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Christian Louboutin's red sole is known as iconic. Image credit: Christian Louboutin

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Today in luxury:

[Christian Louboutin will be honored by Couture Council of The Museum at FIT](#)

The shoe designer will be recognized by Fashion Institute of Technology in New York on Sept. 4 with the Couture Council Award for Artistry of Fashion at the Couture Council of The Museum at FIT's annual benefit luncheon. The award honors his lifelong contributions toward advancing the craft of the fashion industry, says Footwear News.

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[With a new line, The Marc Jacobs, the designer would like to reintroduce himself](#)

Marc Jacobs has been a preeminent figure in the fashion industry for upwards of three decades, but despite the wisdom he's gleaned from his experience, he isn't shy to admit there's plenty he still doesn't know, says Fashionista.

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[Fine jewelry finally embraces ecommerce](#)

Recently a customer spent \$400,000 on a ruby necklace. So far, so normal in the dizzying world of hard luxury except the piece sold online at Moda Operandi. Net-A-Porter, too, has clocked six-figure sales for fine jewelry, says Vogue Business.

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[Tesla dealt another blow when Barclays calls it a "niche carmaker"](#)

The blows keep coming for Tesla Inc., even as the shares have shed about a fifth of their value in the past month. The latest knock comes from Barclays analyst Brian Johnson, who said the company may be relegated to the status

of a niche luxury carmaker.

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