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The Fashion Illustration Gallery, in association with the Victoria and Albert Museum, presents a special collection of contemporary fashion illustration at the Mayor Gallery in Cork Street. The collection has been selected by Abraham Thomas, Curator of Designs at the V&A.

This presentation showcases work made by some of the leading artists currently active in the field of fashion illustration whilst providing an overview of the finest examples of work from recent years and offers a snapshot of the best contemporary work emerging today. The works selected for the presentation will become part of the V&A's permanent collection of fashion drawings, and will provide an invaluable resource for future researchers and visitors to the museum. The drawings will be available to view on request through the V&A Prints & Drawings Study Room.

In addition, a selection of these newly acquired fashion illustrations will be featured in an upcoming book from V&A Publishing tentatively entitled *Illustrating Fashion*, which is currently being written by Abraham Thomas. This will be the first dedicated book on the V&A's collection of fashion 'illustration' and will provide a summary of the topic through key examples of photography and drawing from the 18th century to the present.

For high resolution images of the work please contact FIG on + 44 (0)20 7112 1979.