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# POWER DRESSING PANTS AND SUITS

**W**orking in a corporate office atmosphere doesn't always allow for much variation in your wardrobe. Essentially, nothing says 'in charge' or 'powerful' more than a business suit. However, it can get boring putting on the same basic pieces each day and only highlighting different color combinations. Fortunately, fashion designers are making their mark on women's business suits and changing them to meet the style demands of modern women by honing in on industry-wide trends and design elements.

Keeping your professional wardrobe current and fun can seem like a full-time job on its own! Trends change and add small updates to women's business suits.

## MIXING FABRICS

While traditional suits will always be considered to be 'in,' designers are also mixing fabrics to create a traditional look. This is truly a trend for all seasons since it works year round. Gone are the days of buying suits together as a matching set; you can now mix and match pieces and fabrics to create a more authentic look for the office.

Just be sure to choose pieces that bring together a complete suit because that is, and will always be, what's appropriate in the office.



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## COLOR VARIATIONS

Traditional women's business suits focus around the colors black, brown, and navy. These are great colors to have, but consider them just basics. Designers are now combining different colors, such as black skirts with a red jacket, as well as using different colors within the jackets and skirts themselves. This keeps the wardrobe more interesting and exudes a modern appeal in your attire.

## BOLD PRINTS

Designers are using bold prints to bring attention to the otherwise more basic piece in women's business suits. The proper way to flaunt this look is to choose one (blouse, skirt, jacket) in a bold print, and then choose neutral colors for the other pieces. Your accessories should be solid-toned pieces to keep the focal point on the

Topshop Unique  
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**"Paying attention to small details and updating pieces periodically will keep you current and on-trend at the office"**

While the world of fashion is constantly evolving, women's business suits are staples that remain the same for long stretches of time. Looking back, women will still pay a fortune whenever they walk into a vintage clothing store and come across the classic Chanel women's business suit because its classic look never goes out of style. However, paying attention to small details and updating pieces periodically will keep you current and on-trend at the office.

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# FUR AND PURR

## FUR COATS AND FUR EMBELLISHMENTS

**“In 2017 various fur coat models will be fashionable.”**

**W**omen fur coats are surely the most feminine and beautiful units of outer clothing, that is reason, why we will look through women fur coat trends 2017. This kind of clothes has been extremely popular for long years.

Besides stylish appearance the fur coat is multifunctional. Today it is clear that the fur materials have protective and efficient qualities. Besides, a trendy fur coat always reveals a delicate taste, unique features and a style feeling of its possessor and also makes the image more magnificent and charming. That is the main reason why for new 2017 season designers offer many collections of popular winter warm clothes. In 2017 various fur coat models will be fashionable.



**Sonia Rykiel**  
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However, fashion designers paid their attention to the length of coats. According to them, the massive long models have already been out of fashion and are replaced by the light feminine models.

Thus, the most fashionable fur coats for 2017 became the ones from hip to knee long. These options demonstrate perfectly slenderness and elegance and are also universal in combination with other clothes and shoes. Let's have a look on women fur coats 2017. The stylish youth models became very popular.

The short fur coats-jackets 2017 are made from different types of fur. This range implies a wide audience of different social status. The models of real fur coat remain the in the top of popularity as classical fur coat 2017. Mink coat, blue fox fur coat, raccoon, marten, lynx, ermine will be the most fashionable kinds of fur in 2017.



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## OVERSIZE FUR COAT FOR SEASON 2017

The oversize real fur coat 2017 is going to help you to underline your individuality and delicate nature in the image. This type of fur coat is mainly made of cheap fur such as sheep, goat, and mouton. Nevertheless, the oversize real fur coat in 2017 is distinguished by high wear-out resistance and efficiency in any period of cold season.



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**Ermanno Scervino**  
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## FASHIONABLE FUR COAT COLORS 2017

In 2017 the fashion has made an unexpected turn. Now the natural color of the outer clothes is considered mostly for an elegant, strict, classical image. The designers offer bright-colored models to those, who prefer frequent use of beautiful clothes. The most fashionable colors 2017 for real fur coats have become green-blue and brown-red ones. The designers offer extraordinary models of aquamarine, emerald, marsala, brick, red tree colors. If you prefer natural colors, then the fashionable ones will be the fur coats of different colors combinations such as lynx-fox, squirrel-rabbit and others.



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# DRESSY AND PRETTY SKIRTS AND DRESSES

The skirt is not just one type of female garment. This is a true attribute of femininity, naivety, beauty and gracefulness. A woman wearing a beautiful and modern skirt will be easily observed.

## HIGH WAISTED SKIRTS

It is known that the prototype of modern high waisted skirts appeared yet in ancient times. They began to gain a great popularity in the early 19th century, during the appearance of the empire style. Meanwhile, such skirts designs haven't left the ladies lockers, which can be explained by several factors. First, such skirts make the waistline look thinner. Secondly, these discretely shape the thighs line, giving the silhouette a feminine, elegant and original look. In addition, it is impossible not to mention that such high cut can be also present at skirts of absolutely any style and design.



Rachel Zoe  
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These can be flared skirts, pencil skirts, skirts with slits, midi skirts in new look style and many more.

## PLEATED SKIRTS

presence of folds clothes is another designer's trick that not leave the ped-fashion for over years. It is no secret elegant folds, that frame the feminine hips, can hide some imperfections of the body, which makes them present in the wardrobe of different ladies. Moreover, folds look very feminine and romantic and can refresh even the most severe outfits.



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Currently, the folds are used in the various fashion trends. Skirts can also be performed in various colors and their lengths can be absolutely different. If we look carefully at pleated skirts from the new designer collections, we can see that they mostly do not have decorative elements and details such as pockets, rhinestones, gems, strident cleft, etc. In this case, such a way of decorating can be absolutely useless because folds already represent a décor element

Passed are those times when ladies had an exclusive care of household chores and children. The time does not stand still, forcing us to comply with the new laws and standards of life. And if someday there were no notion of "office dress or suit," then today, these clothing items are always present in any fashionista's wardrobe. Today, women work on a par with men occupying important positions, contributing to the development of sectors such as economy, industry, culture, education and so on. Yet, despite the dynamic lifestyle, every woman must retain the most important thing: she was created to beautify the world. And ladies can perform this task with the help of stylish and fashionable dresses in style office.

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## PENCIL DRESS

The pencil dress represents a classic of the office fashion. This design fits all, hiding imperfections and emphasizing the slender feminine forms. Such dresses can be made of different fabrics and colors and can be decorated with peplum, decorative buttons, clasps, belts and bows, or can be left in minimalist style. Classic pencil dresses look very harmonious with many accessories (belts, gloves, hats, jewelry, purses, etc.).

## MINIMALIST STYLE

For those ladies who have not yet accustomed to experiment with their look, designers have designed a series of minimalist style dresses. The distinctive feature of this outfit is the complete lack of any kind of decor and faded monochromatic colors.



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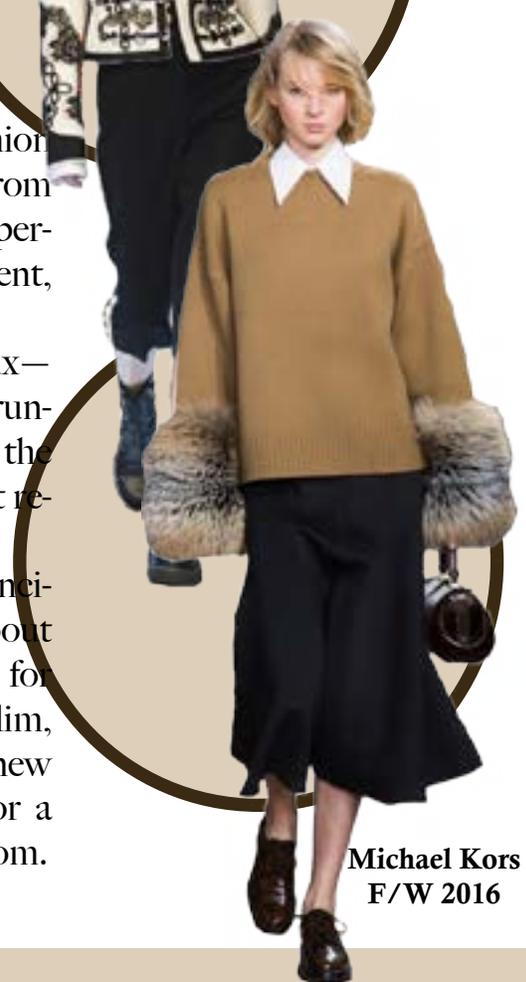


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Fall/Winter 2016's top-line fashion trends may be wildly different from each other, but they're all supercharged with one major element, which is creative electricity.

Overall, fur—both real and faux—made a strong showing on fall runways in various forms, but it was the use of bold colors and prints that really caught our eye.

Pants/suits it's probably not a coincidence that fashion wasn't shy about updating the dowdy pantsuit for fall—ahem, Hillary Clinton. Slim, stylish, and often colorful, the new power suit is just as suitable for a night out as it is for the boardroom.



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