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MAKE THE CUT

You can never have too many pleats. Case in point: a traditional weave paired with soft tartan folds and an effortlessly gathered dress. Handwoven sari with Kutch bandhini, **Sunita Shankar**. Organza ruffle dress (worn as blouse), **Gauri & Nanika**. Pleated maxi skirt, **Dhruv Kapoor**. Septum ring, **Amrapali**





RED HOT

The LBD is dethroned as a scarlet sari takes its place as life of the party.

Pre-Cubist petal-pleated sari, **Wendell Rodricks**.

Denim waistcoat (worn as blouse), **Indian by Manish Arora**.

Merino wool sweater, **Tommy Hilfiger**.

'Lily' 3D flower-embellished shoes, **Nikasha by Nikasha Tawdey**.

Earrings, ring; both **Outhouse**

COME TOGETHER

Call it the Michele effect. Even a Benarasi weave can't resist a preppy skirt suit. Benarasi dupatta (part of a set), Ekaya, Wool-blend cardigan, metallic-trim skirt; both **Gucci**. 'Surreal Romance' bracelet, **Gaurav Gupta** for **Swarovski** Confluence, Earring, **Outhouse**

Hair and make-up: Elton Fernandez/Inega
Model: Pritika Swarup/Anima Creative Management
Creative director: Jolie Wernette-Horn
Production: Divya Jagwani, Janine Dubash; Temple Road Productions
Photographer's assistants: Ajay Kadam, Ram Kumar; Vahid Chhabra; Siddhant Vaidya
Assistant stylist: Priyanka Kapadia
Hair and make-up assistant: Krishna Kani
Location courtesies: Slink & Bardot, Mumbai, India

Under the radar

If the 'I dos' are spiritual, intimate and low-key, switch your dressy heels for flats and pair traditional handloom weaves with an up-to-date shirt



1. Women trench coat, **Rahul Mishra**, ₹18,650 2. Enamel jhumki earrings, **Urban Dhani**, ₹3,200 3. Jacquard slippers, **Gucci**, price on request 4. Three leaf earrings, **Valliyam**, ₹7,590 5. Shirt, **Lehengs**, both **Payal Khambhania**, price on request 6. Chamkeeli jutti, **Ritika Sachdeva**, ₹4,900 7. Brocade potli, **The Pink Potli**, ₹3,500 8. Chamkeeli jutti, **Shilpsutra** by **Shilpa Agarwalla**, ₹5,000 9. Gold finish layered jhumki earrings, **Firdaus**, ₹7,800 10. Sari, blouse, both **Raw Mango**, price on request 11. Filigree cuff, **Isharya**, ₹8,280

TUSHAR BHARADWAJ/SAMPANA ZOUWALA, SKUTTERSTOCK

Going places

Lightweight drapes, easy separates, sari-gowns and fashion jewellery—destination weddings call for pragmatic wardrobe choices



1. Drape sari with blouse and pants. **Bhaavya Bhatnagar**, price on request 2. Embellished flats. **Rochas**, ₹58,130 3. Head piece. **Outhouse**, ₹15,200 4. Gown. **Shyamal & Bhumika**, ₹58,000 5. 'Alina' tunic set. **Payal Singhal**, ₹54,500 6. Hoop earrings. **Amrapali Jewels**, price on request 7. Festive 'Lily' choker. **Vallyan**, ₹15,000 8. Mirrored statement cuff. **Isharya**, ₹12,790 9. Lamé sandals. **Charlotte Olympia**, ₹39,980 10. Clara crystal box bag. **Sophia Webster**, ₹29,090 11. Kate' cross-body bag. **Saint Laurent**, ₹1,06,540 12. Necklace. **Sangeeta Boodhra**, price on request 13. Off-shoulder crop top and lehenga. **Prathyusha Garimella**, ₹38,800

TUSHAR BHARDWAJ, SAVINA ZOUVALA, SUKUTTERBOX



POWER PAIRING

Petals and pastels, florals and flounce, print and polki—on trend elements for the new edition of the Indian trousseau.

On Ravynshi: Crystal jaali blouse, chickankari embroidered silk-satin sari; both **Monisha Jaisingh**.

Polki and pearls set in 22K gold mathapatti, polki 22K gold bangle; both **Hazoorilal Legacy - South**

Extension. *On Jelena:* Silk embroidered, lehenga, blouse; both

Payal Singhal. Victorian uncut diamond earrings, victorian tanzanite necklace, uncut diamond gold ring, uncut diamond, emerald gold ring, gold ring; all **Amrapali**