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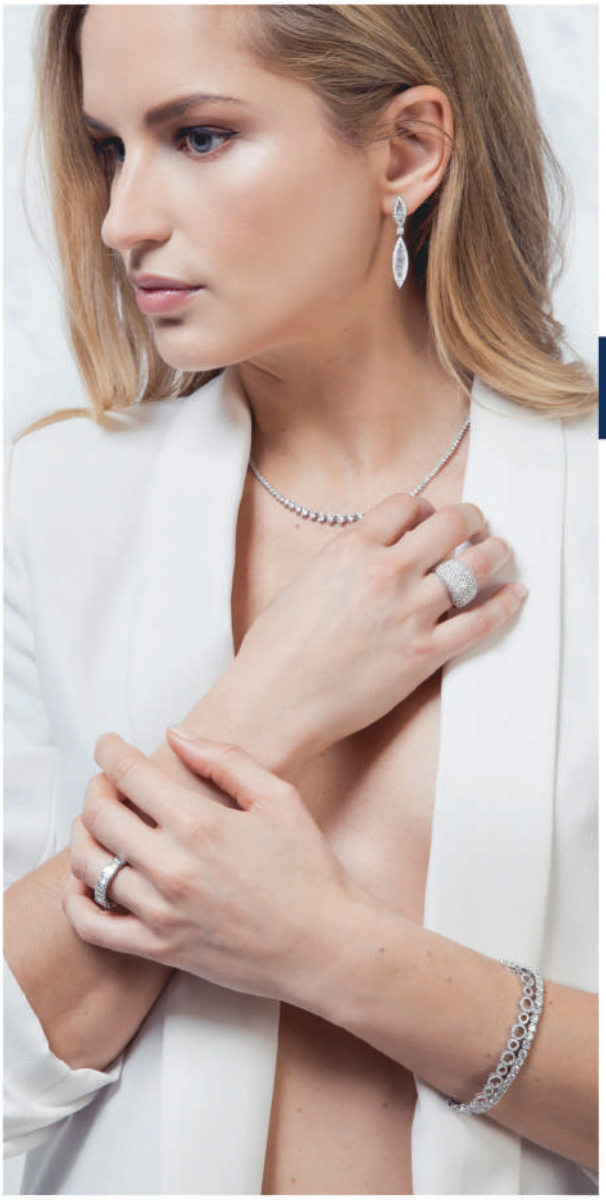
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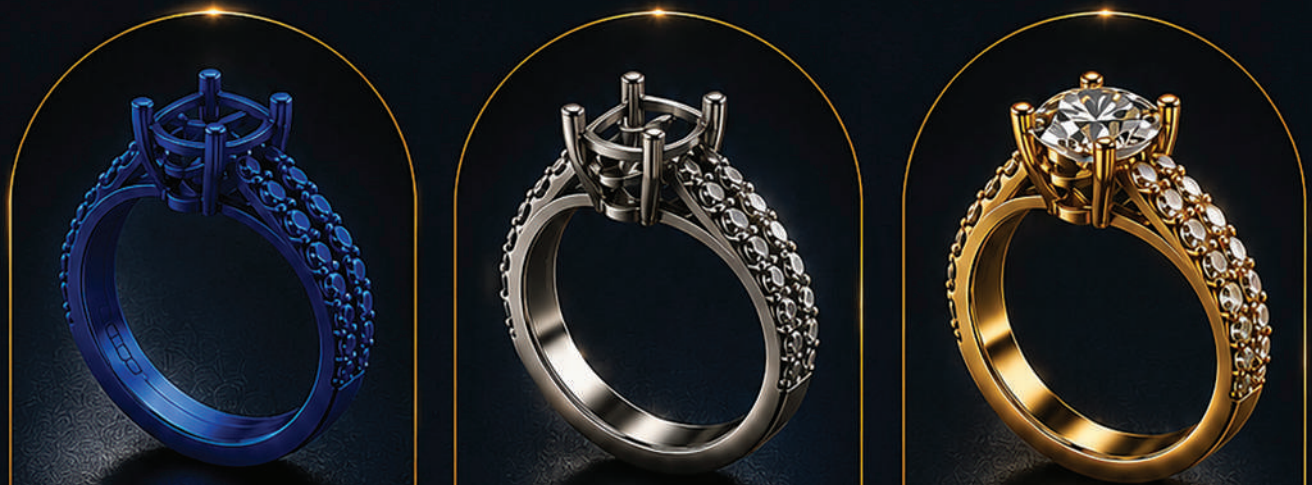
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JEWELLERY EXHIBITION SECURITY (GUIDE): BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER



Jewellery exhibitions present lucrative opportunities for networking and sales, yet they also heighten risks of theft and loss due to crowded venues and high-value displays. As exhibitors showcase exquisite pieces like diamond rings or gold necklaces, criminals exploit the chaos, making robust jewellery exhibition security indispensable.

By Aegseo

This guide explores key steps in jewellery exhibition security, from designating leads to emergency responses, empowering jewellers to navigate exhibitions confidently. By integrating these practices, businesses can focus on growth rather than threats.

PRE-SHOW SECURITY PLANNING

Pre-show preparations form the foundation of effective jewellery exhibition security, addressing potential threats proactively.

Create a Comprehensive Security Plan

Designate a security lead within your team to oversee jewellery exhibition security operations. This individual coordinates emergency protocols, internal checklists, and staff responsibilities. The plan incorporates domain-specific measures like booth surveillance and evacuation routes.

Train Your Staff

Conduct role-based training on jewellery exhibition security procedures to build team competence. Practice responses to theft attempts or emergencies through simulated scenarios. This preparation enhances reaction times and reduces panic during real incidents.

Secure Transportation

Utilise trusted logistics providers or armoured carriers for transporting valuables, thereby bolstering jewellery exhibition security. Avoid visible branding on vehicles to prevent targeting by surveillance groups.

Confidentiality Is Key

Maintain confidentiality by keeping booth numbers, travel routes, and hotel details restricted to verified personnel. Sharing sensitive information only with authorised partners minimises insider threats.

Insurance Readiness

Confirm exhibition coverage with your provider to ensure policies encompass transport, exhibition, and transit risks. Review exclusions and deductibles for comprehensive protection.

Inventory Documentation & Control

Complete photographic documentation of all pieces as part of jewellery exhibition security protocols. Implement serial number tracking and verification systems alongside detailed inventory logs with grading information.

Hotel Room Security Protocols

Never conduct business or store merchandise in hotel rooms to uphold jewellery exhibition security standards. Secure personal valuables separately and avoid jewellery-related discussions in public areas.

ON-SITE SECURITY DURING THE EXHIBITION

On-site measures maintain vigilance, preventing losses amid the event's bustle.

Booth Operations

Never leave the booth unattended, particularly during set-up or teardown, to enforce jewellery exhibition security. Always station at least two staff members for mutual oversight.

Controlled Merchandise Access

Display only a few items at a time using lockable cases and

In 2025, Russia completed the cutting of the largest diamond in the country's history. This unique diamond, a rare fancy Vivid Yellow color, weighs over 100 carats. The diamond was named "New Sun" to reflect the remarkable history of the super-large, rich honey-gold diamond. The crystal size before cutting: 47 x 24 x 22 mm.





anti-theft systems. Secure unused items in vaults, with wrist key holders and limited access protocols among designated team members.

Customer Interaction & Switch Theft Protection

Pay close attention during try-ons to thwart switch thefts, maintaining focus in high-stress situations. Return-check each item carefully.

Badge & Identity Security

Avoid wearing exhibitor badges outside the venue to preserve jewellery exhibition security. Refrain from discussing show-related information in public spaces.

Crowd Awareness

Exercise caution in high-traffic sones by watching for pickpockets or suspicious behaviour. This awareness deters distraction thefts common at trade events.

Parking Lot & Transportation Safety

Utilise parking garage surveillance and security escorts for safe movements. Prohibit parking lot transactions and implement bag switching prevention alongside vehicle inspections.

POST-SHOW SECURITY MEASURES

Post-show actions secure the exit, protecting assets during departure.

Secure Exit Strategy

Plan booth teardown with the same caution as setup, employing secured transportation for return shipments. This step upholds jewellery exhibition security until items reach safety.

Shipping Merchandise

Account for all outgoing and incoming boxes using insured, trackable methods. Incorporate GPS tracking devices for luggage and inventory containers.

Staff Disengagement

Remove badges before leaving the venue to avoid identification risks. Prohibit carrying samples or valuables in public post-show.

Report and Record

Report any theft or incident to venue security, police, and your insurer promptly. Document inventory discrepancies immediately for accurate records.

EMERGENCY RESPONSE PROTOCOLS

Emergency protocols ensure swift, coordinated actions during crises.

Incident Response Procedures

Initiate immediate theft response by contacting law enforcement and coordinating with venue security. As part of your Job Safety Analysis (JSA) requirements, ensure that every incident is recorded, assessed, and reviewed to identify hasards and prevent similar risks in future events. Once internal safety documentation is complete, proceed with your insurance claim using detailed records, photographs, and inventory logs.

Communication During Emergencies

Deploy staff notification systems and corporate check-in procedures for effective communication. Establish emergency contact protocols for family and business partners, including crisis management for reputation protection.

INSURANCE & DOCUMENTATION ESSENTIALS

Jewellery insurance and records underpin jewellery exhibition security by providing financial safeguards.

Specialised Exhibition Insurance

Confirm policies include unattended booth, exhibition, and in-transit coverage. Understand claim procedures, exclusions, and deductibles for optimal protection.

Keep Records

Maintain inventory logs, photographs, and valuation documents. Include incident logs and security reports if applicable.

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FROM REGISTRATION TO RETURN: 10 TIPS TO PROTECT YOU BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER A TRADESHOW

Attending a trade show is an exciting opportunity to showcase your merchandise, expand your network, and engage with potential customers in a dynamic atmosphere. But they also come with significant risks that pose serious security challenges. Here are ten essential tips to help you plan and execute a safe, successful trade show experience.

1 COVER YOUR BASES

While policies safeguard goods on-premises, coverage for trade shows isn't automatic. It is important to check with your insurance company and review your coverage limits ideally at least one month in advance, to ensure you have proper protection to, from and during the show.

2 PRIMED AND PREPPED

Before hitting the road, equip your booth staff with thorough security training. Encourage vigilance, maintain eye contact with customers, and never leave valuables unattended.



3 PLANES, TRAINS AND AUTOMOBILES

Secure transportation is essential for you, your staff and your merchandise. Ship your goods to and from the show by an armored courier service. Verify end-of-show shipping arrangements several days before the show closes. Account for all received shipped boxes and never leave them unattended.

Keep your travel plans confidential. Only share travel itinerary, flight, hotel and car rental details with a close circle of known associates.

4 THE RIGHT TRACK(ER)

Invest in GPS trackers. They are great for keeping track of things like personal luggage, bags and containers stored in exhibit booths. In the event of a loss, you'll be able to track your property using your phone or tablet. These devices are often inexpensive and can be easily purchased at local electronic retailers.

A busy indoor event with many people walking and interacting, surrounded by signs and booths.

5 TEAM EFFORT

Trade shows can be hectic. Be sure you have enough staff to properly manage your booth. Not having enough staff coverage opens you up to greater risks. Don't go it alone!



6 IN THE BOOTH

Booth awareness is key to protecting your merchandise during show hours. Never leave your booth unattended during show hours, as this could void your insurance coverage. Provide personalised attention to each customer and exhibit only one item at a time.

Securely display merchandise behind lockable cases when not being showcased. Be wary of "switch" thefts – carefully check each piece returned by a customer. Perform a thorough inventory three times daily – morning, afternoon, and closing. Ensure all items are inventoried, secured in protective packaging, and stored appropriately overnight.

7 CASHING OUT

Minimise the amount of cash kept at your booth. Be sure to have credit and debit payment options through secure payment processing systems. Encourage buyers to use these methods for payment. Utilise secure overnight deposit services to keep your cash takings safe.



The legendary Mackay Emerald, gifted by Clarence Mackay to his wife Anna Case – celebrated prima donna of the New York Metropolitan Opera House from 1909–1920 – is a magnificent Colombian emerald mined in Muzo. Set within a breathtaking diamond and platinum Art Deco pendant created by Cartier in 1931, this iconic jewel embodies glamour, history, and extraordinary craftsmanship.



8 HANDLING MERCH

Maintain a detailed record of all exhibited jewelry, including grading information, serial numbers, and high-quality photos, especially for unique pieces. This information is crucial for law enforcement and insurance companies in case of loss.

Upon arrival at the trade show site, immediately secure your valuables in a designated vault. Never leave merchandise or valuables unattended before, during, or after show hours. Avoid storing valuables in your hotel room. Be especially vigilant during booth setup and breakdown as these are particularly vulnerable times.

9 KEEP A LOW PROFILE

Blend in. Try not to draw attention to yourself. Avoid broadcasting your exact location, room number, or anything that could compromise your safety, especially on social media.

Never conduct business outside the designated exhibit area or in hotel rooms. Remove your badge or anything else that may identify you as a jeweler, and don't tell strangers why you are in at the city.

10 POST-SHOW HIGHLIGHTS

Congratulations on a successful show! Now is a perfect time to review and analyse your experience – what worked well? What can be improved? Refine your security plan based on lessons learned and feedback received from your staff and attendees.

A prosperous tradeshow experience hinges on detailed planning, vigilant execution, and proper training. By following these ten tips, you can maximise opportunities while minimising risks, allowing you to showcase your brilliance. Have a safe and enjoyable trade show season.

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MILLENNIUM DIAMONDS – A HISTORY

Jewellers' Network had the privilege of interviewing Riki Corthouts from Millennium Diamonds on his journey leading up to the present and the future of the industry. Here's what he had to say.







What is the history behind Millennium Diamonds, how did you start your journey in the Diamond Industry?
In 1991 after completing national service in South Africa, I travelled and worked my way through Europe and Asia. After crossing from Pakistan into India, I bought a Royal Enfield motorcycle in Amritsar, which i rode through Punjab, Gujarat and Rajasthan. In a town called Jaipur, also known as the Pink City, a love for gemstones and jewellery was born. Some initial jewellery and textile trading between India and Greece, culminated in a return to South Africa and the diamond trade. A six month hands on diamond cutting diploma at the Harry Oppenheimer School, a diamond grading diploma from Ian Mckenzie, and a year's apprenticeship on the bench at Art of Gold in Alberton and I was ready to go. Millennium Diamonds was formed in 1996 and is now 30 years old and flourishing. In 2007 we opened our cutting works, at first specialising in round diamonds and then progressing into fancy shapes and fancy colours.

Please elaborate on your new product offering?
I have always been passionate about diamonds and diamond cutting and over the past 30 years we have striven for perfection. Our staff proudly manufacture South African Mined Diamonds into beautiful GIA certified polished diamonds which will now be available in South Africa. Initially as loose diamonds, and later in finished jewellery.

What sets Origin SA apart from others in the same line of business?
Our diamonds have Diamond Origin Reports from GIA, which confirms the Origin of the certified diamond with 100% traceability. Diamonds that carry our OriginSA laser inscription have auditable provenance. We believe in the importance of where a diamond comes from and the good it does at it's source.

What is your vision for the company moving forward in the foreseeable future?
As consumers become more informed, many are rediscovering the enduring value and rarity of natural diamonds.. People will look for unique, individual offerings created by nature to celebrate their love as opposed to perfectly mass produced copies. Individual brands with provenance and an ethical story will always resonate with consumers.

It is our hope that consumers will become aware of the incredible story that is South African diamonds, both locally and internationally. The passionate people behind every aspect of a natural diamonds journey, from mining, through cutting and polishing and finally into beautifully created South African jewellery. Many international markets recognise the exceptional quality and reputation of Southern African diamonds. I can't wait for local consumers to discover this, as the old staple goes "Local is Lekker".

At Millennium Diamonds, we will continue to focus on sourcing Southern African Mined Diamonds, promoting the good that they do, and locally manufacturing to the highest standards.

Do you have any words of wisdom or advice for anyone wanting to enter the Diamond Industry?
Diamonds are a passion, they represent moments in time and life. This is an industry which requires passion, a love for details and a love for people. Its a business of highs and lows, resilience and a love for these beautiful gifts from nature is all you need to succeed.

What would be the toughest lesson you have ever learnt on your journey in the Diamond Industry?
In 2020, when Covid hit the diamond industry, prices plummeted by almost 50%. It was tough, and my belief in the enduring nature of natural diamonds was shaken. 2 years after that, diamond prices were at a new high. And then we had the big slump bought on by various factors, prices have now reached an all time low. Again, natural diamonds are showing just how enduring they are. The market is stabilising and we are seeing a renewed interest in natural diamonds. There's a reason that you see 2nd, 3rd and 4th generations in this business, and that's it's longevity. Natural diamonds have endured wars, recessions and global pandemics. Their story has always been one of resilience and I believe that will continue for generations to come.

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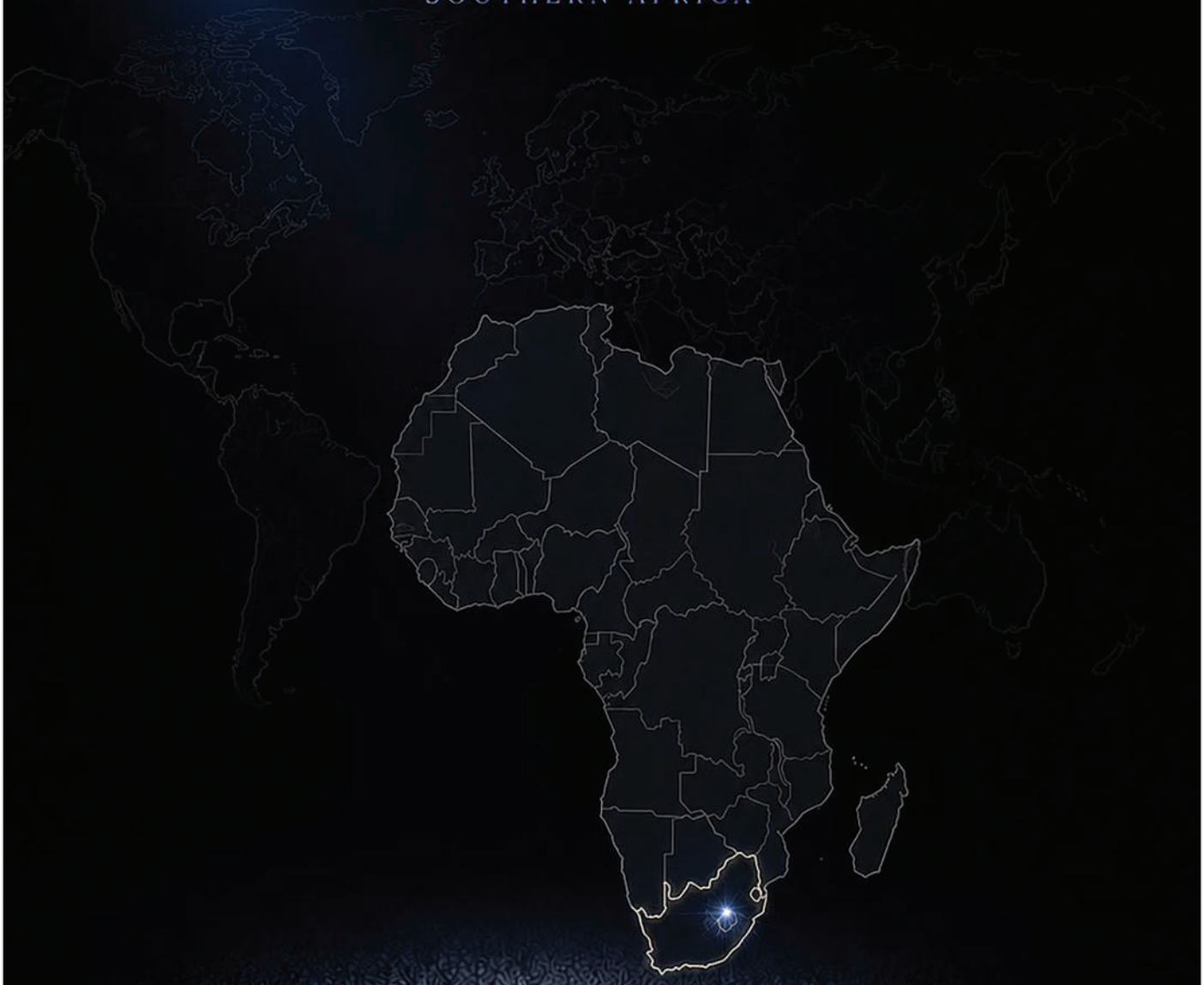
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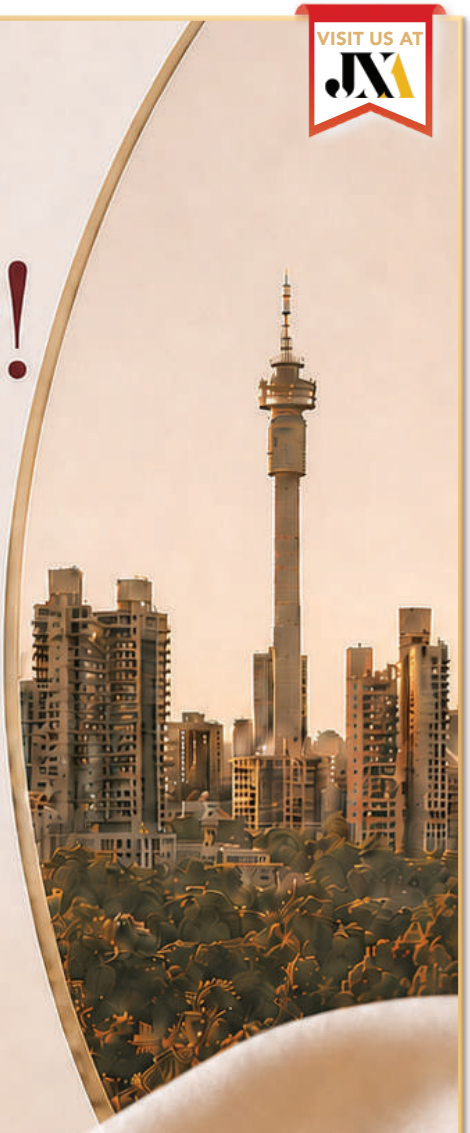
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Walk any show floor and you'll see plenty of brands showing up with a strong, visible presence – good spot, good branding, everything where it should be. Important, yes – but not always what people remember. From what we're seeing, the partnerships that land best now give people a reason to stop, stay, and come back. Less about being seen, more about being part of the experience. Across sectors and audiences, the pattern is becoming pretty consistent.



WHAT HAPPENED WHEN YOUTUBE CAME TO MIPCOM

Introducing something new into a well-established show isn't always straightforward.

In 2025, as YouTube marked its 20th anniversary, CEO Neil Mohan set out four strategic "big bets," including the belief that YouTube is the new television and that creators are the start-ups of Hollywood.

Around the same time, MIPCOM approached Pedro Pina, YouTube's Head of Television EMEA, with a clear invitation: come to Cannes and bring that vision to life alongside the world's biggest studios.

Up to that point, YouTube's presence in Cannes had largely been centred around Cannes Lions. MIPCOM was a different crowd – more traditional, more established, and understandably a bit sceptical. And you don't shift that with a standard stand.

So instead of just showing up, YouTube created a space people wanted to spend time in.

YouTube View – a rooftop lounge on top of the Palais des Festivals – turned an unused space into one of the most talked-about activations at MIPCOM.

Alongside that came keynote sponsorships across MIPCOM and MIPJunior, producer helpdesks, packed workshops and market-wide branding.

And it worked:

- Over 3 000 delegates (nearly 30% of total attendance) visited YouTube View
- The largest keynote in MIPCOM history, with more than 860 attendees
- Over 1 400 guests across anniversary events
- Workshops averaged 250+ participants, running at standing-room-only capacity

More importantly, people didn't just pass through – they stayed, engaged, asked questions. The creator economy wasn't just a talking point, it became part of the conversation.

The impact carried through, with YouTube confirming increased investment and engagement for MIPCOM 2026.

"This is just the beginning of a beautiful partnership. I left Cannes on a high, full of excitement for all the discussions we had and the ideas buzzing around my head about partnering even more with all the wonderful teams we've met." – Pedro Pina.

This gorgeous Cypriot pendant is just **3cm** all and was made over **3 000** years ago during the Late Bronze Age. It depicts a long-horned bull, one of the various types bred on the island during this period.



ITALIAN FOOD AT SNACK SHOW, DONE PROPERLY

Some partnerships don't need to be big and bold – they just need to make sense. I Love Italian Food (ILIF) and Snack Show 2025 is one of those.

ILIF's mission is promoting Italian food and beverage excellence globally. Snack Show already had the audience. The opportunity was obvious – but, as with any new addition to an established show, it only works if it feels like it belongs. So this wasn't treated as an add-on.

Instead, it was built into the heart of the show: a dedicated ILIF-branded zone, plus a one-day programme featuring 37 Italian producers, chefs, live demonstrations, tastings and curated content.

The kind of space people don't just walk past – they stop, taste, talk, and stay a little longer.

The result:

- Over 1,000 visitors engaged with the ILIF area
- That's half of the day's total attendance

Which tells you it wasn't just "nice to have" – it was part of the draw.

"The RX team truly understood our vision. The partnership delivered visibility, credibility, and concrete business results for our Italian food producers." – Alessandro Schiatti, Founder and CEO of I Love Italian Food.

They've since committed to a long-term partnership with Snack Show.

WHEN THE STORY OUTGROWS THE STAND

There's only so much you can do within the footprint of a stand – especially when you're bringing multiple brands together. At some point, the story outgrows the space.

That's what Accor was up against at ILTM Cannes.

Rather than squeezing everything into the space available, they took a different route – literally.

The Accor Grand Pavilion, a 1 500 m² beachfront space just steps from the Palais, gave them room to create something more considered. Not just a place for meetings, but an environment that reflected the brands they were representing.

By 2025, it had become their strongest ILTM activation to date.

Across three show days:

- 9 124 visitors
- 4 800 pre-scheduled meetings
- 206 hoteliers from 125 properties (a 56% increase versus previous participation models)

And then there's everything that happens around the edges – the conversations, the hosted moments, the parts that don't always show up in a floorplan. In this case, ten curated client events welcomed more than 1 000 guests across the week.

"Our objective was clear: to showcase the best of Accor. The quality of the meetings, the ambition of the teams and the engagement from partners throughout the week showed just how powerfully our goal was delivered,"
– Pascal Visintainer, Chief Sales Officer.

The partnership has since translated into longer-term value, with expanded collaboration confirmed for ILTM Cannes 2026.

OPENING THE DOOR, WITHOUT LOWERING THE BAR

One of the ongoing balancing acts in events is keeping things fresh without losing what makes the audience valuable in the first place.

Luxury – the US B2B jewellery event – has been working on that through its Design at Luxury concept, giving high-end designers access to a highly qualified buying audience.

Because let's face it – great talent doesn't always come with big exhibition budgets.

That's where NouvelleBox comes in.

"NouvelleBox was seeking a jewellery trade show partnership in the US market that delivered real return on investment, where orders are written and business is done. Luxury offers exactly that: an engaged retail audience, a commercial mindset and a proven buying environment."
– Event Director, Meghan Markewicz.

Together, they've developed the NouvelleBox Ballroom at Luxury 2026 – a dedicated designer space just off the main show floor.

The model makes it viable for designers to participate, while still creating enough draw to bring retailers in.

So far:

- Seven new designers have already joined
- Demand is nearing full capacity

"NouvelleBox is dedicated to championing brands that embody artistry, innovation, and individuality, and we are proud to showcase their work in a setting that defines excellence at the highest level of the industry,"
– Darren Hildrow, Founder & Director.

Retailers gain access to sought-after design talent. Designers gain visibility with the right buyers. And the overall experience stays curated.

WHAT THIS ALL COMES DOWN TO

Across very different industries, the same shift keeps showing up.

"Across these examples, a consistent strategic pattern emerges. The most effective event partnerships are no longer transactional, they are strategic, integrated, and outcome driven. The value lies not in presence, but in active participation."
– Peter Lindsay, Chief Strategy Officer at RX.

In practice, that's what separates the partnerships people pass by from the ones they spend time in.

Because being seen is one thing. Being remembered is another.

And it doesn't take long to spot the difference.

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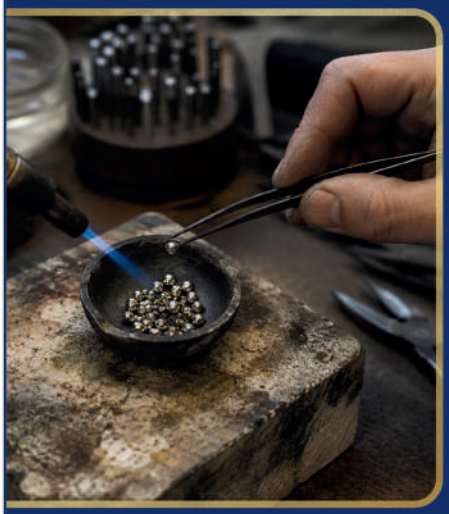
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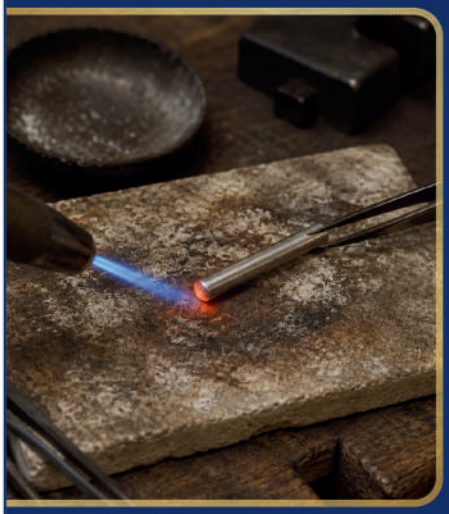
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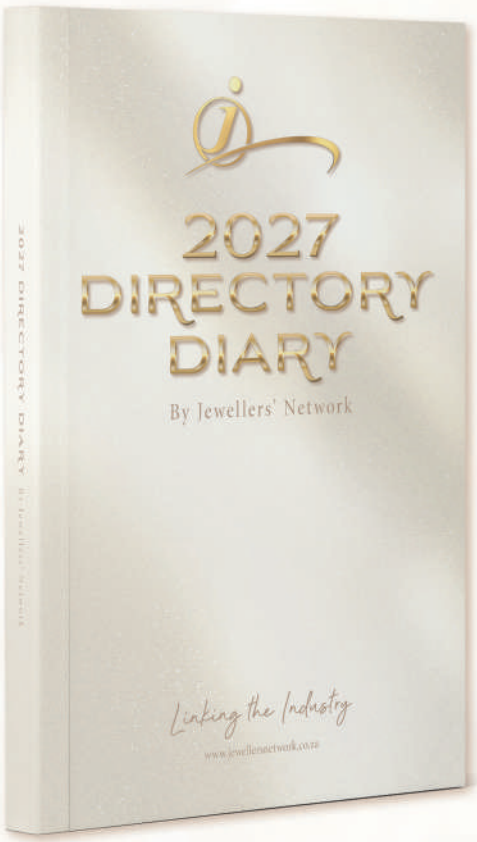
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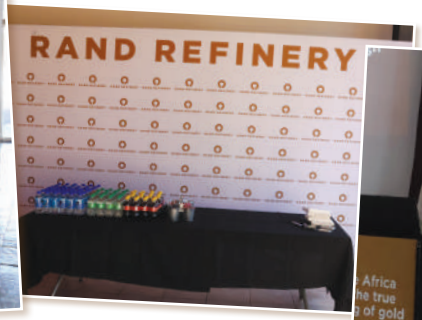
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South Africa's jewellery industry's future took centre stage as Cape Precious Metals (CPM) hosted a jewellery industry networking and showcase event at Rand Refinery, bringing together more than 60 learners from NQ Jewellery and the Ekurhuleni Jewellery Beneficiation Programme (EJBP) for a day of learning, networking and industry engagement.













Designed to bridge the gap between education and industry, the event provided aspiring jewellers with direct access to leading organisations across the jewellery value chain. Learners had the opportunity to engage with industry experts, gain valuable insight into career opportunities and develop meaningful connections with businesses committed to the growth of South Africa's jewellery sector.

Among the organisations participating were the South African Diamond and Precious Metals Regulator (SADPMR), MQA, Jewellers' Network and other respected industry stakeholders, each contributing to an initiative that highlighted the importance of collaboration in developing South Africa's next generation of skilled jewellers.

For Cape Precious Metals, the event reflected a philosophy that extends far beyond refining and supplying precious metals. Through initiatives such as this, the company continues to champion industry collaboration, encourage skills development and create opportunities for emerging professionals to engage with the businesses shaping South Africa's jewellery sector.

Art Deco Sapphire Wave Brooch adorned with radiant blue gemstones, luminous pearls, and sparkling crystal details. Flowing geometric curves and elegant symmetry capture the glamour and sophistication of the 1920s. This luxurious vintage jewelry piece reflects timeless craftsmanship, refined femininity, and the artistic beauty that made the Art Deco era an enduring symbol of elegance and luxury.





















That vision lies at the heart of The Bench and Beyond. True industry leadership is measured not only by the products a company delivers, but by the legacy it helps create. By opening doors for young talent and encouraging meaningful engagement across the jewellery value chain, Cape Precious Metals is helping to strengthen an industry built on craftsmanship, innovation and shared expertise.

The event also highlighted the value of collaboration across the sector. With organisations representing manufacturing, refining, regulation and industry media gathered under one roof, learners gained a broader understanding of how every part of the jewellery ecosystem works together to support a thriving industry.

As South Africa's jewellery sector continues to evolve, creating opportunities for the youth to learn from established leaders will remain essential. Events such as this not only inspire future careers but reinforce the partnerships that will shape the next chapter of South African jewellery manufacturing.

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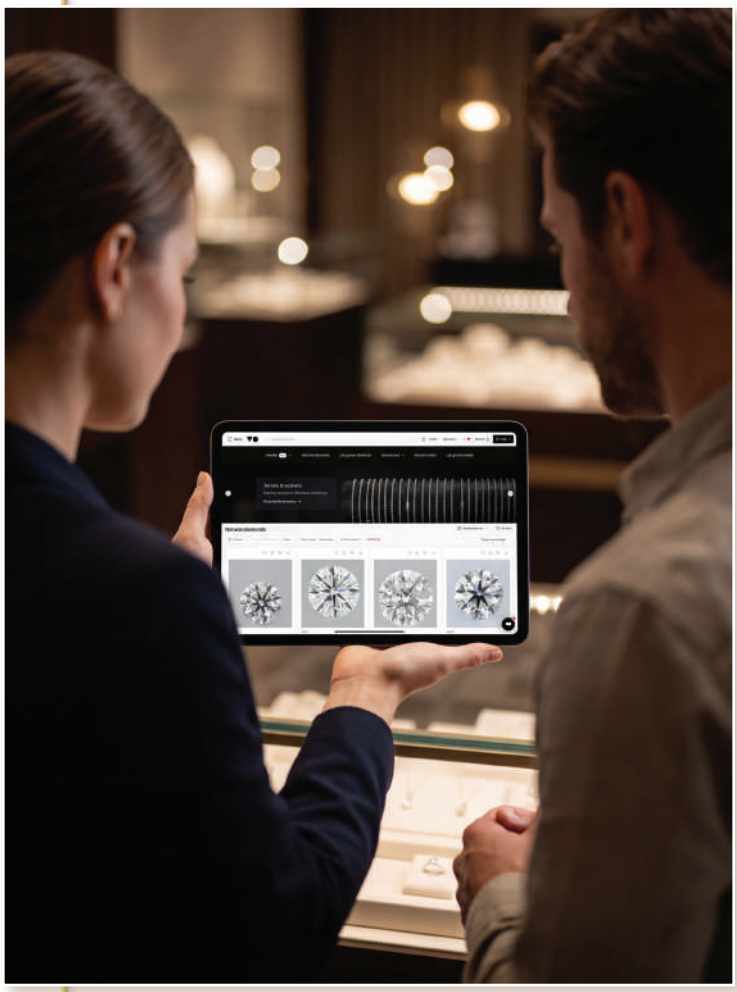
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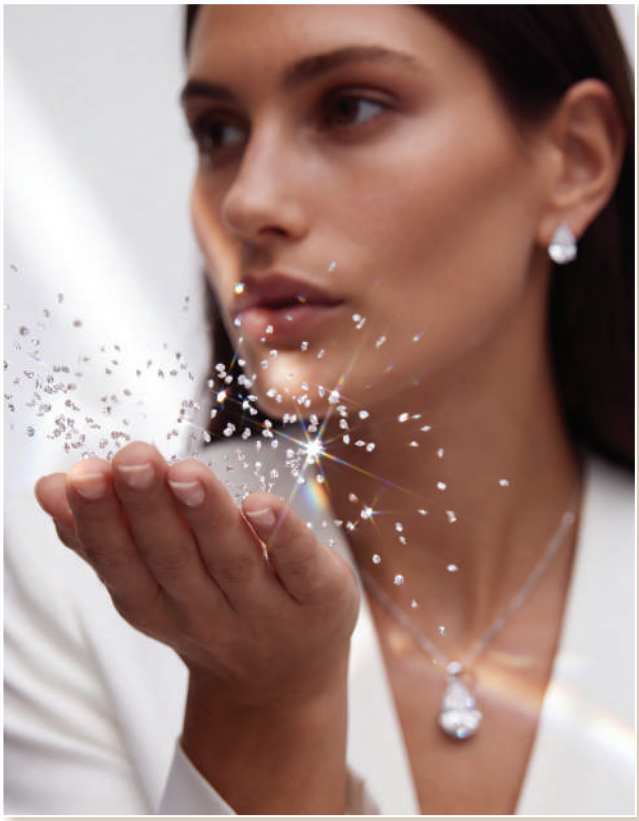
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Nivoda, the world's largest marketplace for diamonds, gemstones and jewellery, continues to provide South African jewellery retailers with access to its zero-inventory sourcing platform, together with an expanding suite of retail technology solutions designed to help jewellers grow their businesses.

Trusted by jewellers in more than 80 countries, Nivoda enables retailers to access more than 2.5 million natural and lab-grown diamonds and coloured gemstones without purchasing or holding inventory.

While many South African jewellers know Nivoda as a global sourcing platform, fewer are aware of the complete ecosystem of tools available to help improve both the in-store and online customer experience. From live inventory feeds and digital sales tools to bespoke ring design technology, Nivoda offers retailers the opportunity to expand their product offering without the financial burden of carrying stock.

The latest development for the South African market is the introduction of **geo-specific pricing for Nivoda Connect**, making this powerful retail solution considerably more affordable for local jewellery retailers.

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South African retailers can register with Nivoda free of charge, with no minimum order requirements.

Key benefits include:

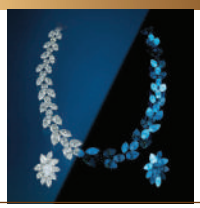
- Free account registration with no ongoing commitment.
- Access to more than 2.5 million natural and lab-grown diamonds and coloured gemstones.
- Source inventory only after a customer has made a purchase, eliminating the need to tie up valuable capital in stock.
- Every order is inspected by graduate gemologists, professionally handled through customs, and delivered directly to the retailer.
- Simple upfront payment on each completed order, allowing retailers to pay only once they have secured the sale.

BUILT BY SOMEONE WHO UNDERSTANDS THE TRADE

Nivoda was co-founded by Dave Sutton, whose journey began in the South African jewellery industry before establishing a successful diamond wholesale business and later building a multi-million-dollar bespoke bridal jewellery retailer in London.

Having experienced the daily challenges of sourcing quality diamonds, managing cash flow and competing with larger retailers, Sutton created Nivoda to simplify sourcing while giving independent jewellers access to the same opportunities as larger businesses.


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POWERFUL RETAIL TOOLS

Beyond sourcing, Nivoda offers a range of technology solutions that help jewellers sell more effectively both in-store and online.

Showroom – Free

Nivoda's Showroom is a white-label tablet application that allows retailers to present the full marketplace inventory to customers during consultations.

Features include:

- Access to more than 2.5 million diamonds and gemstones.
- Retailers display their own pricing and mark-ups.
- Search, quote and complete transactions within minutes.
- No physical stock required in-store.

According to Nivoda, retailers using Showroom place more than four times as many orders annually as those who do not, based on trends observed across thousands of active accounts.

Online Feed – Free

The Online Feed integrates live marketplace inventory directly into a retailer's own website under their own branding.

Benefits include:

- Real-time inventory updates.
- More than 2.5 million diamonds and gemstones displayed online.
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Nivoda Connect

To better support jewellery retailers in South Africa, Nivoda has introduced **dedicated local pricing** for Nivoda Connect.

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"We have had nothing but positive feedback in terms of the diamond feeds on our website, which is directly attributable to Nivoda," said Jonathan Casey, Treasurer at Melanie Casey Fine Jewelry.

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More Than a Marketplace

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About Nivoda

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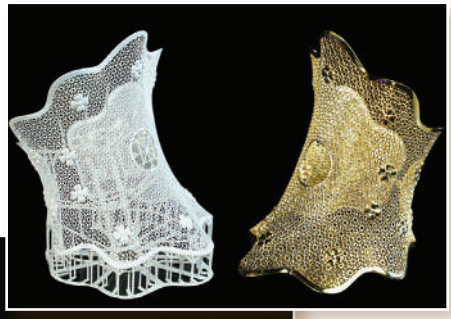
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WHAT DOES FICA ACTUALLY REQUIRE FROM YOUR BUSINESS?

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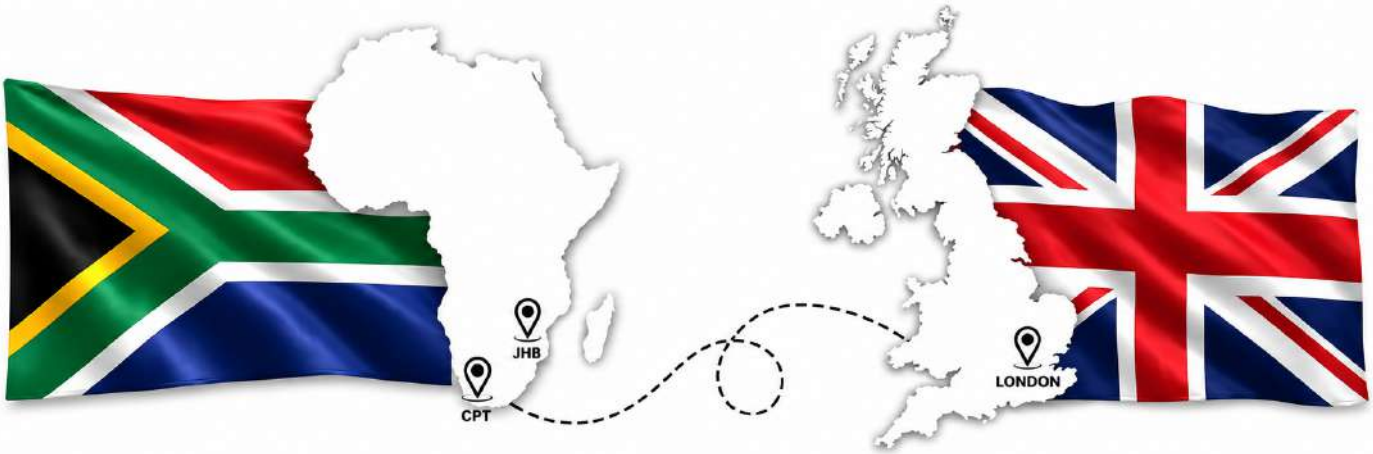


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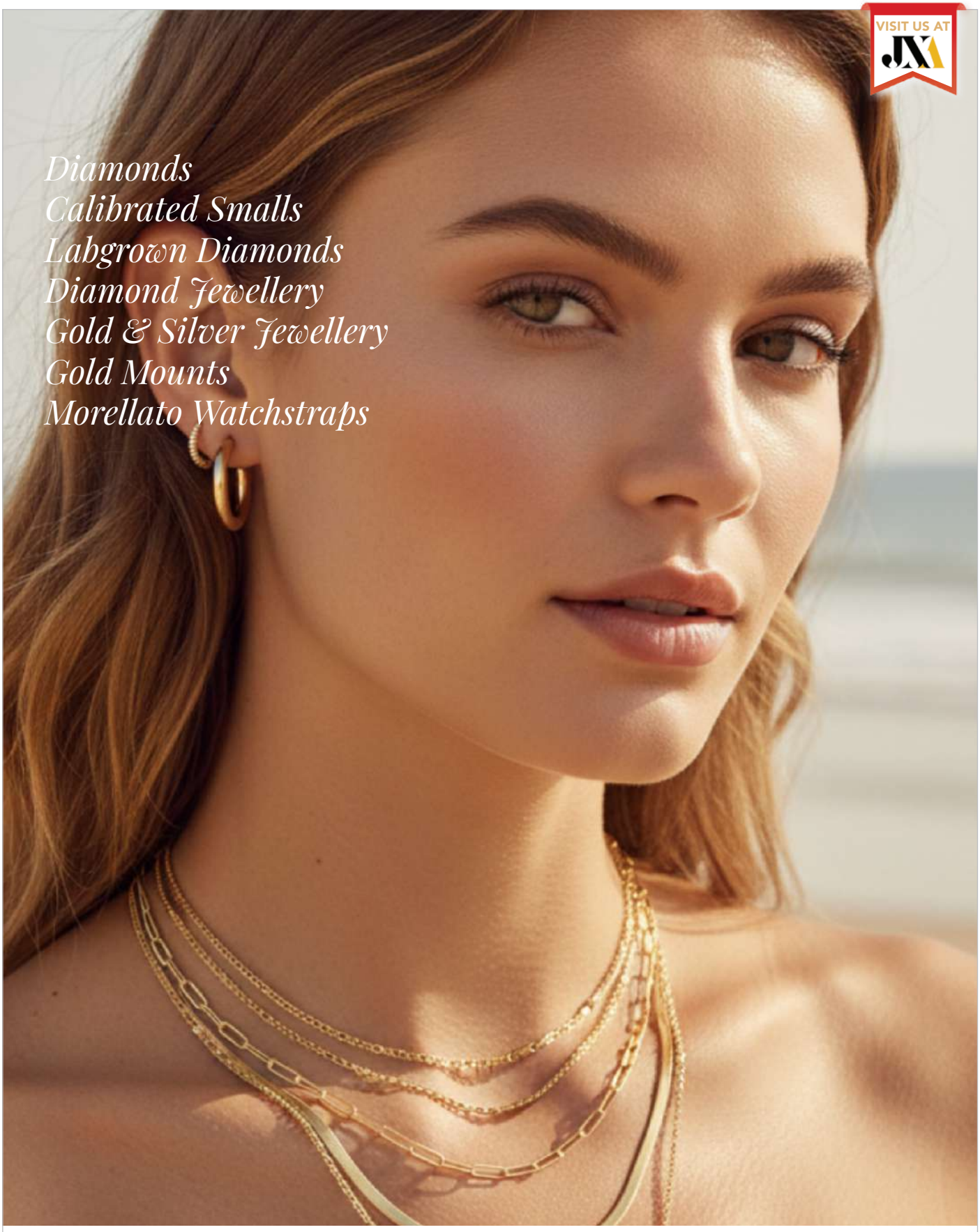
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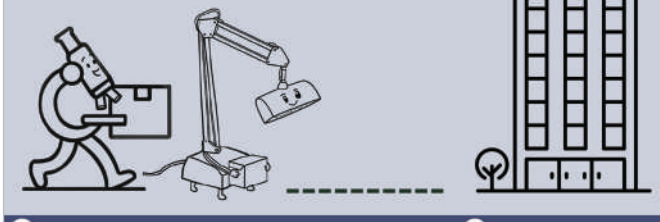
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ADPA PARTNERS WITH DIAMOND SCHOOL TO STRENGTHEN AFRICAN TRADE

The African Diamond Producers Association (ADPA) and the Harry Oppenheimer Diamond Training School (HODTS) have signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) to expand educational opportunities in the African diamond industry.









By Suzanne Watkin

The agreement, which the parties signed on Monday, 29th June, establishes a framework for collaboration on curriculum development, specialised training programs and the promotion of best practices in diamond evaluation, processing and trade, the ADPA said. It also includes joint initiatives, such as workshops, seminars and research projects, to promote innovation and local beneficiation across Africa.

The partnership is initially for a three-year period, with biannual review meetings to evaluate progress and explore opportunities to increase the efforts. Both organisations expect the cooperation to deliver long-term benefits for the African diamond sector by strengthening its technical expertise, promoting value addition and supporting sustainable economic growth and employment across the continent, it added.

"Education has always been the greatest catalyst for transformation," said Neil Rademeyer, director of HODTS. "This partnership represents a shared vision between ADPA and the HODTS: that Africa should be known not merely as the source of diamonds, but as the home of world-class expertise, innovation and excellence throughout the entire diamond value chain."

ADPA's Executive Director, Ellah Muchemwa, said the partnership ensures "Africa's diamonds contribute not only to global markets but also to socio-economic growth and employment creation within our member states."

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In Loving Memory



Most of you reading this magazine will have heard of JSK. The Jewellery Shopkeeper. This software is a labour of love created by one man. No AI. No autocorrect. No office of programming monkeys.



By Odessa Perelson – August 2026

For years, Norman Perelson sat in front of a CRT monitor and entered code. Being a pioneer, learning new skills from developer notes and books, his code has been described as "messy".

But the art he created in that time has proven solid, holding the history of decades of information.



This was my father, Norman Perelson. Infamous for surviving an accident, pushed off his motorbike and being ridden over by a double-decker bus when he was 16. He never returned to school after over a year in hospital for multiple operations.

Instead, he found an interest in circuit boards, capacitors, and amateur radio.

My father, a gentle soul, lived in brilliant colours.

Not one for socializing, he found joy in many hobbies. From flying RC planes in the 70's, building radios, designing light dimmers, exploring astrology, and creating electronic devices for measuring machine usage, water levels and temperature, and even made an automatic toilet paper dispenser which he couldn't understand why nobody enjoyed it as much as he did!



I believe his fondest hobby was geocaching. Back in a time when the local geocaching community was fresh and active, he set a goal to drive out and find a geocache every day for a year. Many kilometers he drove in that year, in a silver 3-door, 4x4 Pajero. I traveled with him to events, called "Geocaching Mega's" in Durban and Bloemfontein and remember fondly our outdoor exercise together.

He enjoyed his garden at his home that he built 40 years ago, he made sure the birds had suet feed, and the small birdbath always had water.

Recent years have been less energetic. He enjoyed playing online poker, watching American news, and tinkering with RFID and 3-D printing.

His quirks, knowing exactly how many times a coffee sachet must be stirred in boiling water for optimal flavour, the exact setting on the toaster for best toasted bread, the whistling of a tune while doing something challenging and fun. And if you borrowed a tool and didn't put it back in its exact spot, in its original packaging no less, you were not allowed to use that tool again!

If something needed doing, it had to be done immediately.

A single light bulb would require a trip to the shop, and was replaced before we could settle for supper.

If the WiFi wasn't working, the kettle couldn't be boiled to relax for a moment until the internet was up and running again.

Door bell not working? Nothing else, food or sleep or Carte Blanche, could be done until it was fixed.

Norman isn't around anymore, but his garden is maintained. The birds are getting their birdbath water and suet, and I am doing my best, with Dorothy's help, to keep Norman's labour of love, JSK, alive.

The tools I borrow are put back into place, and the toaster is still on the best setting.

The Jewellery Shopkeeper will carry on until the last user logs in for the last time. Until then, I thank our loyal customers for their support and genuinely enjoy hearing your voices and receiving your messages, because it brings back a memory of a time that Norman was by my side and we would tackle problems together.

> *"Missing someone is sadness wrapped in the blessing of having known them."*



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