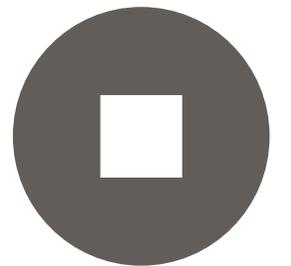




Rarer than diamonds

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There are stones rarer, more precious, even arguably more beautiful.

And yet diamonds still pull us in, hypnotically. Savvy marketing has convinced us that a perfectly clear, clinically white, glittering diamond is the ultimate in luxury. But why? A diamond's 'flaws' are its unique fingerprint. They are remnants of the incredible forces of nature, over millions of years, that created the stone. Tiny traces of other minerals found in a gemstone can give clues to its origin, and can unlock the secrets of pre-history, revealing the movement of continents billions of years ago.

For the 'Rarer than Diamonds' exhibition at e.g.etal, our artists have designed jewellery that celebrates the incredible natural formation that is a diamond, in all and any of its forms: from traditional brilliant white to black, brown, uncut, reclaimed, icy, and other unusual variations.

By revaluating what constitutes beauty and preciousness, we can begin to embrace stones that were once considered valueless. Whether examining the marble-like black and white threads that run through a salt-and-pepper diamond, or admiring the frosty, diffused glow of an opaque 'icy' diamond.

For this exhibition, each artist has created something of uncommon beauty: a piece that gives a sense of rarity to the most ubiquitous of stones.

Featuring work by Welfe Bowyer, Katherine Bowman, Julia deVille, Emma Goodsir, Sarah Heyward, Vikki Kassioras, Katherine Leopoldseder, Romy Mittleman, Amy Renshaw, Claire Taylor, Katherine Wardill and Suzi Zutic.





Katherine Bowman
My Relic Ring
18ct yellow gold
Old cut diamonds, princess cut diamond, white diamond,
champagne diamond
\$3,480



Welfe Bowyer
Sunken Pyramid Ring
18 white gold, diamonds
\$6,310



Welfe Bowyer
Octahedron ring
18ct rose gold
Uncut Argyle diamond
\$3,950



Julia deVille
Flame Ring
18ct white gold, champagne diamonds
\$6,900



Julia deVille
Deco Ring
18ct white gold, champagne diamonds
\$6,400



Emma Goodsir
Drift Ring
18ct yellow gold, sterling silver, diamond
\$17,900



Emma Goodsir
In The Shade Ring
18ct yellow gold, coloured diamonds
\$4,300



Sarah Heyward
Galaxy 'Diamonds' Ring Part 1
Sterling silver, fine silver, 22ct yellow gold, 18ct yellow gold,
rough diamond cubes.
\$1,780



Sarah Heyward
Galaxy 'Diamonds' Ring Part 2
Sterling silver, fine silver, 22ct yellow gold, 18ct yellow gold, rose
cut rough diamonds.
\$2,055



Sarah Heyward
Galaxy 'Diamonds' Ring Part 3
Sterling silver, fine silver, 22ct yellow gold, 18ct yellow gold,
rough diamond cube, red rose cut rough diamond.
\$1,880



Vikki Kassioras
Pinnacle Pendant
18ct yellow gold, princess cut Australian champagne diamond
\$2,330 (with chain)



Katheryn Leopoldseder
Golden Star Ring
18ct yellow gold, rose cut diamond.
\$2,610



Katheryn Leopoldseder
Radiant Star Architectural Ring
18ct white gold, brilliant cut diamond.
\$3,610

Matching wedder
18ct white gold, diamonds
\$2,060



Katheryn Leopoldseder
Radiant Star Stud Earrings
18ct white gold, brilliant cut diamonds.
\$2,890



Romy Mittelman
Rough Diamond Ring
18ct white gold, rough diamond.
\$2,270



Amy Renshaw
Tulip Ring
18ct yellow gold, champagne diamond.
\$3,850



Amy Renshaw
Black Ring
18ct white gold, black diamond, champagne diamonds.
\$4,100



Claire Taylor
Art Deco Ring
18ct yellow gold, square diamond.
\$2,800



Claire Taylor
Art Deco Earrings
18ct yellow gold, diamonds.
\$2,290



Kathryn Wardill
Coral Garden Ring - Circle of Fins 14
Sterling silver, rough black diamond
\$380



Kathryn Wardill
Coral Garden Ring - Circle of Fins 17
Sterling silver, cube diamond.
\$380



Coral Garden Ring - Tall
Sterling silver, rough black diamond
\$260



Kathryn Wardill
Coral Garden Ring - Short
Sterling silver, rough black diamond
\$260



Suzi Zutic
Indian Summer Ring
18ct yellow gold, opaque yellow diamond, champagne
diamonds
\$5,170



Suzi Zutic
Arctic Winter Ring
18ct yellow gold, icy white diamonds, white diamonds
\$5,932



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