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Sarah Silverman
Rocks Her Own L.A. Style

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SALAD WARS AND FESTIVAL FOOD

DO
COASTAL GETAWAY AND THE ACE OF BASS

HOW TO DRESS IN L.A.

Flash some bra? Why not?

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Leather pants in April? Yes, you can.

DAY

GO FROM WORK APPROPRIATE TO DINNER READY IN SECONDS. KNOW WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN A SUIT, AND DISCOVER ALTERNATIVES TO SWEATS AND A TEE.



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IF YOU CHOOSE not to wear a suit every day and just wear jeans and a shirt, don't go for baggy jeans and a Hawaiian shirt. Wear a jean that's tailored to your body and a nice casual shoe or designer sneaker. It kills me when I see men wearing square-toe shoes—I want to hit them on the head with them. When I became an agent after college, I was told I needed to wear a suit, so I bought some suits. Then I started to wear pocket squares. I remember people talking about it. I went to a meeting, and Ari Emanuel looked at me and said, "What the *F* is with those things in your pocket?" This is where everything changed—when I realized I knew what "style" was. I went out and bought a shit-ton of pocket squares.



MEDIA MAVEN

→ A patterned frock like this one, from Alice + Olivia, transitions easily from daytime photo shoots to after-work drinks with clients. If you add a coat, it should be shorter than the dress. A clutch from Diane Von Furstenberg never goes out of style.

ADD A CHARLOTTE
OLYMPIA PUMP



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HOW TO PULL OFF...

L.A.'S WARM climate and casual vibe mean we can get away with otherwise off-limits fashion moves. But you have to know how to do them just right.

GOING SOCKLESS

➤ When choosing footwear, think thin. Loafers, slim-soled dressies, and driving shoes make that flash of bare calf look fashion-forward, not "Where's the food?" Pant hems should hit the ankle. Any higher and you might be mistaken for a castaway.

WEARING A SWEATSHIRT

➤ Yo, Flashdance, drop the scissors. The fresh way to elevate an ultrasual piece is by upgrading everything else, like pairing it with a pencil skirt and heels. Roll up the

sleeves to mid-forearm, add a long necklace, and you've gone from sorority sister to under-stated sexy.

SPORTING A TANK TOP

➤ The straps are spaghetti, so why is the bra underneath fet-tucine? Invest in a strapless style that won't show through the fabric. Save the black lace under white cotton for your Rihanna impersonation on "Karaoke Night."

WORKING IN DUNGAREES

➤ Bad jeans are like sad stuffed animals. If they're missing a button or too distressed, give them a shoe box burial and replace them with jeans in a dark indigo or black rinse. Go easy with the washing machine, and steer clear of the dryer (instead of dry cleaning, some premium denim brands recommend putting them in the freezer). A leather belt adds polish.

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