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What's Sexy Now

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BLUE GENES

SOPHISTICATION RULES In a city of fancy mansions and hip-hop moguls, you'll find born-and-bred polish, plus a big-city edge. As Teresa Hebert, owner of T boutique, puts it, "Atlanta style combines the best of both worlds. We are fashion forward without losing our innate feminine charm." A graphic shift and sexy, sweet ankle-strap heels strike a chord here, as do trouser jeans with a cropped sequined jacket. As for accessories, this peach is also a material girl: Patent, cashmere and metallics are her go-tos this fall.

HOT SHOPS

Blue Genes Visited by Sienna Miller and Katherine Heigl, this seriously trendy outpost carries more than 20 denim labels, as well as the patent-leather platforms, sequined tunics and necklaces you need to complete the after-hours look. 404-231-3400

Jeffrey/Bob Ellis Shoes The only problem is where to begin: Does the classic-but-cutting-edge look start with that Lisa Perry dress at Jeffrey Kalinsky's namesake boutique or with the platform Louboutins at adjoining Bob Ellis Shoes? 404-237-9000

T This chic shop draws Usher and other stylish shoppers out to Duluth, a wealthy suburb that's home to many musicians and athletes. T satisfies cravings for hard-to-find labels like Rag & Bone, Shelly Litvak and KA7 by Katayone Adell. 678-957-1292

Saks Fifth Avenue Located in Phipps Plaza, this recently renovated fashion emporium brims with modern-but-feminine picks from lines like Milly, Rozae Nichols, BCBG and See by Chloé. Plus, plenty of clutches by Jimmy Choo and local designer Jada Loveless. 404-261-7234

ATLANTA A-LIST



WIN IT!

THE LOOK

Polyester top, LaRok, \$288; at Nordstrom.
Alligator clutch, Jada Loveless, \$5,400;
at Saks (available Oct. 1).

HOT SPOTS

Dolce Enoteca e Ristorante/ Ten Pin Alley At this sexy eatery and lounge the lights are kept low to give partygoers like Adam Levine a little privacy. 404-872-3902

Trois The sleek tri-level restaurant is a fashion statement of its own. A stylish crowd gathers for Champagne Mohinis before heading upstairs for a brasserie-style menu. 404-815-3337

Compound Here it's lounge-y indoors and out, with a Japanese-style garden and pool to keep guests like Alicia Keys, Kim Porter and Jarnie Fox cool. 404-872-4621

FUN FACTS

Most Popular Lip Color
Oversexed (MAC)

Signature Song
"Glamorous," by Fergie

Favorite Jeans
J Brand

Hottest Time to Go Out
Thursday, 8 P.M.