

What's best with **FLARED JEANS**

This '70s flashback is surprisingly modern, especially in dark denim. The most flattering fit has a mid-rise waistline that counters the width of the flair.

STYLE NOTE *Complicated separates will compete, so opt for fuss-free partners.*

TR Ensemble cotton-elastane jeans (worn throughout), \$325; 02-8084 0300/thereserawsthorne.com

HOW TO: PLAY IT SAFE

Little Joe by Gail Elliott silk-cashmere jumper, \$299; 02-9328 0799



Mulberry leather bag, \$1,810; 02-9600 4888

Wittner patent-leather flats, \$139.95; 1300 137 463

Embrace the exaggerated cut of the flare with casual ballet flats.



WORK IT HARDER FOR DAY

Considered accessories—an oversized clutch, statement heels—take this denim to a new level.

Pablo by Gerard Darel cotton-blend coat, \$675; 02-9669 9700. Anthea Crawford rayon turtleneck, \$229; 02-9267 2593. Orotan leather belt, \$95, and patent-leather clutch, \$345; 1800 061 047/oroton.com.au. Prada patent-leather heels, \$990; 02-9223 1688



AND FOR NIGHT...

Layered retro knits give a pure disco vibe.

Chloé sequinned-silk vest, \$2,799; at David Jones, 13 33 57. Phillip Lim cashmere-blend cardigan, \$580; at Robby Ingham, 02-9332 2124. Peter Lang gold-plated brass necklace, \$145; 02-9319 7033/peterlang.com.au. Zoe & Morgan gold bracelet, \$110; at Sambag, 02-9698 3062/sambag.com.au. Nine West wood and raffia clutch, \$119; 1800 099 378. Peep Toe leather heels, \$275; 02-8338 0030/www.peeptoeshoes.com.au