

## Hat Works Press Release

### WHAT'S HOT AT HAT WORKS

Stockport's Hat Works, the UK's only museum dedicated to the hatting industry, has unveiled the latest in its series of 'What's Hot' exhibitions.

These displays explore the best in contemporary millinery, ranging from Haute Couture designers to millinery students.

This new exhibition showcases The Vintage Glamour Collection by work of established milliner Sara Gadd. This collection offers a stunning range of hats which have been inspired by styles from a bygone era, when any well dressed lady would never have been seen without her latest Chapeau.

Sara's love of millinery developed whilst studying BA (Hons) Contemporary Applied Arts at The University of Cumbria.

Since graduating in 2002, Sara has established her own label, Sara Gadd Millinery. Sara creates bespoke millinery, from her Carlisle studio, for individual clients, boutiques, the theatre, and also runs occasional millinery workshops.

Sara's work has featured at events across Great Britain; her achievements include being part of Edinburgh's spectacular theatrical fashion event 'Hat Walk', 'Avec' The London Hat Show, Semi Finalist of 'The Hat Magazine's' 'Hat Designer of the Year', and Sara is also delighted to have retained 'Best Hat' at Ladies Day, Carlisle Races, for the last two consecutive years.

This free exhibition is installed on the Gallery Floor of Hat Works and will be on display until 13 January 2008.

For more information call Hat Works on 0845 833 0975 or email [bookings.hatworks@stockport.gov.uk](mailto:bookings.hatworks@stockport.gov.uk)

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Lily twist from the Vintage Glamour Collection  
Windswept from the Vintage Glamour Collection