



Montaha Al-Ajeel participates in the Stockholm International Fashion Fair 2021

Kuwaiti designer Montaha Al-Ajeel participated in the fourth edition of the Stockholm International Fashion Fair 2021 that took place at the National Museum in Stockholm, organized by In-Ter-Art agency in cooperation with the Swedish Volvo company. Ajeel this year introduced her collection under the name 'La Vie en Rose', presenting long pink gowns that symbolize joy and happiness and express femininity, tenderness and softness at the same time,

which suits the taste of European women. She has achieved international fame through creating and designing high-end fashion with her Kuwaiti brand that competes with international brands. Her designs have been placed in international stores and highlighted globally. She was able to draw attention with her presence and personality as a Kuwaiti woman who has proven her success and accomplishments.

Ajeel has received invitations to participate in international fashion shows in Dubai, Amman, London, New York, Paris, Thailand, Bali and Sweden. She was also invited to participate in international forums and global economic conferences, including the Arab Women and the World Economy Conference held in London and the European Gulf Business Forum in Brussels. She was also invited to present a special fashion show for the wives of the heads of some countries to

support women in Asia, which was held in New York. She also presented a fashion show for people with special needs. She attended a fashion show held at the Arab World Institute in Paris and participated in the International Thai Silk Fashion Week in honor of Queen Sirikit on the Queen Mother's birthday in the presence of Thai Prime Minister. Ajeel has won several awards, including the Fashion Icon Award in London in

the presence of the Dean of the Diplomatic Corps Ambassador Khaled Al-Duwaisan, and was chosen by Emirates Woman magazine as one of the seven most influential people in the world. She was honored by the Kuwait Bar Association as part of the celebration of International Women's Day and had the honor of meeting HH Sheikh Sabah Al-Ahmad Al-Sabah after receiving the Global Leadership Award.



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Made in India Exhibition

Embassy of India, Kuwait organized 'Made in India Exhibition' from September 14 to 15 at the Embassy premises showcasing 'Made in India' products in all categories such as agricultural products, gems and jewelry, consumer goods, tea, coffee, textiles, furniture, apparel, handicrafts, engineering goods and automobiles and many more. The products displayed included products such as buses and trucks from TATA motors, cars and pickup from Mahindra and motorcycles from Royal Enfield, TRIFED products, Tea from Assam, West Bengal and Nilgiri by Tea Board of India, Araku Coffee, Jewelry from Joylukkass & Raya Jewelers, Kent RO, La-Opala tableware, Himalaya Ayurveda and herbal products, and different FMCG products sourced by LULU Hypermarket and Oncost, NBTC, OBTC. An AYUSH Lounge was installed by the Embassy in the exhibition.



Ambassador of India to Kuwait Shri Sibi George inaugurated the exhibition and in his inaugural speech welcomed guests and spoke about the excellent

bilateral cooperation between India and Kuwait in all sectors and highlighted the popularity of 'Made in India' products in Kuwait. He underlined that the year 2021, India is celebrating two years long celebration of 75th anniversary of its independence (Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav) as well as 60th anniversary of establishment of diplomatic relations between India and Kuwait. He reiterated that as part of the vision of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, India is working to promote Indian exports abroad and the Embassy is committed to showcase the finest of Indian products and example of our technological advancement. He emphasized that under the guidance of leadership of both countries, relationship between two countries will reach new heights. Mazin Al-Essa, Under Secretary, Amiri Diwan, State of Kuwait, was chief guest of the event, which was attended by many resident ambassadors and members of diplomatic community in Kuwait as well as Kuwaiti businessmen and media persons.

On September 14, to celebrate 75th anniversary of India's independence, a spectacular presentation of 75 dishes from different region of the India showing rich culinary heritage and diversity was held. A grand cultural show with traditional classical dance and music performance was held. On September 15, the Exhibition included a show called 'Parinay' - celebration of Indian Weddings, bridal and wedding costumes showcased by members of Indian community. This was followed by a cultural evening where in various Indian artists residing in the State of Kuwait presented their performances. The event was very well received and was visited by a large number of Kuwaiti and Indian business and media persons and diplomatic community in Kuwait. The event was also broadcast on Embassy's social media which was attended online by thousands.

