



BANANA REPUBLIC

FALL JEWELRY  
COLLECTION 2021

## Aureus + Argent Our Story

Aureus + Argent, a new jewelry company, is a celebration of the treasures of the natural world and the global community. The jewelry is designed to highlight earth's authentic beauty—from the captivating intricacies and nuanced color of gemstones to the innate appeal of elemental metals. The Aureus + Argent name, derived from the Latin words for golden and silver, speaks to the alchemy of jewelry-making. Our design aesthetic is rooted in a deep appreciation of global cultures, jewelry forms and traditions, melded with a modern sensibility. We favor handmade jewelry and work with artisans who preserve the ancient crafts of gem cutting and metalsmithing. At the heart of the collection is the desire to design and make jewelry that has an effortless and timeless appeal.

The founders, husband and wife team Scott and Pamela Donnellan, are like-minded in their love of creativity, design, and adventure. Presaging his future life, Scott developed his affinity for design—along with a fascination for gems and minerals—at a very young age. Scott spent the early part of his professional career helping to engineer the rebranding and early explosive growth of Pottery Barn. Scott later founded the much-loved wholesale home furnishings brand Roost and was influential in many product design trends over the last twenty years. Pamela built her career in product design, development and merchandising working with Pottery Barn, Illuminations, and others. In recent years she collaborated with Scott, and a talented team, to curate all aspects of the Roost product and merchandising experience. Pamela has also nurtured a life-long love of fashion and jewelry. For their latest venture, Scott and Pamela bring a vast knowledge of product design, craftsmanship, metalworking, and gemstones to the creation of the Aureus + Argent jewelry collection.

Aureus + Argent is thrilled to collaborate with Banana Republic to create and curate a jewelry collection filled with inspired style worthy of any adventure.





AUREUS + ARGENT  
WANDERLUST COLLECTION





# WANDERLUST COLLECTION

Our Aureus + Argent Wanderlust Jewelry Collection captures our love of adventure—it speaks to the places we've traveled and those we have yet to visit. The pieces are hand-crafted by jewelry artisans with authentic materials: warm-toned brass that will deepen in color with wear or polished gold-plating, some set with semi-precious stones such as glowing, iridescent moonstone and fiery labradorite. We've created a playful study of shape, pattern and texture, from over-sized abstract leaf designs originating in the jungles of Costa Rica to reimagined geometric silhouettes that evoke the treasures of the ancient Nile Valley and the Moroccan Souk. Transport your wardrobe with intriguing and fun jewelry pieces that hint at voyages past and inspire your next destination.



## ABSTRACT LEAF PENDANT & STATEMENT EARRINGS

The Abstract Leaf Pendant and Statement Earrings add an enticing touch of the exotic to any outfit. Made of hammered brass with slight variations in tone and polish. Earwires are gold-plated brass.



## BRASS FEATHER NECKLACE

Slender brass feathers swing from a brass chain in a length that encourages necklace layering.



## CHAIN TASSEL EARRINGS

Long dangling tassel earrings are made from brass chain with gold-plated brass earwires.



## ESCALA STATEMENT RING

This gently curved and highly polished statement ring is formed from brass with a sinuous scallop pattern.



## GEOMETRIC HAMMERED EARRINGS

These shapely earrings were inspired by the horseshoe—a totem that symbolizes good luck. Each earring is hand-cut and formed from brass sheet, gently hammered and then finished with polished silver-plating. Posts are sterling silver.

## WANDERLUST COLLECTION



### HALF MOON CASCADING PENDANT

This pendant necklace is handmade from a playful cascade of brass discs artfully folded to resemble shining half-moons.



### BRASS DOTS EARRINGS

Overlapping brass circles form a cascade of dots that are mounted together to encourage rather than impede movement in each piece. Earrings have sterling silver posts.



### HALF MOON PENDANT

Gently burnished brass is hand-cut into a curvy half-moon-shaped pendant, delicately hammered and hung from a doubled brass chain; length is adjustable.



### LABRADORITE SOFT BANGLE

Semi-precious labradorite gemstones have a brilliant, subtly shifting blue and green fire that shines from within. Two beautifully faceted stones adorn a bangle that wraps gently around the wrist on a polished brass bangle.



### ARTA BRASS LONG EARRINGS

Warm-toned brass is hand-cut and hammered on both sides to create attractive texturing in our Arta Brass Earrings. The earrings have gold-plated brass ear wires.



### TAB HOOPS

Simple hoop earrings crafted from gold-plated brass feature a dangling and subtly brushed tab detail.



## WANDERLUST COLLECTION



### TEXTURED DROP EARRINGS

The bark of birch trees has lovely striations that we've echoed in the design of these Textured Drop Earrings. The pieces are cast using the lost-wax process, to resemble real bark. The earrings have gold-plated brass ear wires.



### CLEO TILE EARRINGS

These stylish earrings made of cascading brass squares are reminiscent of jewelry Cleopatra might have worn and make a statement with a certain modern élan.



### TILE AND STONE EARRINGS & TILE BRACELET

Handsome curved edge brass tiles are hand-cut, wire-brushed and polished smooth for our linked tile earrings and bracelet. The earrings are finished with square faceted brass-edged stones—either glowing white moonstones or shimmering blue labradorite. The earrings have gold-plated brass ear wires. The bracelet is adjustable in size.



### MAYA WOVEN CUFF

Strands of golden brass wire are carefully woven in a tight weave on a sturdy frame to create a beautifully undulating statement cuff.



AUREUS + ARGENT  
NEW CLASSICS COLLECTION





# NEW CLASSICS COLLECTION

For this collection of timeless jewelry classics—chain necklaces and bracelets, cuffs and post earrings—we've reinterpreted the familiar forms with eye-catching sculpted shapes, artisanal hammering and other hand-worked details. Each piece is crafted in brass, a metal with an authentic appeal that becomes beautifully burnished with wear.



## BRASS LINKS CHAIN COLLECTION

Distinctively sculptural hand-forged brass links and toggle clasps form a necklace and bracelet that are contemporary jewelry classics.



## HEIRLOOM BRASS COLLECTION

Handmade from brass with two-directional hammering and finely polished to a shine, an oval chain link necklace and bracelet have the feeling of '70s era heirloom jewelry. Both pieces are finished with sculptural j-hook closures. A shapely sculpted-looking bangle and long, elegant turned post earrings complete the collection. Earrings have sterling silver posts.



## KITE POST EARRINGS

These unique post earrings are hand-cut and formed from brass into undulating, folded kite shapes with a subtle wire-brushed pattern and a shiny polished back. The earrings have sterling silver posts.



## MOON STUD EARRINGS

We pay homage to the immense gravitational force of the moon with our Moon Stud Earrings. Moon-shaped disks of brass are gently hammered with subtle wire-brushing and patterns that resemble receding waves. Sterling silver posts.



## TEXTURED BRASS CUFF

Splendidly textured and lightweight, this tapered brass cuff is designed for comfort and beauty. A spring tab closure makes the cuff easy to don.



## ANTALYA WIDE HOOPS

Wide profile modern brass hoops have a matte satin finish and sterling silver posts.



# AUREUS + ARGENT MARBLE & BRASS COLLECTION



Smooth, subtly veined white marble and matte-finished golden brass are a sublime, of-the-moment pairing of natural materials.



## MARBLE EARRINGS

Choose from two styles of long, statement-making marble and brass post earrings, a longer column style with brass detail or a sleek rectangle of marble. Sterling silver posts.



## MARBLE NECKLACES

Necklaces in large and small have pleasing geometric-shaped pendants. The large style features cascading brass and marble half moons on a brass chain. The smaller pendant necklace is adorned with delicate brass and marble shapes. Both necklaces are adjustable.



## MARBLE CUFF

An open front cuff punctuated with marble details is a modern statement piece.



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SILVER STATEMENT JEWELRY  
COLLECTION





# SILVER STATEMENT COLLECTION

Lustrous silver, known by the name argent in some languages, has been prized for centuries in cultures around the globe. Our silver jewelry pieces make a shining statement, celebrating the radiance of this favored metal in a variety of iconic geometric and totemic shapes in fine polished and satin finishes.



## CRESCENT HOOPS

Lovely small, silver-plated hoops have a narrow hammered profile that shifts direction with two partial Mobius twists along the bottom edge of each hoop. Graceful large-scale, silver-plated hoops are formed from crescent shapes that swing from slender wire and shine like the moon. Silver-plate on brass.



## HEIRLOOM SILVER LINK NECKLACE AND BRACELET

These chunky link chains were made from heirloom designs and handmade with two-directional hammering, then silver-plated and polished to a high shine. The oval chain link bracelet has a sculptural j-hook closure. Silver-plate on brass.



## MODERN OVAL STONE RING

This sleek silver-plated ring features an oversized faceted quartz stone called aqua chalcedony. The stone's mesmerizing hue mimics the shade of ocean water at a tranquil tropical beach. Silver-plate on brass.



## SATURN MOONSTONE PENDANT

Hammered silver-plated rings intersect in three dimensions and orbit an iridescent faceted moonstone on a long chain necklace. Silver-plate on brass.

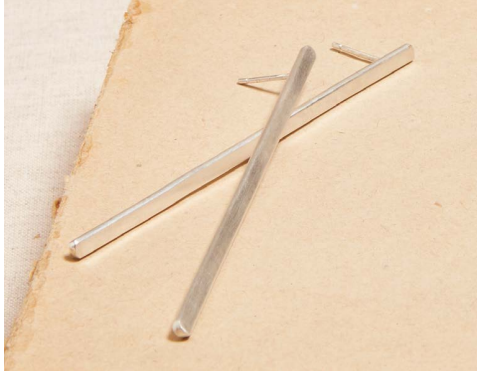


## SATURN BANGLE SET

A set of three silver-plated bangles has subtle texture and adds the right level of polish. Silver-plate on brass.



## SILVER STATEMENT COLLECTION



**SILVER LINEAR STICK EARRINGS**  
Modernistic dangling earrings feature slender silver-plated stick forms and make a bold statement. Sterling silver earwire. Silver-plate on brass.



**SILVER SQUARE RING**  
The bold silver-plated square ring features an irregular, slightly concave shape and is polished to perfection for both shine and exceptional comfort on the hand. Silver-plate on brass.



**STATEMENT SILVER CUFF**  
Satin silver-plated brass is hand-crafted into a wave-shaped cuff with a subtle brushed appearance. Silver-plate on brass.



**TOTEM SILVER EARRINGS**  
These totem-inspired earrings are hand-cut and formed from brass sheet and finished with polished, high-shine silver-plating for extra eye-catching appeal. Silver-plate on brass. Posts are sterling silver.



**STONE DROP EARRINGS AQUA CHALCEDONY & MOONSTONE**  
Aqua chalcedony is a lovely aqua blue member of the quartz family. Moonstone is characterized by a mysterious shimmer that mimics the luminescence of its namesake. The precisely faceted semi-precious stones are set into silver-plated brass bezels with attached earwires. Silver-plate on brass.



**THERESE TRIPLE STONE MOONSTONE RING**  
Three magically iridescent faceted moonstones are set asymmetrically into silver-plated brass in this show-stopping statement ring. Silver-plate on brass.



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TURQUOISE COLLECTION



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# TURQUOISE COLLECTION

Turquoise is a stone with history and lore embedded in many cultures. Egypt, Persia, Tibet, and the Americas—from the indigenous cultures of the American Southwest to Mexico, Peru and beyond—have all used this stone in coveted jewelry and objects for centuries. Our collection of highly wearable turquoise jewelry pairs the desirable blue-green stone with warm, golden brass that will burnish with time. Included in the collection are necklaces made with a deep peacock-blue-toned stone called Apatite that thoroughly complements our turquoise statement pieces. We love layering, so all the pieces in the collection are designed to be worn together with many other styles of brass or gold jewelry.



## SONORA TURQUOISE JEWELRY

These statement pieces are hand-crafted using beautiful blue-green turquoise from the Sonora region of Mexico that displays variations in coloration and veining. Each unique free-form cabochon stone is set into a polished bezel hand-made of brass. The bands on the cuff and ring are gently hammered. The pendant hangs from a delicately patterned chain. The brass settings and bands will deepen in color with time and wear.



## TULUM TURQUOISE BRACELET

The natural black, spider-web matrix of these eye-catching turquoise stones is highlighted in oval cabochons of varying sizes. The stones are bezel-set in brass with bead-detailed connectors in an adjustable size bracelet finished with a lobster clasp closure.



## ESTRELLA TURQUOISE EARRINGS

Dangling earrings are crafted from pieces of natural turquoise stones in a range of shades from cyan to blue-green and set into hand-worked brass wire claw settings with gold-plated brass earwires.



## TURQUOISE TRIPLE DROP EARRINGS

Polished, small, free-form turquoise cabochons are set in open-back brass bezels that highlight the classic color of the stones. Gold-plated brass earwires.



## TURQUOISE AND GOLD MULTI-STRAND NECKLACE AND BRACELET

Tiny turquoise beads are strung on delicate brass chain and paired with two strands of slender brass beaded chain in a multi-strand necklace and bracelet.



## BLUE APATITE NECKLACES

Blue apatite is a lovely peacock blue semi-precious stone naturally flecked with aqua, brown and sage green tones. The stone is cut into light-catching faceted beads to create a long brass chain necklace with interspersed lengths of polished, hammered links and slender brass cable chain. Faceted apatite and brass beads are hand-knotted onto delicate yet sturdy chocolate brown silk cord with a brass button closure; the necklace is the perfect length to be worn long or doubled.



AUREUS + ARGENT  
HORN & ANTLER COLLECTION





# HORN & ANTLER COLLECTION

Jewelry carved from water buffalo horn, with its color variations of deep black, honey and cream, has a natural sophistication that ranges from quietly fashionable to statement-making. Artisans carve and shape horn into a wide variety of jewelry styles that pair beautifully with one another and with metal jewelry, whether gold-toned or silver. Each piece of horn jewelry is finished with a fine, smooth polish. A rugged, carved deer antler and layered chain necklace has natural panache.



## HORN LINK NECKLACE

### HORN SMALL LINK NECKLACE

### HORN LINK TASSEL NECKLACE

The interlaced oval-cut links of our Horn Link Necklace informally play up the natural material's unique qualities and color scheme. Small yet impressively sturdy, round interlocking links are carved from horn and form a double-layer chain necklace. A single oval horn link is embellished with a chain tassel detail and a brass chain in a quietly fashionable necklace. All the necklaces are carved from water buffalo horns and polished to a perfect shine. From a delicately patterned chain. The brass settings and bands will deepen in color with time and wear.



## HORN WIDE ANGLE BANGLE

### HORN BANGLE

### HORN THIN BANGLE SET

In profiles from narrow to wide, the collection of horn bangles—with a subtle matte polish—are destined to be stacked. An extra-wide bangle is carved from dark water buffalo horns with honey and blond colorations. A thick blond bangle has appealing striations and light-toned color variation. A set of skinny bangles is carved from black horn with tonal color variations and can be worn individually or as a trio. The edges of each bangle are polished smooth for comfortable wear.



## HORN STATEMENT CUFF

Dark black water buffalo horn is shaped into a striking high shine cuff. Sections of the horn cuff are left rough, while other parts are polished smooth for an interesting textural contrast.



## HORN CHAIN BRACELET

The visual appeal and wearability of this Horn Chain Bracelet come from its substantial hand-carved water buffalo horn links and the antique brass toggle clasp; adjustable length.



## TALISMAN ANTLER CHAIN NECKLACE

Deer antlers are often associated with good luck and have been used in jewelry making for centuries. Our handsome Talisman Antler Necklace is crafted from a carved deer antler set into a brass bezel that dangles from layered chains. The bezel, chains and oversized j-hook closure on the front are brass with an antiqued finish.



AUREUS + ARGENT  
RAVENA COLLECTION





# RAVENA COLLECTION

Our beautiful Ravena jewelry is crafted predominantly in Italy, a country renowned for its jewelry artistry and innovation. Italian artisans cast jewelry in durable bronze and finish it with rich-toned, high-shine gold plating. The exceptional style of these pieces effortlessly elevates everything from a cocktail dress to a cozy sweater and jeans. A statement-making, asymmetrical ring is formed in brass with luminous labradorite stones.



## RAVENA MULTI LINK NECKLACE

## RAVENA MULTI LINK BRACELET

Better in pairs—two bronze links are intertwined then linked as chains to create these stunning gold-plated, multi-link chain necklaces and bracelets. Each piece is finished with a substantial, high-quality lobster clasp closure.



## RAVENA HORSESHOE HOOPS

## RAVENA OVAL HOOPS

## RAVENA ROUND HOOPS

## RAVENA OVAL BRACELET

Three styles of hoop earrings and a stylish oval bracelet are cast in heavy gauge bronze with a hollow core, so they are durable yet lightweight. All the hoops feature a self-locking post. The stylish hinged oval bracelet is ideal for stacking with other bracelets; closes with a safety clasp.



## RAVENA TRIPLE GEM STATEMENT RING

This entrancing golden brass ring is set with three shimmering, faceted deep blue labradorite stones. The brass will deepen in color with wear for an even more gorgeous contrast between metal and stones.



# AUREUS + ARGENT NATURAL STONE COLLECTION



We are endlessly captivated by the enduring beauty of natural semi-precious stones. Labradorite, a magical blue-gray stone, displays a swirling iridescence—sometimes, a whole spectrum of color might be observed in a single stone. Pyrite, also known as Fool's Gold, is a dark golden stone with extraordinary sparkle.



**IRSA GEMSTONE PENDANT**

**IRSA GEMSTONE RING**

Brilliant faceting and fine polishing bring out the shimmering qualities of irregularly shaped labradorite stones. Shiny brass settings offset the luminous stone color. The pendant necklace, with brass chain, is also set with a lovely, smaller faceted aquamarine stone.



**ABACUS PENDANT**

**DELICATE STRAND STONE NECKLACE**

**TRIPLE STRAND GEMSTONE NECKLACE**

Lustrous pyrite married with warm brass makes for a striking pairing. On our unique Abacus Necklace, strands of small sparkly pyrite stones are strung in rows inside a delicate brass hoop that hangs from an embellished brass chain. Tiny faceted pyrite seed beads with pretty luster are strung on brass chain for a single and triple strand necklace; both layer nicely with longer pendant necklaces.

