

# 21 The Big Trends from the Spring '07 Paris Runways

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## Chic Redefined in Dallas

Earlier this month, Kristen Radakovich, a trained pastry chef, began serving up delicacies of a different kind to Dallas fashionistas hungry for a unique shopping experience. Linus Lounge, a high-end women's boutique located at 2724 Routh St., was inspired by the London boutiques of Jimmy Choo and Manolo Blahnik, Radakovich said. The 600-sq.-ft. space, a relaxing lounge and showroom where patrons can enjoy tea and wine beneath an antique Venini chandelier, pays homage to European chic with clean lines and sleek white walls. "I wanted the shoes to speak for themselves," said Radakovich, who brought in 400 pairs of "refined shoes with an edge" for the shop's inaugural fall/winter season. Through October, and by appointment thereafter, visitors can get a glimpse of styles never before seen in Dallas from designers including Rupert Sanderson, Rodo, Barbara Bui, Lario and Duccio Del Duca. Radakovich plans to offer two collections a year and anticipates unveiling the spring/summer '07 collection in March. — **Jessica Glavin**

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**NEW YORK** — BBC International LLC may have made its name in the children's licensed character and make-up footwear businesses, but the company has quietly grown into a major force in the branded arena.

In the last few months alone, BBC has picked up the licenses to the Roxy and Dinko brands from Disney, the kids'



# Think Pink

FFANY and QVC team up again for the 13th annual Shoes on Sale