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Since 1895, when the company's founder Daniel Swarovski pioneered his scintillating machine-cut crystal jewellery stones, Swarovski has continually pushed boundaries of innovation and crystal creativity. Today, CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ - Swarovski Elements, Swarovski's product brand for cut-crystal for fashion, jewellery and interiors, is the ultimate luxury ingredient. Unrivalled in quality, precision and consistency, it is known worldwide for its exceptional brilliance and irresistible range of colours and textures.

Taking the concept of individuality and self-expression to a new dimension, the CREATE YOUR STYLE with CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ - Swarovski Elements initiative leads the way forward into a new era of glamorous, personalised creativity and brings a fresh sophisticated elegance to the whole process of 'personal design'. The art of creating your own customised crystal style, either from scratch or by transforming an existing design, has grown to be an integral element of luxury today, part of a far-reaching, global trend - a cultural fusion of vintage, couture and street-style.

Within the pages of ALL THAT SPARKLES, you can begin to immerse yourself in this very phenomenon and become a part of this creative evolution. Explore the stunning pieces designed using CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ - Swarovski Elements, learn how to create your own amazing crystal jewellery; and discover more about the CREATE YOUR STYLE initiative, including its exciting new website and online community, where you can share your ideas and experiences with crystal aficionados in every corner of the world; browse new collections and keep up to date with news and information.

Self-expression is the new luxury. Dare to be yourself, and be the best you can be, with
CREATE YOUR STYLE with CRYSTALLIZED™ - Swarovski Elements.



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## BLING RINGS



# DARE TO DRESS YOUR HANDS WITH SOMETHING TRULY DAZZLING, USING CRYSTALLIZEDTM - Swarovski Elements 

Less may well be more in some circles; but there are occasions when only OTT glamour will do. This cocktail ring is an example of just such glorious excess, with more than 200 sparkling beads gathered in one gorgeous cluster onto a mesh disk. With this on your finger, your slightest gesture is bound to get you noticed.

To make a large 1 branch cut 50 cm of wire. At 3.5 cm from the end, bend wire at a $90^{\circ}$ angle. Place 53014 mm crystal $A B$ bead 1.5 cm from the angle. Bend the wire either side of the crystal then hold both strands together where the base of the twig will be with flatnosed pliers. Twist bead until the spiral is even creating a 0.5 cm twig. Continue adding crystals using the same method as illustrated *(Fig. la \& 1b). When the branch is 3.5 cm tall and contains about 18 beads twist the wire ends together 3 Repeat Steps One 3 and Two seven times to make eight large branches.

To make a small 4 branch, cut 15 cm wire. Approximately 1.5 cm from the end add a 53014 mm white opal bead. Bend the wire either side of the crystal then hold both strands together where the base of the twig will be with flat-nosed pliers, twist bead until the spiral is even creating a 0.5 cm twig. Add the next bead 1.5 cm along the wire and twist into place. Add one more bead in the same way.

## 5 Repeat Step Four

 5 six times to make seven small branches.Thread one of the small branches into the central hole of the sieve plate. Place the remaining small branches in the next ring of holes. Twist the wire tails together below the mesh to secure them into place. Trim the excess wire below the disk.

7 Thread the large branches into the remaining holes, (if you have more holes than branches, space them evenly around the disk). Twist the wire tails together below the mesh plate to secure them.

8 Trim excess wire below the mesh, you may find that you need to bend the wire slightly to allow the disk to fit into the ring base. Place the mesh disk into the ring base, and bend the bezel prongs over it using flat-nosed pliers to secure.

## Essentials

- CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {m }}$ Bead Art. 5301 4mm Crystal (001) 56 pcs. - CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {m }}$ Bead Art. 5301 4mm Crystal Aurora Boreale (001 AB) 63 pcs
- CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 5301 4mm White Opal (234) 63 pcs. - CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {m }}$ Bead Art. 5301
4.5 mm Crystal Silver Shade (001 SSHA) 63 pcs.
- Ring with mesh disk, hree rows deep (number of rows optional)
- Wire $0.4 \mathrm{~mm} \times 800 \mathrm{~cm}$ in length
- Wire cutters
- Flat-nosed pliers
*Please refer to page 28 for wiring and threading diagrams



## MAKING HISTORY

## THE SWAROVSKI STORY IS ONE OF INNOVATION, INSPIRATION, AND DEDICATION - TRAVELLING FROM A GLORIOUS PAST TO A DAZZLING FUTURE



For more than 113 years there has been one name that has been consistently and inextricably linked to precision cut crystal and fashion. The founder of the company, Daniel Swarovski I, was born in 1862 in Northern Bohemia, which happened to be the centre of a flourishing crystal and costume jewellery industry. In such a setting it's perhaps unsurprising that Daniel was fascinated with the colourful brilliance of faceted stones from his earliest years. Moreover, as a young man he showed an aptitude for invention and entrepreneurship that was to form the basis of what today is a family company employing more than 20,000 and with a presence in more than 120 countries.

In 1895 Daniel Swarovski moved to Wattens in Austria where he could generate his own electricity from alpine streams and keep the secrets of his inventions safe. He went into business at a time when the arts, literature music and science were cross-pollinating right across Central Europe; surrounded by the inspiration of Mitteleuropa and all that it represented, the company was steeped in culture, innovation and creativity from the outset.

## Shining Values

During the opening decades of the 20th century, Swarovski crystals became an essential ingredient in the heady world of high fashion. The company worked with iconic figures like Chanel, Schiaparelli, Balenciaga and later, Christian Dior. The glittering, light filled crystals were irresistible to artists like jazz singer Josephine Baker, then to Hollywood icons like Marlene Dietrich, Marilyn Monroe and Audrey Hepburn.

The success of the company today is directly related to the fact that the fourth and fifth generation family management still respect the principles of the Daniel Swarovski I: excellence in business practice and product quality, constant innovation, a desire to create products of great beauty, and the observance of meaningful humanistic values in all its dealings with its employees, business partners, the community and the environment.



Essentials

- CRYSTALLIZEDTM Bead Art. 5000 2mm Crystal Golden Shadow (001 GSHA) 7 pcs. Smoked Topaz (220) 14 pcs Jet (280) 7 pcs. - CRYSTALLIZEDTM Bead Art. 5000 4mm Mocca (286) 14 pcs. - CRYSTALLIZEDTM Bead Art. 5000 3mm Mocca (286) 14 pcs.
- CRYSTALLIZEDTM Pendant Art. 6007 $7 \times 4 \mathrm{~mm}$ Jet (280) 35 pcs

Stainless steel washer $24 \mathrm{~mm} \times 1$

Brass wire 0.35 mm diameter x lm

- Leather cord lmm diameter black x lm
- Ribbon band 5 mm diameter beige xlm

> Scissors

- Side cutters
- Jewellery glue
*Please refer to page 28 for wiring and glueing diagrams.



## JET SET

TINY BEADS JOSTLE NATURALLY INTO A FAB FLOWER ON THIS SUPER STYLISH PENDANT

If you want to add a classic yet glamorous finishing touch to your outfit then this flat-backed pendant is perfect. Its black and cocoa colour scheme is a combo which never dates, and clever wire work allows you to bead neatly around a disk which steady the shape.

Glue the end of the the washer and wrap the ribbon around it. Go through the hole and ensure the washer is covered. Secure the end of the ribbon at the back with a spot of glue. Leave to dry.
2 Cut one metre of brass wire. Wrap the wire once around and through the top of the washer, leaving a 5 cm tail at the front Thread on one 4 mm mocca, one 3 mm
mocca, one 2 mm smoked topaz and a 2 mm jet, wrap the wire around the washer and through the hole so that the beads sit at the front. Wrap the wire around the washer again to secure the beads in place. 3 Thread on five 6007
3 pendants, one 5000 golden shadow bead, one 4 mm mocca, one

3 mm mocca and one 2 mm smoked topaz. At the top of the washer form the 6007 pendant covered wire into a loop and twist to hold into place, *(Figs. 1 \& 2).
Thread the wire through the hole and wrap round once more to secure the beads.
$\triangle$ Repeat Steps Two

- and Three six times Twist the ends of the wire together to secure.

Fold them to the back of the pendant and trim with cutters.
5 Fold the cord in half,
5 thread the loop at the middle of it through the pendant between two 6007 pendant clusters, then thread both cord ends through the loop, pull tight so that the cord sits over one row of beads.

6 Tie a square knot
0.5 cm above the loop, *(Fig. 3). To make the necklace an adjustable length tie two slip knots at each end of the cord.


## COMMUNITY SPIRIT

## SHARE YOUR PERSONAL FLAIR FOR FASHION AND CREATIVITY WITH THE ONLINE PLATFORM COMMUNITY.CREATE-YOUR-STYLE.COM

Dare to design!
Since 1895, when Daniel Swarovski set out to create crystal jewellery beautiful enough to enchant both the eye and heart, Swarovski has carved out new parameters for crystal as a creative material. In keeping with the innate drive for innovation of the founder, the company's new product brand CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ Swarovski Elements provides the fashion, jewellery, accessories, and interiors industries with an ever wider palette of materials for transforming even the plainest objects into paragons of beauty.


## The CREATE YOUR STYLE online <br> community

In today's world, where creative selfexpression is the rule of the day, the seeds of imagination require a rich soil in order to grow into something truly unique. In providing members with a venue for introducing themselves and their work and exchanging ideas with fellow enthusiasts, CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ Swarovski Elements come a step closer to their source: the personal and professional designers who bring these ideas to life and create their style. This community offers crystal aficionados and creative design a truly global creative platform


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Upload photos, Upcoming create designs, design contest meet friends, share design tips, and more!
The exciting array of crystal beads, pearls and pendants of all shapes, sizes and colours that CRYSTALLIZEDTM Swarovski Elements offers can be combined with the most diverse materials - from fabric, leather and felt to paper and wood. Because the product assortment is updated twice per year, CRYSTALLIZEDTM Swarovski Elements are always a step ahead of international trends.

## What better

motivation to play an active part in the events of the online community, can you magine than the chance to win an exciting design contest? Look out for our upcoming European Design Contest, coming this Autumn 2008. You can even use the Design Tool on the site oo make your creative crystal vision a reality. Log on to WWW.CREATE-YOUR-STYLE.COM and let your inspiration be your guide!


# JOIN IN! GET CONNECTED! CREATE YOUR STYLE ONLINE COMMUNITY 

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Thanks to COMMUNITY.CREATE-YOUR-STYLE.COM, sparkling ideas and inspirations can now travel from one side of the planet to the other at lightning speed! All crystal aficionados whose imagination CREATE YOUR STYLE has sparked are now invited to swap creative ideas, seek expert advice, seek further design and style tips, and find out about upcoming international design competitions by becoming a part of this new online community.

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## PACIFIC DREAMS

## EXPLORE THE INFINITE WONDERS OF THE 'PEACEFUL SEA' WITH SHADES AND TEXTURES THAT REFLECT ITS SHIMMERING AND MYSTERIOUS BEAUTY

The latest additions to the CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ - Swarovski Elements product assortment take a plunge into the enthralling depths of the Pacific, embracing the deep azure blue of the water and discovering the infinitely fascinating treasures beneath its sparkling surface. These latest crystal colours and innovations are finely tuned to suit the trends for Spring Summer 2009, placing the perfect materials into the hands of passionate personal designers so they can express their own style in individually created jewellery and accessories.

Swarovski's trend team, constantly exploring international future drifts in lifestyle, culture and fashion, has discovered the desire to slow down and reflect on the quality of life, a reaction against the unending pace of rapid change in the modern world. The desire to embrace individuality is being expressed in a whole range of creative activities, along with intense concern for the environment, including the world's oceans. With a passion for a thoughtful and often nostalgic de-acceleration, individual expressions of design are becoming increasingly a part of the 21st century lifestyle.

## Perfect Palette

Crystal, like the ocean of peace, has an unmistakable magnetic attraction and creates boundless design possibilities when combined with the pacific trend of coloured metals, aquatic textures and translucent layers. The new arrivals to the CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ - Swarovski Elements collection are a pure catalyst for creativity; a design language that has the power to inspire the desire to bring precisioncut crystal poetry into individual design while evoking the batik-like applications of the Pacific trend.


As well as capturing the sparkling surface and subtle depths of the ocean itself, the CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{T M}$ - Swarovski Elements collection is enriched this season by the colours Mocca (286) and Sand Opal (287). The first expresses earthy tones overlaid with rich chocolate and caramel, while Sand Opal is a raw beige, which, like the warm sandy stretches on the Pacific coast, brings the promise of renewal and regeneration. At the same time sophistication meets nobility in the Crystal Deep Brown Pearl. The pure embodiment of traditional elegance, this crystal pearl is richly reminiscent of the finest Italian leather turned opalescent in creamy tones.

## Shaping Up

The Cosmic Baguette Flat Back and the Cosmic Triangle have the power to enhance both classic and modern designs. The Baguette's clean geometric structure opens up boundless design possibilities. The Cosmic Triangle offers a sophisticated irregular cut in a sharp graphic design - a perfect reflection of the current runway trends. The Galactic Flat Fancy Stone, with its unique, otherworldly shape is an exceptionally brilliant example of the trend in irregular cuts and the latest Swarovski design language. The Keystone Bead with two holes is WONDERSTREASURES DEPIISAZUREBRACING plunge


# MOCCA MOMENT 

# ALL YOU NEED TO MASTER FOR THIS STRIKING PIECE ARE SAILOR-STYLE KNOTS WHICH ANCHOR THE GORGEOUSLY CHUNKY STONES 

This season it's all about mixing up your CRYSTALLIZED™ - Swarovski Elements for a relaxed look, and here the blend of soft leather-look lace, and super-shine offer a high-impact effect that is simple to copy, and oh-so-easy to wear.

Cut 250 cm of cord. 1 Glue the ends to make them stiff and prevent fraying.
Starting 30 cm from the end, loop the cord over your needle, *(Fig. 1) 14mm from the needle start to coil the cord around the shorter length working up towards the needle, *(Fig. 2). When you
reach the needle, thread the cord through the eye and pull through the loop at the top of the coil to form the first knot, *(Fig. 3).
3 Thread on the 5621 3 twist bead, and repeat Step Two to form a second knot. Thread on the 5150 crystal copper modular bead
and leave a 20 mm gap before the next knot. 4 Attach the 4139 golden shadow cosmic ring; thread the cord through the ring from back to front, then behind the cord next to the knot. Bring the cord back to the front of the ring, through the hole, and up through the loop of cord at the back of
the ring, *(Fig. 4) Repeat Step Two 5 Join the 4139 5 crystal silver shade cosmic ring using the method as above, then add the 413914 mm tabac ring, and loop back through the silver shade one. Repeat Step Two, making the knot half the normal size. Add a 5000 bead and then another half knot.


knotting glueing

## Essentials

- CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$

Fancy Stone Art. 4139,
Cosmic Ring, 14 mm Crystal Tabac ( 001 TAB) 1 pc. Crystal Golden Shadow (001 GSHA) 1 pc.

- CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$

Fancy Stone Art. 4139,
Cosmic Ring, 20mm
Crystal Silver Shade (001 SSHA) 1 pc. Crystal Tabac ( 001 TAB) 1 pc .
Crystal Copper
(001 COP) 1 pc.
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 5000 8mm Mocca (286) 5 pc.
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 5041 Briolette Bead, 18 mm Crystal Golden Shadow (001 GSHA) 2 pcs.
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 5150, Modular Bead, 23xllmm Crystal Copper (001 COP) 1 pc.
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 5150, Modular Bead, $15 x 7 \mathrm{~mm}$ Crystal Golden Shadow (001 GSHA) 1 pc
CRYSTALLIZEDTM
Bead Art. 5531, Aquiline Bead, 28 mm and 36 mm Crystal Golden Shadow (001 GSHA) 1 pc.
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {M }}$
Bead Art. 5556, Galactic Bead, $11 x 19 \mathrm{~mm}$ Crystal Golden Shadow (001 GSHA) l pc.
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 5556, Galactic Bead, 13x24mm Crystal Copper (001 COP) 1 pc.
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 562l, Twist Bead, 22mm Crystal Silver Shade ( 001 SSHA) 1 pc
Waxed cotton thread
$\times 2.5$ metres
Scissors

- Jewellery glue
- Flat-nosed pliers

Yarn needle (suitable for 1 mm cord)
*Please refer to page 28 for knotting diagrams

## A SPARKLING OCCASION

## PREPARE TO BE SWEPT OFF YOUR FEET BY THE ENDLESS OPPORTUNITIES OF CRYSTAL WEDDING CREATIVITY




# BEAUTY QUEEN <br> LAVISH SOME SPECIAL ATTENTION ON YOUR HANDS AND DRESS THEM UP IN A REGAL RING FIT FOR A PRINCESS 

This gorgeously grandiose piece of jewellery is easy to make and effortless to wear. Simply follow our guide to threading shimmery CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ - Swarovski Elements onto nylon thread to form a majestic cluster of light-reflecting beads. Add a fancy stone in a striking shade to underline the bold statement still further. Your friends will be green with envy!

Cut one metre of 1 monofilament, add four 5301 beads to it and move to the centre of the thread. Take the left end of the monofilament and thread through the first bead on the right-hand side, allowing the strand to create a loop; the thread will cross over inside this one bead. Pull tight.
Thread a bead 2 through each end and allow them to drop down to the loop of beads. Add a bead to the left-hand end of the monofilament and thread the right-hand end through this bead in the opposite direction (crossing over inside the bead). Repeat another 16 times to create a chain. 3 Add a bead to one 3 end and thread through the first bead you added, taking care not to twist the chain of beads. Add a bead to the other end, thread through the first bead in the opposite direction and
then through the bead added at the start of this step, so the threads crossover inside the bead. Pull tight to form a ring, *(Fig. 1).
$\triangle$ Add three beads to 4 the end on the right, with the other end thread upwards through the last bead to form a oop, *(Fig. 2). Thread the end that is pointing downwards (towards the ring) through the next bead on the original ring. Add two beads to the end that is pointing upwards. Thread the other end through the last bead added (so that the ends cross over inside the bead). 5 Continue adding beads in this way until you are back at the first bead added in step four. Add one bead to close the ring, crossing the thread over in the bead. Thread one of the
ends down to the bottom row threading through three beads. Thread through all of the outer beads in a circle going through the first two beads twice. Pull the thread tight - so the bottom of the bezel ring closes. Tie a knot around the ring of monofilament in between two beads. Holding the thread just below the knot with a pair of tweezers, use a lighter to melt the end. 7 Place the Erinite stone in the bezel Stone in the bezel
with foiled side facing downwards. With the remaining end of remaining end of
monofilament thread
through all of the top rows of beads in a circle. Pull tight to hold the stone in place. Take the monofilament down through several beads to the bottom row. Tie a knot around the ring of monofilament in between two beads. O Holding the thread - just below the knot with a pair of tweezers use a lighter to melt the end. Cut 50 cm of monofilament. Thread

## through the centre bead

 on the long edge underneath of the bezel. Make sure both ends of monofilament are the same length. Add one bead onto each side then add a third bead crossing the ends in the bead. Repeat 13 times or until the ring is the right length for you.
## Essentials

- CRYSTALLIZEDTM

Fancy Stone Art. 4527 $18 \mathrm{~mm} \times 13 \mathrm{~mm}$ Erinite F (360) 1 pc
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {Tm }}$ Bead Art. 5301 3mm Crystal Comet Argent Light (001 CAL) 133 pcs.

- Nylon thread
(monofilament)
0.15 mm diameter up
to $0.3 \mathrm{~mm} \times 150 \mathrm{~cm}$
- Scissors
- Fine-tipped tweezers
- Lighter
*Please refer to page 28 for beading diagrams.



# BY DESIGN 

## PROFESSIONAL JEWELLERY MAKERS LOVE THE CRYSTALLIZED™ _ Swarovski Elements RANGE. HERE, TWO TALENTED DESIGNERS EXPLAIN WHY CRYSTALS ROCK THEIR WORLD...



Aneeza Ejaz is creative director of Papilio London (www.papiliolondon.com), designing and making beautifully crafted jewellery, which is distributed in the UK, Italy and Hong Kong. She also designs and consults on accessories for shoes and evening clutch bags and is due to launch her own range in the near future.

How did your career get started? I have always had a love and understanding for arts and crafts since my childhood, really. I grew up as part of a highly creative family, surrounded by jewellery and embroidery. I studied design-based subjects to degree level, then
enhanced these skills further by learning more about embroidery, weaving and wire work while travelling to South East and Far East Asia. This enabled me to acquire techniques from highly gifted and skilled craftspeople - which led me to create my own range of jewellery and accessories.


How would you describe your style?
Beautifully crafted using quality materials - this is really important to me. I like jewellery that is definitely different, so the wearer stands out, but that is still as easy to wear in the day as in the evening. I enjoy wearing pieces in unexpected ways, such as using a necklace as a bracelet or belt. My love of colour shading and combining, as well as of symmetry, is apparent in a lot of my work. Oh, and I also go off-the-wall crazy for some pieces!

## cRAFISUNDERSTANDING

 ENHANCEASTAGIFIEDFASHionWhat do you love about
CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ - Swarovski Elements? CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Swarovski Elements is the genius of crystal! The luminosity, colour range and finishes are second to none. The collections of crystals in their various shapes, sizes and colours have the capacity to be created and interpreted into so many different combinations - the sky's the limit, in fact! What I love about crystal is how versatile it is in fashion, interiors, lighting and theatre design - the list of potential uses goes
on... In short, it's a timeless product with endless possibilities and the constant surprise of innovation. It's dynamic on its own as well as when used with other materials - check out the range of CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ - Swarovski Elements and other materials at Bead Shop Covent Garden www.bead works.co.uk.
What do you think makes a good piece of jewellery? Good finishing is important - it's really easy to do, and not only does it look nice and professional, it will
prolong the life of your piece. As a general rule, in order to make gorgeous jewellery, you'll need some good tools, a mat, a little planning and organisation... and a generous helping of passion!
When trying to come up with ideas, look at some colour and shape combinations around you. Perhaps you could draw inspiration from nature, picking up on the various shades of flowers in your garden, or fruit in a bowl on your coffee table. At the same time, be aware of a little of what is current in the worlds of fashion, fabrics and interiors. Browse through magazines and interpret things that
please you into your own unique piece. Try and pick up little trinkets from markets or on your travels - making a truly personal and meaningful charm bracelet can be a great starting point for any budding jewellery designer. You can also visit my website (www.papiliolondon.com) to learn about techniques, download easy projects, and sign up for classes. Oh, and always tidy up your crystals and beads afterwards!

What jewellery are you wearing at the moment?
A pair of exquisitely cratted goldfill wire work earrings made using CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Swarovski Elements and semiprecious stones.


Australian-born Claire Aristides (www.clairearistides.com) is one of the most exciting and inspirational jewellery designers working in the UK today. Her fresh, timeless pieces have featured on national TV as well as in countless magazines, and her immensely popular jewellery workshops always receive rave reviews.

## How did your career get

 started?I've been fascinated by jewellery since I was very little. I'm Australian, but we travelled a lot as a family, because of my father's job. My mother had a fabulous leather vanity case that came with her everywhere we went, and it was crammed with necklaces, bracelets and earrings
that she'd picked up in
Turkey, Spain and Greece, along with stunning gold pieces featuring intriguing Chinese characters, from Asia. This was in the 70 s, so it was a time of extremely flamboyant, colourful fashion, and she certainly embraced the style! I used to love playing with the contents of that vanity case, and discovering how differently beautiful all the items in it were. Eventually, I started messing around with beads and chains and making my own jewellery. It was

quite a long journey for me - I've never had any formal training - but when I moved to the UK I felt I was ready to set up a website and start sharing my designs.

How would you describe your style?
I'm a person who loves colour; I adore working with all kinds of shades, both subtle and vivid. I mostly create with chains, beads and crystals and I've been doing a lot more work with wire recently, too. I like to think that I am bringing out the best
in the stones, which are often extremely beautiful to start with!

## What do you

love about
CRYSTALLIZEDTM - Swarovski Elements?
Oh, I use them all the time! They're just beautiful, and the choice of colour is amazing. In fact, I'd go so far as to say that they're a necessity for me . The 4 mm bicone in gold, for example, will lighten and brighten any project. Single, large elements, such as cupchains and pendants, are so stunning, and great for
building a design around. I've also recently launched a new range, called Love and Luxe, making use of huge, chunky crystals in bold statement colours to create wearable yet glamorous and standout pieces that look far more expensive than they are!
What do you think makes a good piece of jewellery?

I think complementing an outfit is important. And on top of that, you can instinctively tell when a piece has been thought through
and designed with someone's personality, as well as their appearance, in mind.

## What jewellery

 are you wearing at the moment?I have three rings on one finger, a bracelet on the other wrist and earrings made with crystals and freshwater pearls. I'll often wear something throughout the day so that I can make a proper judgement on it in the evening.

Oh, and I've mixed gold and silver - it always used to be said that you shouldn't do that, but I think it's fine to break the rules if it looks good!



# TREASURE TROVE 


wiring glueing

## KEEP YOUR PRIZED POSSESSIONS IN A SUITABLY SPARKLY BOX WITH CRYSTALLIZEDTM - Swarovski Elements

Precious keepsakes need a special storage space and there's nothing more unique than a box customised with dazzling CRYSTALLIZED™ - Swarovski Elements. The geometric pattern and elegantly luxurious centrepiece hint at the wealth of treasures hidden inside.

1 Using a pencil and _ ruler mark out the positions for the 10 mm square flat backs on the box lid, following the diagram, leave 3 mm between squares. Starting in the centre with the 2028 ss12 topaz and 2028 ss12 crystal dorado glue the stones into position using the diagram as a guide, *(Fig. 1).
Add the 2028 ss12 _ crystal dorado at the corners followed by the 2028 ss5 topaz. You may find it easier to apply the glue using the end of a headpin and to add the stones using tweezers. Glue the 2483 10 mm topaz to the corners and the 2483 10 mm crystal dorado between them. ,

3 Using a needle pierce a hole in the centre of the box lid. Continue adding crystals as shown in the diagram, starting with the 2028 ss 12 crystal dorado *(Fig. 2). Decorate the sides of the box lid as shown, *(Fig. 3).
Cut five 12 cm - lengths of wire. Create a right angle in the centre of four of the pieces. Onto one of these pieces thread beads 5301 4mm crystal dorado $2 \times 5301$ 3 mm topaz,

53014 mm crystal dorado, 53013 mm topaz and 53014 mm crystal dorado $2 x$. Thread two 5040 8mm topaz beads onto the other end.

- Thread the end of 5 wire with a 5301 bead on, through the 5040 bead, closer to the
other wire end. Pull tight to form a loop. Add a 53014 mm crystal dorado $2 \times 53013 \mathrm{~mm}$ topaz, 53014 mm crystal dorado, 53013 mm topaz, 53014 mm crystal dorado $2 x$ to the three right-angle pieces of wire.


## 6 Thread the end

without beads through both of the

5040 8mm topaz beads. Thread the other end through the 5040 bead nearer the wire ends, *(Fig. 4). Repeat with the other two pieces of wire. Thread a 5000 4 mm crystal dorado bead into the centre of the fifth piece of wire. 7 Bend the wire either side of the bead and thread both ends through a 50406 mm topaz bead and through the centre of the bead
cluster going through both 50408 mm topaz beads. Thread all the wire ends through the hole in the centre of the box lid. Thread a 5040 8 mm topaz bead onto the wires underneath the box lid.
Separate five wires and add a 5040 6 mm topaz bead to the remaining five wires. Match each of the upper five wires with one of the lower ones. Twist the pairs together to secure the beads in place and trim.

## Essentials

CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ Flat Back No Hotfix Art. 2028 SS5 Topaz (203) 300 pcs. SS12 Topaz (203) 4 pcs. SS5 Crystal Dorado (001 DOR) 60 pcs. SS12 Crystal Dorado (001 DOR) 100 pcs.

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Flat Back No Hotfix Art. 2483 10mm Crystal Dorado (001 DOR) 4 pcs. 10mm Topaz (203) 4 pcs. CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ Bead Art. 50004 mm Crystal Dorado $2 \times(001$ DOR 2) 1 pc .

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Bead Art. 5040 6mm Topaz (203) 2 pcs. 8mm Topaz (203) 3 pcs.

- CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 5301 3mm Topaz (203) 8 pcs. 4 mm Crystal Dorado 2 x (001 DOR 2) 12 pcs.
Cardboard box 7 cm squared
- Jewellery glue
- Brass wire
$0.3 \mathrm{~mm} \times 60 \mathrm{~cm}$ in length
Pencil
- Wire cutters

Ruler

- Needle

Optional items
Headpin, flat-nosed pliers, tweezers
*Please refer to page 28 for wiring and glueing diagrams.


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Fig. 1


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## GLOWING UR <br> GIVE FAIRY LIGHTS A GLAMOROUS MAKEOVER WITH DELICATE LATTICEWORK DRESSES DRIPPING WITH CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ <br> - Swarovski Elements

These sexy lights are sure to become the centre of attention, and are just too glamorous to be hidden on a tree. Drape them around a mirror or mantelpiece where they can twinkle in full view.

- Thread on a - selection of beads followed by a selection of pendants, do not cut the wire from the reel or spool. Leaving a 25 cm tail after the last pendant form a slip knot in the wire over your crochet hook Wrap the wire around the hook from back to front and pull through the slip knot to make a chain.
2 Repeat to form Lthree chain stitches. Bring the first pendant up to the crochet hook then form another chain stitch so that the pendant sits at the bottom of it.
2 Continue forming chain stitches and adding pendants at random until you have 28 chain stitches leaving the last three free of pendants. Turn the work around so that the first pendant is on your left (right if you are left-handed).

Skip two chain 4 stitches then pick up the front and back loops from the third wire over the hook then pull through one stitch only then wire over and pull through both stitches on your hook (double crochet, *Fig. 1 $\mathrm{a}, \mathrm{b}, \mathrm{c})$. Make two chain stitches, then a third with the next bead/pendant on. - Skip a stitch in the original chain and then repeat Step Four to link the chains.
Repeat Steps Four \& Five to form shape illustrated *(Fig. 2), adding beads at random. Cut wire leaving a 5 cm tail and pull through last stitch. Fold cone in half along line of symmetry.
7 Use the initial 25 cm tail to zip up the cone by weaving the wire through the edge stitches.
Q Thread the light through the hole in the top of the cone. Wrap the remaining wire tails around the cable of the light starting just after the bulb to hold the cone in place.


Essentials

- CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. 50006 mm Amethyst (204) 20 pcs. Jonquil (213) 20 pcs. Padparadscha (542) 20 pcs. - CRYSTALLIZEDTM Bead Art. 5000 8mm Chrysolite (238) 20 pcs. Rose Alabaster (293) 20 pcs. Violet (371) 20 pcs. Erinite Aurora Boreale ( 360 AB ) 20 pcs. Fireopal (237) 20 pcs.
- CRYSTALLIZED ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Bead Art. $52009 \times 6 \mathrm{~mm}$ Crystal Aurora Boreale (001 AB) 20 pcs.


EQUIPYOURSELF
ESSENTIAL COMPONENTS AND INSTRUMENTS YOU NEED TO CREATE YOUR OWN BEAUTIFUL AND DURABLE JEWELLERY


## FABULOUS FINDINGS

These findings are essential for creating jewellery and here are the most common ones you will use

## Crimp Bead/Tube

By using crimp beads, you can position pearls or beads, anywhere on the thread. They are also used for attaching clasps for a professional finish. Crimp breads vary in size, dependent on the diameter of the thread or wire. Choose either crimp beads or tubes according to your design and always ensure you use pliers in the appropriate size.

## Lobster-clasp

Clasps are used to attach the two ends of a necklace or bracelet and come in many different shapes and sizes. A lobster clasp, is a highly functional but still decorative clasp and is easily applied to every thread. Different clasp sizes and a large range of platings ensure that individual designs can be finished perfectly.

## Split \& Jump Rings

These are essential linking elements in the creation of jewellery, and these different sized and plated components can be used for attaching clasps or as an alternative to them. The only difference is that split rings have two loops - like a key-ring - and therefore offer more security, although jump rings are perfect for attaching pendants.

## French Wire

Perfect for creating a high-value-looking finishing by hiding the end of any thread. It comes in different platings to suit any design and in varying diameters for many kinds of stringing materials.


## Headpin/Eyepin

A headpin is a thin wire with a small disc at the end, available in a range of sizes. They are used as a linking element for beads, chains or other items, such as earrings. And are especially useful for fastening components onto sieves (refer to our bling ring project) loops, or rings. An eyepin is a thin wire with a loop at one end and is used for linking beads and chains together. Different platings and sizes make these suitable to any individual design.

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