



Wearable Fashion Sculpture

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Isabelle de Borchgrave [1946-Present Day]

- What material does she primarily work with? How might she manipulate the work/material?
- Where can you find her works of art?
- Does she work alone or with a team?
- What is something that stands out to you about her?



Think...

- What is your first impression of the sculptures? Do they look like paper? What gives them a realistic feel?
- What do these sculptures remind you of? What kind of person would wear these?
- What could be the reason Borchgrave is recreating these clothes in the present day?



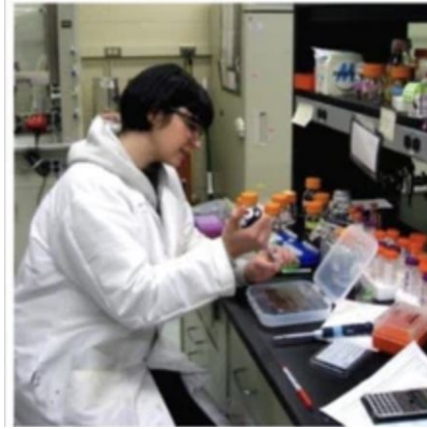
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- How do the dresses stand out in terms of style?
- Can you tell what time period they're from?
- Describe what techniques or ways the sculptures may be formed to give the viewer clues as to what historical time period they may be from.



Francesca Vitali

- Francesca is a **chemist-turned contemporary jewelry** making artist. She creates **paper jewelry** from multiple different pieces of paper, even some shopping bags! What sets her apart from Borchgrave is her more **abstract**, and sculptural approach to designing her jewelry. She tends to create these with multiple purposes as well, with most being **made to wear**.



Compare and Contrast!

- Name one interesting fact about Francesca Vitali that caught your eye.
- How are Borchgrave and Vitali's paper sculptures/wearables the same? How are they different?
- What do the different approaches to paper sculpture say about the two artists?
- Who might be the audience for Vitali's work/wearables?



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For fun!

- Which artist was your favorite?
Why?
- How might their techniques and approaches affect your piece?
- What is one thing that surprised you?
- What is your main take away from the artists?



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