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## Behind The Label

52 x 30'

### EPISODIC BREAKDOWN

#### 1. Bill Blass

We get up-close-and-personal with Michael Volbracht, the man charged with filling the shoes of legendary designer Bill Blass. We hear about their long-time friendship and Michael's efforts to expand on Blass' legacy.

#### 2. Carolina Herrera

We meet one of the legends of the fashion world, Carolina Herrera. We hear about how she got into design and why it was later than when most enter.

#### 3. Kenneth Cole

An in-depth conversation with fashion legend, Kenneth Cole. We explore Cole's against-the-odds story behind the launch of his shoe company and controversy surrounding some print ads.

#### 4. Cynthia Rowley

A discussion with fashion designer and lifestyle expert Cynthia Rowley. Known for her flirty and whimsical clothing, interview includes Rowley's big and the genesis of her Swell life.

#### 5. Jeanine Lobell

Meet Jeanine Lobell, the force behind the Stila Label. We hear how she balances motherhood and celebrity and see why the Stila Cosmetic label is one of today's biggest cosmetic brands.

#### 6. Paula Dorf

A dialogue with make-up artist and cosmetics mogul Paula Dorf, whose clients include Barbara Streisand, Diane Keaton, and others. This episode includes tips she gives to the stars.

#### 7. Frederic Fekkai

One of the most celebrated names in the world of hairstyling, Frederic Fekkai creates looks for the hottest stars in Hollywood. Find out how his sheer sense of style has groomed his successful brand.

## **8. Tommy Hilfiger**

A discussion with fashion icon and business tycoon Tommy Hilfiger. This episode explores the designer's rise to fame, evolution from preppy to hip-hop, and how he revived brand with sexy new 'H' collection.

## **9. Jill Stuart**

Host Judy Licht chats with clothing designer Jill Stuart at her Hamptons home. We uncover the vintage clothes that inspire Jill Stuart's fun, flirty and feminine collections.

## **10. Betsey Johnson**

A conversation with Betsey Johnson. Called the wild child of fashion, Betsey Johnson has been rocking the fashion world with her youthful outlook and timeless clothing since the 1960's.

## **11. Trish McEvoy**

Host Judy Licht chats with cosmetics innovator Trish McEvoy at her Hamptons home as Trish demonstrates make-up tips and tells about her approach to beauty for the modern woman.

## **12. Vera Wang**

Meet Vera Wang, a designer whose name is synonymous with the bridal business. Find out how her own stylish wedding sent her career skyrocketing and go inside her Hamptons home with Judy Licht.

## **13. Diane Von Furstenberg**

Outspoken fashion designer and 70s icon Diane von Furstenberg talks with Christina Ha about what it's like to live on top of fashions A-List more than 30 years after she burst on the scene with her celebrated wrap dress.

## **14. Oleg Cassini**

Fashion legend Oleg Cassini spills all about his relationships with Grace Kelly and first lady Jackie Kennedy. Find out why Jackie picked him over all the designers vying to dress her and hear how he went from riches to rags to riches again.

## **15. Catherine Malandrino**

A discussion with Catherine Malandrino, a young designer known for her sexy silhouettes. Includes her early years working in Paris and her creations for Madonna and other stars.

## **16. Michael Kors**

A revealing look into the world of design mogul Michael Kors. Host Judy Licht talks with Michael Kors about his new label 'Michael' and his efforts to become America's next billion dollar brand.

## **17. Michelle and Henry Roth**

A discussion with Michelle and Henry Roth, siblings and 2nd generation bridal designers. Includes hot wedding trends, latest bridal silhouettes and tips for brides-to-be.

## **18. Nanette Lepore**

Designer Nanette Lepore shows Host Judy Licht her feminine and flirty fashions and tells why the Nanette Lepore label has captivated the stylish young women of Hollywood.

## **19. Liz Lange**

Meet the woman who revolutionized the maternity wear industry – Liz Lange. Learn how she got her start and how she went from high-end boutiques to Target.

## **20. Isaac Mizrahi**

Fashion icon Isaac Mizrahi unzips all his secrets – his biggest triumphs in fashion, the collapse of his empire and how he orchestrated the remarkable comeback that returned him to fashion's elite inner circle.

## **21. Giorgio Armani**

A conversation with fashion legend Giorgio Armani. We hear from Glenn Close, Martin Scorsese and other celebs about Armani's influence in Hollywood. Also: Armani's big plans for America.

## **22. Tracy Reese**

See how Tracy Reese, through blind ambition, survived the rocky road to becoming one of America's most successful female African-American designers.

## **23. Nicole Miller**

Meet the world renowned designer and inventor of the little black dress. Fashion innovator Nicole Miller talks about her road to success and her ever expanding empire.

## **24. Stephen Burrows**

A conversation with Stephen Burrows, one of the best known designers of the 1970s. Find out why Halston called him an “unrecognized genius” and hear about the re-launch of his signature collection in 2002.

## **25. Roberto Cavalli**

A rare, exclusive interview with legendary Italian designer, Roberto Cavalli, whose name is synonymous with sex appeal. Discover why all of Hollywood's A-list can't get dressed without him.

## **26. Narciso Rodriguez**

The notoriously shy designer opens up to Behind the Label's Judy Licht about his journey to fame. Rodriguez reveals which celebrities inspire him most and shares his feelings about the tragic loss of his best friend, Carolyn Bessette Kennedy.

## **27. Donna Karan**

Go Behind the Label with one of the biggest names in fashion history – Donna Karan. Judy Licht sits down in a candid interview with the designer about her business, her life, her charity and her many achievements.

## **28. Jonathan Adler**

Go Behind the Label as James Aguiar explores the groovy world of potter, interior decorator and writer Jonathan Adler.

## **29. Anna Sui**

When rock stars need their fashion fix, they turn to ultra-trendy Anna Sui. Join Full Frontal Fashion's Christina Ha as she goes Behind the Label to see what makes this designer reign over rock royalty.

## **30. Baby Phat**

Dealing in high aspiration and stretch denim has made Baby Phat a mainstay on the fashion runways. Behind the Label's Christina Ha gets the low-down on its success from Designer and Creative Director, Kimora Lee Simmons.

## **31. Ric Pipino**

Celebrity hairstylist Ric Pipino's career began at 16 in his native Australia, now he's as much of an A-lister as his celebrity clients. Join James Aguiar as he goes Behind the Label to find out the secrets behind this Aussie's success.

### **32. Carmen Marc Valvo**

When women want to dress for a night to remember they turn to one designer time and time again. Behind the Label's Judy Licht gets designer Carmen Marc Valvo to reveal all of his style secrets.

### **33. Badgley Mischka**

Meet the design duo of Badgley Mischka, who have created one of the most glamorous labels in the world. Discover which stars keep these style makers on speed dial. And find out how they escape from the runway when they need a dose of reality.

### **34. Monique Lhuillier**

Go Behind the Label with Monique Lhuillier, a rising star in red carpet fashion. See how this Beverly Hills based designer infuses movie star glamour into her entire collection, and why her luxurious wedding looks make brides swoon.

### **35. Cynthia Steffe**

Meet New York designer, Cynthia Steffe, once voted one of People Magazine's 50 most beautiful people! Join Judy Licht as she meets the woman behind the label and takes an exclusive tour of her New York City penthouse.

### **36. Salvatore Ferragamo**

Jet to beautiful Italy to explore the empire of Ferragamo with host Judy Licht. The family-run business has become a global institution. Visit their headquarters in a 13th century Florentine Palazzo and see the shoe-making artistry in their factory.

### **37. Vivienne Westwood**

Host Judy Licht sits down with Vivienne Westwood to chat about her revolutionary punk rock styles, her becoming a Dame of the British Empire and the current museum exhibition that celebrates 36 year of her ground-breaking work in fashion.

### **38. Stuart Weitzman**

Walk a mile in Stuart Weitzman's shoes as we go Behind the Label with the famed shoe designer. See how Stuart turned a hobby into a multi-million dollar brand and find out which well-heeled stars won't walk down the red carpet without his creations.

### **39. Heatherette**

Meet Heatherette, the campy label created by former club kids-turned-designers. Host James Aguirre shows you how these unlikely fashion stars have proven to the industry that anything is possible with a little glitter, some sequins and a dream.

#### **40. J. Mendel**

Get ready for ultra-lux glamour as we take you behind the label at J Mendel. See how fifth generation designer Gilles Mendel has taken his family's fur business and turned it into a thriving fashion powerhouse.

#### **41. Luca Luca**

Get ready for New York Style with Italian flair as we take you behind the label at Luca Luca. Discover the passions and influences of designer Luca Orlandi. Travel with Judy Licht and Luca to Istanbul for his celebrity-packed show.

#### **42. Zac Posen**

Zac Posen – the Charismatic wonder-boy whose label has glammed up the runway and rocked the red carpet. Find out how this young gun stormed the fashion scene when he was barely old enough to toast his accomplishments.

#### **43. Yigal Azrouel**

Get ready for laid-back, cool, modern style as we take you Behind the Label at Yigal Azrouel. This fashion heartthrob opens up about starting a full-scale fashion house with a simple sewing machine, using milk as a fabric softener.

#### **44. Bobbi Brown**

When women want to look naturally glamorous they turn to Bobbi Brown cosmetics. Join Christina Ha as she discovers how Bobbi started a makeup revolution by simply accentuating the natural beauty of her loyal clientele.

#### **45. Chado Ralph Rucci**

Get ready to meet one of fashion's best kept secrets when we go behind the label at Chado Ralph Rucci. Find out how this master craftsman became the first American invited to Paris to show his couture collection in over 70 years.

#### **46. Duckie Brown**

Duckie Brown is turning the fashion world upside down by embracing bold colours and cuts for men. Join James Aguiar as he finds out how the design duo of Steven Cox and Daniel Silver are pushing the boundaries of what men should be wearing right now.

#### **47. Rising Stars**

Join Judy Licht as Behind the Label shines the spotlight on three designers who are well on their way to becoming fashion superstars. Discover the cool, classics of Rag and Bone – the global glamour of Abaete and the playful prim looks of Thakoon.

#### **48. Carlos Miele**

Brazilian designer Carlos Miele is gaining world-wide acclaim as one of today's hottest womenswear designers. Judy Licht goes behind the label to learn why everyone from socialites to stars is clamouring for Miele's flowing, fluid, sexy silhouettes.

#### **49. John Varvatos**

Meet rockin' designer John Varvatos and see how this maverick of menswear became the master of the red carpet. Join James Aguiar as he goes Behind the Label and discovers how this Detroit native took his love for iconic style to a whole new level.

#### **50. Gurus of Glam**

We explore how Oscar Blandi's couture coifs are turning heads; learn the beauty secrets of famous plastic surgeon, Dr Pat Wexler; and find out how Mally Roncal gets everyone ready for their close-up.

#### **51. Vincent Longo**

Meet the man of a thousand faces – celebrity faces, that is. Join Christina Ha as she goes Behind the Label to spotlight makeup mogul Vincent Longo. And see why everyone from supermodels to today's biggest stars are addicted to his transformative powers.

#### **52. Elie Tahari**

Go behind the label with Judy Licht as she discovers how fashion designer Elie Tahari has risen from rags to riches to become the master of modern sophistication. Plus, go behind the scenes of Elie's latest show stopping ad campaign.