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Clara Cornet is appointed Creative and Merchandising Director of Galeries Lafayette Champs-Élysées

Galeries Lafayette is announcing the appointment of Clara Cornet as Creative and Merchandising Director of its future flagship store at 52 avenue des Champs-Élysées in Paris, effective since February 1st, 2018. She reports to Nadia Dhouib who has been developing this ambitious project for two years and will lead this new store concept in the heart of the most iconic Parisian avenue.

As part of her missions, Clara Cornet will be responsible for the unique and exclusive selection of brands and products, as well as the visual identity and content for this flagship store - which will open in 2019 - to establish it as the international benchmark for a "new generation" commerce, by reinventing the physical store's codes to surprise and inspire its clients at every visit.

In just a few years, Clara Cornet has established herself as a major curator in the fashion and retail sectors. She began her career as a Buyer in the women's Fashion department of Galeries Lafayette. In 2013, she pursued her career in the United States as Senior Buyer at Opening Ceremony, then as Buying Director at The Webster, two key benchmarks in the universe of concept stores.

Aged 29, Clara Cornet is a graduate of HEC business school and IFM (French Fashion Institute).

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The French market leader in department stores and famous all around the world, for the past 120 years Galeries Lafayette have been the undisputed experts in fashion and event shopping, designing each visit to be a unique experience, offering French and international clients a constantly renewed selection of affordable to premium brands. Present in the fashion, beauty, timepiece, jewelry, accessory, interior decoration, gourmet foods and catering service segments, Galeries Lafayette are celebrated for their network of 61 stores in France and abroad, including the flagship store on Boulevard Haussmann in Paris, their outlet offering and their online shopping site, galerieslafayette.com. More information on Galerieslafayette.com

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