



Jewelry Creators

Dynamic Duos and Generational Gems

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- Beautiful color photography illustrates the stunning pieces of 22 talented brands with a focus on partnerships and generational jewelers
- Behind-the-scenes narratives give the reader an insight into the working world of jewelry design
- Elegant jewels showcase varying techniques, from modern craftsmanship and ancient artistry to the blending of old and new

"The beautifully illustrated book is more than just an illustrious coffee-table tome. It is a fun and informative read, chock-full of behind-the-scenes anecdotes, stories, and little-known secrets of the families and friends that populate the industry." — **Jewellery Outlook**

"... *Jewelry Creators: Dynamic Duos and Generational Gems* is not only a tribute to the people behind the jewels, but also a reflection on the collaborative nature of creativity in contemporary jewelry." — **Laura Astrologo Porche's Substack**

Jewelry Creators: Dynamic Duos and Generational Gems is a beautifully illustrated book that celebrates the relationships at the core of the jewelry and gemstone industry. Divided into two chapters, the book provides an insight into the world of those that work as a duo, be it family members or close friends, and those that are part of a generational legacy. More than just an illustrious tome presenting the art of jewelry making, **Jewelry Creators** is a fun and informative read with behind-the-scenes anecdotes and little-known secrets from 22 brands. All who are featured in the book have merged their artistic talents and professional styles, complementing one another to create some of the most memorable and enduring pieces that delve into the past, reveal the present, and speak to the future. Whether you're new to the jewelry world, a longtime enthusiast, a collector who cherishes innovation and heritage, or simply someone who delights in lively conversational narratives, the stories shared within these pages are here to inspire.

Beth Bernstein is a jewelry historian, author, journalist, and one-time jewelry designer. Her books include *The Modern Guide To Vintage Jewellery* (2025), *Jewelry's Shining Stars: The Next Generation* (2024), *The Modern Guide to Antique Jewelry* (2022), and *If These Jewels Could Talk* (2015), all published by ACC Art Books, and a memoir, *My Charmed Life* (Penguin, 2012). Beth has contributed to many magazines, journals and publications, including *Forbes.com*, *Jewelry Connoisseur*, *Rapaport*, *The Jewellery Editor* (online), *Accent Magazine*, *Elite Traveler*, *Four Seasons Magazine* and *Departures*. She has worked as a senior editor for two leading national jewelry magazines. Beth also lectures and organizes and participates in seminars and educational events. Throughout the 1990s, Beth designed a jewelry collection under the brand name Bethany B, which sold to over 250 stores throughout the USA and overseas. **Sonia Esther Soltani** is a jewelry writer and editor. She was the editor-in-chief of *Rapaport* for seven years, leading the company's print, digital, and social-media presence and hosting the *Jewelry Connoisseur* podcast. She contributes to international publications such as the *Financial Times*, *Forbes*, *GemGuide*, *Retail Jeweller*, and *Rapaport*. She has served as a judge for jewelry competitions, including the World Jewelry Design Awards (WADA), HRD Design Awards, and *InStore Magazine*. Before specializing in jewelry, Sonia wrote about architecture, design, luxury travel, and wellness. She studied history and history of art in Paris, and film studies and journalism in London. Alongside her work in jewelry, Sonia is a qualified life and career coach.

