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Dior brings in-depth design exhibit to China

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"Christian Dior: Designer of Dreams" is running at the Museum of Contemporary Art through Sept. 7. Image credit: Dior

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France's Dior is celebrating more than 70 years of its legacy with a new exhibition in Chengdu, China.

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The traveling exhibition "Christian Dior: Designer of Dreams" is running at the Museum of Contemporary Art is running through Sept. 7, featuring the work of designer Nathalie Crinire. The expansive exhibit is an immersive trip into the rich world of Dior's decades-long history, with visitors able to see house designs, staged scenes and more.

Designer of Dreams

The exhibition opens with 30 Avenue Montaigne, where the bar suit was designed by Christian Dior for his first collection in 1947, shown alongside a new version from Maria Grazia Chiuri.

Throughout the rest of the retrospective, haute couture designs from each of Dior's artistic directors' are unveiled, in an ode to the history of Dior. The exhibition features the names and backgrounds of the artistic directors as well as models fashioning the looks of the respective times.

The 'Christian Dior: Designer of Dreams' Exhibition in Chengdu

In a new short film, viewers can get a glimpse inside the exquisite exhibit, with shots of Dior looks from the past several decades, the floral flair of "The Dior Garden" and more.

Later this year, the exhibition will travel to the Brooklyn Museum, open to spectators from Sept. 10, 2021 to Feb. 20, 2022.

Previous "Designer of Dreams" retrospectives have taken place at Les Arts Decoratifs in Paris and London's Victoria and Albert Museum ([see story](#)).

Dior continues to celebrate the art of its house, and the talent of tomorrow.

Last month, Dior showcased the talent of global art students for its fourth edition of the Dior Photography Award for Young Talents.

Dior invited art students from across the world to submit work in response to this year's theme. After deliberation, a multitalented and diverse jury chose to distinguish 12 laureates and one jury mention ([see story](#)).

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