtesy of Porter, photo by Nicolas Guerin

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Online retailer Net-A-Porter's magazine *Porter* is profiling some of the key players in the #MeToo movement in its annual Incredible Women List.

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The publication's winter 2018 issue features the list as well as letters from four of the honorees, including actress Meryl Streep. Reflecting the wave of sexual harassment allegations and reports throughout industries such as fashion and film, *Porter* is looking to spotlight the evolution happening.

"We are looking at a fast-changing world, where women are not only less afraid to speak out and challenge the status quo, but are also effecting real change both in the workplace and society as a whole," said Lucy Yeomans, editor-in-chief of *Porter*, in a statement.

Women's magazine

Porter themed its winter issue "One Year Stronger," looking at the world one year after the #MeToo movement broke.

In the issue, on newsstands Sept. 28, cover star Julianne Moore is profiled in an interview that covers topics such as her aversion to talking about aging in Hollywood and the portrayal of women on film.

Among the figures featured in the Incredible Women list are the 300 women leading Time's Up, Michelle Obama, Meghan Markle and Oprah Winfrey. *Porter* also profiles Jodi Kantor, the journalist who broke the Harvey Weinstein story for *The New York Times*.



Porter magazine winter 2018 issue cover. Image credit: Porter

Porter also asked four of its Incredible Women to pen letters. In her letter, Ms. Streep talks about the need for journalists, writing, “We need to protect, defend and thank the current crop of journalists around the world, because they, their scruples and their principles are the front-line defense of free and informed people.”

Previously, *Porter* has focused issues on other causes and current events. For instance, *Porter* dedicated its summer issue to raising awareness about issues related to the preservation of the world’s oceans.

Porter recruited acclaimed photographer Mario Sorrenti along with cover model Anja Rubik to help helm the publication’s Summer Escape issue, which will draw particular focus to the plastic crisis facing the world’s oceans. The combination of fashion advertising, editorial content and activism towards a sustainable theme is at the core of *Porter*’s latest edition ([see story](#)).

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