

Fashion Advice: Top 5 Reasons to Wear a Vegan Leather Jacket



By [Katie Sotack](#)

Vegan leather, better known as pleather, is an emerging industry and cleaning Godsend (it's waterproof!). The [fashion trend](#) is made of plastic, cork, and kelp which are available in moto, cropped, black, and color so there's no need to hold back your fashion dreams when you're wearing one of these baddies. Of course, quality and longevity depend on how much you want to spend, but unlike leather, there's no need to pay a pretty penny in this [fashion advice](#).

Check out this fashion advice on the upside to leather alternatives.

If you love the look of a leather jacket but can't bring yourself to ethically buy real leather, consider purchasing vegan leather instead when you're on a search for a new moto jacket with these fashion tips. Check out our [fashion tips](#)!

1. The perfect fall piece: Every fall season you will find plenty of celebrities sporting one of these jackets with a scarf tucked around their necks. The reason? [Celebrity stylists](#) know that the leather look is timeless and instantly elevates a casual outfit to *woah* status. For examples on how to wear vegan furs and leathers check out celebrities like [Miley Cyrus](#) and [Beyonce](#).

2. Cruelty-Free: If you want to avoid leather for ethical

reasons but still like the look of leather, purchasing vegan leather is an option you can explore when looking for the perfect statement piece to add to your wardrobe.

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3. Endless shapes: The variety of vegan leather styles means there's a perfect fit for every body type. For men, the jackets extenuate border shoulders while women's jackets are styled to show off a narrow waist, curves, or long legs. From flared to fit, there are endless options of shapes and thus endless ways to project an image with a single coat.

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4. Low maintenance: Vegan leather is waterproof, especially compared to its counterpart. If your climate runs wet, you should have absolutely no problem maintaining your jacket. However, if the sun is hot and the air arid, then products are made to protect the faux leather against sun rays. These products also have the added effect of softening your new jacket.

5. It's more affordable: Vegan leather is more affordable than traditional leather, even the higher-end options. You may pay \$45 dollars as opposed to \$328 for a classic biker style jacket with vegan leather, leaving you more cash to find the perfect boots or jeans to pair with your new statement piece!

Do you have any other reasons to wear vegan leather? Share in the comments below!

Exclusive Celebrity Interview: Celebrity Fashion Stylist Brad Goreski Shares Secrets for the Perfect Sunglasses



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Brad Goreski, a prominent L.A. [celebrity fashion stylist](#), has worked with the likes of [Jessica Alba](#), [Demi Moore](#), and Rashida Jones. Currently the Exclusive Brand Stylist for Kate Spade New York, Goreski spares some time for an [exclusive celebrity interview](#) with Cupid's Pulse just in time for National Sunglasses Day. In our Exclusive Celebrity Interview Goreski shares his secrets for finding the perfect pair of sunglasses for your face shape and your style.

Celebrity Interview with Brad Goreski: National Sunglasses Day and Relationship Advice

Goreski loves sunglasses. They're important in protecting our eyes from UVB and UVA rays and are an important part of our summer wardrobe. "They are a great way to express where our style is at for the season," said the fashion guru. Goreski is a huge advocate for wearing sunglasses as an accessory to dress up an outfit, but he is also a strong believer that they should be worn to protect your eyes.

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Styles have become so diverse that there is a sunglass style for everyone. Goreski's stylist experience takes us through the trends he sees. With the resurgence of the eighties' style, neon has made a comeback. If you don't like bold-colored frames, have fun with the colors of the lenses. For example, you can try a metallic or mirror finish, a smokey grey, or tinted lens. A simple outfit, like jeans and a T-shirt, can be dressed up with a stellar pair of sunglasses too. "Accessories like sunglasses help you look like you put the effort in," said Goreski.

In addition to colors, Goreski says that frame shapes are becoming more diverse. "My favorite trend right now is the cat eye," he says. "It's a little futuristic." If you're wary of trying a bold new look, check out the discounted aisles. "Try cheaper sunglasses so you can try trends before committing to expensive glasses," he advises.

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Goreski has four tips for finding the perfect pair of sunglasses and he says that opposites attract. "If you have a round face, go for square frames," he offers as a tip to our followers. And when it comes to style, if you lean towards a more classic look then go for an aviator. And if you are bold and futuristic try micro-glasses.

What interview is complete without some [relationship advice](#)? Goreski shares the secret that has held him and Gary Janetti together for eighteen years. "Always dress up for each other. Take pride on the inside and the outside. Putting in the effort after so many years together makes for a whole different experience." For your next [date night](#), dress in a way that "makes you feel beautiful and excited. That energy

attracts people.”

What’s coming up next for this stylist? Award season! While waiting for the summer lull to end, Goreski is excited for National Sunglasses Day, June 27th, and encourages everyone to take a selfie in their favorite pair of sunglasses.

Interested in following Brad Goreski? Check out his website, MrBradGoreski.com or follow him on [Twitter](#)!

Rock the “Dress-Over-Pants” Fashion Trend This Fall With Celebrity Stylist Alexa Taylor



 By Alexa Taylor

We’ve all been there. You’ve spent your entire wardrobe budget on pretty dresses and skirts, and now that summer is over you’re wondering how these beauties are going to transition to fall. As a fashion blogger and [celebrity stylist](#), I believe that this fall everyone can raise the sartorial bar with the dress-over-pants fashion trend (or D.O.P for short). The new modern way to pull off a D.O.P is more streamlined and sophisticated, and it isn’t tough to master at all! Emma Watson may have brought the D.O.P idea back for the masses this past awards season, but these five fashionable ladies I selected were rocking the look long before the fashion-forward

actress.

Celebrity Stylist Shares Fall Fashion Tips

1. **Casually Cool**: A sweater dress over jeans is proof that a statement piece (or two) can amp up any old look. One tip to keep in mind when rocking skinnies underneath a heavy dress and coat combo is to keep them as skin-tight as possible.



2. **Sophisticated Layering**: Nothing is worse than making a 45-minute commute in a pencil skirt and heels, and it's even worse when it's blistering cold. This office-appropriate layering trick is a simple, straight-cut dress over slim pants.



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3. **Edgy Princess**: While this D.O.P. has nothing to do with utility, you’ll no doubt get attention from street style shutterbugs in a wispy look (even if you are shivering). The man-repelling Leandra adds a punch of drama to an otherwise boring outfit with layered tulle and two-tone tap shoes.



4. **Pretty in Pink**: Not only do leather pants add a dose of badass to a super girly getup, but they allow you to wear that too-short-to-be-worn-alone babydoll dress. I love how this

editor mixes her prints.



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5. **The Mix Master**: Who says duck boots have to be frumpy? Take a cue from Taylor Tomasi Hill, the crimson-haired editor-turned-florist, in this winter-ready outfit. She’s a pro when it comes to mixing flashy accessories like this glam gold plated belt (\$20) with everyday staples like this over-sized plaid shirt.



Be bold this next fall and try one of these D.O.P looks your next [date night](#)! You’re sure to turn some heads with this

feminine and slightly edgy ensemble, not to mention you'll also be warm and toasty as you go about your day.

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