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# Oscar de la Renta, Michael Kors, Saint Laurent and North Korea luxury goods – News briefs

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Oscar de la Renta's resort 2019 collection. Image credit: Oscar de la Renta

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It's a tough act to follow a megastar like Yang Mi, the face of last year's Michael Kors Chinese Valentine's Day campaign. So for this year's occasion, the brand tried a different tack tapping not one but two famous faces: Gen Z actors Leo Wu and Lareina Song, says Women's Wear Daily.

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After being denied a permit by the local government, Saint Laurent staged a beachside runway show in Malibu that violated a host of environmental regulations, the city says, according to Vogue Business.

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