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Yang Du Autumn Winter 2010

Autumn Winter 2010 sees designer Du Yang continue her surrealist global voyage, however, this time her inspiration is closer to home. Sunbury Antique Market at Kempton Racecourse is where her design journey began;

'I am a collector of toys and visited the Sunbury Antique Market to feed my addiction. One of things I bought while there was Miss Piggy form 1979, it made me laugh! A collection of Dolls I saw, inspired me to create a collection with different colour combination for different girls, hence the giraffe printed dresses in every colour of the rainbow. The Disney film *UP* touched my heart and became the inspiration for the accessories.'

Teddybears, strawberries, doll-like faces and animated giraffes adorn Yang's signature oversized t-shirt shapes in luxurious cashmere for winter with faux fur and leather accents. Hand knitted pom-pommed chicken scarves in ice cream colours and faux-fur monkey-eared hats offset with studs complete the collection which was shown as part of the On | Off Re-Presents showcase this February.

About Yang Du

'Surrealist fashion designer' Du Yang established her label YANG DU in 2009 in London having completed both a BA and MA degree in Fashion at Central Saint Martins College of Art and Design. The label launched with the collection IT IS A DREAM IN COLOURS, which Yang designed to, 'blur the line between art and fashion.' Her collections continue to reference the weird and the worldly with inspiration taken from trips to India, Egypt, Hungry and most recently Ecuador. Du describes her style as 'relaxed, humorous and sexy.' With experience working alongside John Galliano, Vivienne Westwood and Giles Deacon already under her belt, Du continues along her fashion path, inspired by love and life...

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