



# LAURA BELLA - TABERNERO

Fashion Designer, Print Designer

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## BIO

I am a fashion and print designer based in London, completing my degree in BA Fashion Design : Print at Central St Martins. My practice focuses on 'Transformative fashion', It includes the adaptability and transformation of clothing to create performative presentations of garments. This informs my design process by focusing on specific techniques that will aid in altering the perspective of the garment, such as drawstrings and detachable zips. My advanced screenprinting skills assist in elevating my design work, and through the use of Instagram filters, add another dimension to the garments I create. The use of colour and geometric shapes are key in executing my bold prints and it is this boldness, combined with my practical approach to design development that are fundamental to who I am as a fashion designer.

## EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

2016-PRESENT: Central Saint Martins BA (Honours) Fashion Design : Print  
2015-2016 Foundation Diploma in Art and Design at Manchester Metropolitan University : Awarded with distinction.  
2008-2015 – Manchester High School For Girls  
**AS and A2 exams:** A\* in Business and Economics, A in Art, A in Drama  
**Achieved following results in AS examinations:** A in Art, A in drama, B in Physics, B in Business and Economics  
**GCSE exams:** 9 A\*'s in: Maths, Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Geography, Art, English Literature, Spanish and Religious Studies.  
2 A's in: Dance and English Language.

## WORK PLACEMENT

### WALTER VAN BEIRENDONCK

September 2018 - March 2019, ANTWERP, BELGIUM  
Design, Print, Production, Admin and Press intern

Complete responsibility of assisting the development of AW19/20 'WOW' Collection. Realising and designing prints for the entire collection, as well as taking full control of production aspects and admin for the brand, including assisting in Paris showroom.

### LIAM HODGES

May 2019 - July 2019, LONDON, UK  
Design and Production intern

Involved in completing final stages for SS19 collection as well as assisting all production following the show.

### MATTHEW WILLIAMSON

October 2013, LONDON, UK  
Design intern

### SILVIA HOYA MENA

Independent Designer  
June 2013, MANCHESTER, UK  
Pattern Cutting Intern

## PROJECTS/EXHIBITIONS

### May 2020: **A THESISS SHOW: 20 ARTISTS CURATED BY 20 ARTISTS**

Virtual Exhibition online : <https://www.a-thesisss.show>

Online art exhibition connecting a global roster of artists whose final undergraduate exhibitions were compromised by the current world crisis.

curated by @somethingspecialstudios

### June 29th - July 21st : 2018 **"FROCKAHOLIC: GRADS, GRAYSON AND GORGEOUS DRESSES"**

Physical Exhibition - McCann, London

Collaborative project ' A dress for Grayson' with Grayson Perry - Garment purchased by Grayson and exhibited in McCann Office space, London

### December 2017: **THE GREATEST SHOWMAN PROJECT LAUNCH**

Launch: Claridges, London

Collaborative group project with 20th Century Fox for production of 'The Greatest Showman'