



## 10 NYFW Designers on the art that inspired them this season

From Jason Wu to Eckhaus Latta, here are the paintings, sculptures, and photographs on the mood boards at New York Fashion Week Spring 2017.

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While mood boards aren't for every designer — just ask the guys over at Linder and Second/Layer, who reject the idea altogether — they're a common thread throughout the women's shows, where the collections are often of a larger scale, and require some inspiration image or concept to grab on to. That being said, inspiration comes in every shape and size — Jason Wu looking to Ugo Rondinone's enormous "Seven Magic Mountains" in the Las Vegas desert for his Spring 2017 collection, and Kerby Jean-Raymond of Pyer Moss taking notes on the 1987 film *Wall Street* by Oliver Stone. Here, 10 New York designers share the art that inspired them this season. It's up to you, however, to catch the references throughout Fashion Week.

Jason Wu: “My main inspiration for my upcoming 2017 collection was the dynamic large-scale pieces from Swiss artist, Ugo Rondinone. The vibrant colors of his creation 'Seven Magic Mountains' left an indelible mark on me for Spring.”