

AMALGAM: Rethinking Jewellery Across Physical and Digital Worlds

CLUSTER London presents AMALGAM, an international exhibition exploring the evolving boundaries of contemporary jewellery through craft, material experimentation, digital practice and artificial intelligence, as part of London Design Festival 2026.

London, September 2026 — From **11–20 September 2026**, CLUSTER London presents **AMALGAM** at **14 Hanbury Street, Spitalfields, London E1 6QR**, bringing together an international selection of artists and designers whose practices challenge and expand conventional definitions of jewellery.

AMALGAM approaches jewellery as a hybrid and evolving field: one that exists not only in relation to the body, but at the intersection of craft, design, sculpture, technology and digital culture. Across physical objects, wearable works and screen-based practices, the exhibition examines how new tools and ways of making are transforming our understanding of adornment.

Traditional and experimental processes coexist with digital practices and artificial intelligence, establishing a dialogue between the handmade and the computational, the material and the virtual. Rather than treating these as opposing territories, AMALGAM considers the increasingly fluid space between them and the new forms of creative language that emerge through their encounter.

Materiality remains central to the exhibition. Participating artists explore jewellery through diverse materials and processes, examining relationships between the body and object, permanence and transformation, precision and unpredictability. Alongside these physical practices, digital and AI-based works extend jewellery beyond the tangible object, questioning what it can become when its relationship with material, body and space is reimagined.

By bringing these approaches together, AMALGAM reflects a broader shift within contemporary jewellery: from the autonomous object towards a multidisciplinary practice capable of carrying narratives about identity, technology, ecology, material culture and our changing relationship with the physical world.

Presented by **CLUSTER London**, an independent platform supporting contemporary creative practices and international exchange, AMALGAM forms part of the **London Design Festival 2026 Partner Programme**.

Event information

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