

B A V T A I L O R

ākāśa aw19/20 collection



love our space as we love ourselves.

**you must be the change you wish to see in the world.**

Mahatma Gandhi

**a conscious brand that entails to go beyond fashion through the following 360° sustainability manifesto.**



**brand ethos** - member of Common Objective & Green Fashion Week; global platforms dedicated to a fair and sustainable future for fashion.



**sustainable design** - design is 100% digital and wastage is minimal during sampling & production.



**materials** - luxury italian & international fair trade materials are certified, natural fibres or recycled, endeavouring to not harm humans or animals for any creation.



**ethical production** - authentic sartorial 100% made in Italy production to support local communities & minimise carbon footprint.



**transparency & responsible movement** - transparent supply chain whilst endeavouring to improve its manifesto of sustainability.



**social contribution** - pledge to minimise the environmental impact & through proceeds of sales, endeavours to sustain global projects.



**inner awareness** - a wellness project through the colours, anti-allergic materials & brand communication.



**spread the manifesto** - a project manifesting towards a circular economy.

## ABOUT BAV TAILOR

### BAV TAILOR | SUSTAINABLE LUXURY

a wellness project that incorporates a collective fusion of finest certified natural or recycled materials and pure, geometrical silhouettes inspired by design, architecture and Eastern philosophies that represent true hallmarks of authentic 100% Made in Italy, and Eco-Sustainability in the brand ethos.

Born in London, Indian by origin, a nomad in spirit.

The Conscious Creative Bav Tailor, upholds the tradition of her Grandfathers, great Sartorialists, sourcing materials from suppliers, which encapsulate excellence in innovation, craftsmanship and respectful standards.

The result is an effortless tailor-made fit of each BAV TAILOR piece allowing freedom of movement, functionality, and peace of mind during one's soulful evolution.

BAV TAILOR is a member of the Common Objective and Green Fashion Week, global platforms for sustainable fashion and through the brand's 360° sustainability manifesto endeavours to make a social contribution. The brand supports through a percentage of its proceeds, various foundations to sustain human development and health missions in developing countries.

The brand endeavours to not harm humans or animals for the creation of any BAV TAILOR piece.

Premium natural fabrics as well as certified eco-sustainable materials are carefully sourced with the focus on ensuring very close knit relationships with suppliers and agents, BAV TAILOR aims on one spectrum to ensure that ethical work standards are upheld, whilst providing a platform for young creatives to express their artistic talents, in the hope of having their work recognised by talent scouts.

Created for the non-conformist in respect to her body and ambience.

**respect your body + your sphere.**

#sustainableattitudes

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photographed by elisabetta claudio



“ love our space as we love ourselves - to the moon and back.”

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ākāśa aw 19/20 Collection – a discovery of space and matter.

The source from which all material elements emanate and are sustained. A collection inspired by a year of global journeys unearthing different lands. From the deep deserts of Dubai, enchanting floral scents of India, to the wind turbine lands of Scandinavia and the Nordic geothermal shores of Iceland. The new Ākāśa aw 19/20 collection interprets this rapport between body and materials through architectural volumes delicately draped to create structured yet effortless agender silhouettes. A juxtaposition of pure sustainably certified natural materials such as suri alpaca, long sheep and green Biellese wool to organic wild tussah, rich Italian and Japanese silks layered with innovative milk and bio-based, and carbon neutral technical fabrics as well as recycled salmon skin leather, to create pieces that envelope the body providing a sense of wellness within.

Through the BAV TAILOR artisanal lab platform which endeavours to showcase the refined craftsmanship of global artisans and promote creative talent, the Prana Ākāśa creations have been handcrafted in kind collaboration with Sarah Beatrice, a talented independent textile designer who has developed her savoir-faire and her curiosities around haute couture and ready-to-wear industries working for several textile ateliers in Paris.

For BAV TAILOR, Sarah handcrafted pieces upcycling existing stock material transforming them into new creations. The piece showcases an intricate weaving and laser-cut workmanship using geometrical shapes that form part of the brand's DNA symbolising ā k ā ś a – the connection between space and matter.

Effortless fluidity in functionality and form bring light to an adventure of terrains where space as an element delimits matter, its function being to indicate boundaries with the role of humanity, to sustain the matter we live in - Love our space as we love ourselves, to the moon and back.

This season also presents the Alchemy Capsule Collection – a new collaboration ATHISON + BAV TAILOR - an alchemy of two cultures East and West that share the same life philosophy. Must-have silhouettes of the historical Italian Maison renowned

for braided leather goods are delicately reinterpreted with a new mountain peak detail representing a union of the snow tapped Alps of the peaceful city of Domodossola in Piedmont, home of Athison and the rich Indian horizons of the East, roots of Conscious Creative BAV TAILOR.

Innovatively researched sustainable materials, impeccable 100% ethical and green Made-In-Italy production and timeless linear silhouettes amalgamated into everyday must-have accessories that showcase the art of Luxury Italian craftsmanship.

Each piece in the collection soulfully categorises into silhouettes for all creeds and forms:

**SHAKTI** symbolises energy and empowerment. Sartorial pieces that represent liberation, movement and divine femininity. Pieces inspired by the strength of a woman, the empowering Goddess; the shakti ākāśa jumpsuit.

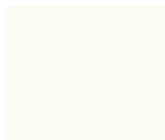
**DVAITA** entails the concept of dualism, the existence of two separate realities. Each piece within the collection maybe worn in at least two different ways. Pieces inspired to remain multi-functional to suit all souls; the dvaita lotus pullover.

**SUCI** depicts clean and purified lines. Fabrics crisply align with the contours of the skin to cleanse the soul. Sartorial pieces inspired by Japanese origami techniques; the suci wanderer trousers.

**LOKYA** bestows freedom. Pieces that allow movement and flexibility. Precious noble fibres that flow freely on the skin without restrictions, delicately allowing the body and mind to breath, respecting ethics and the environment; the lokya lotus maxi coat.

**PRANA** incorporates 3D elements which symbolise life force, an energy flow around the body. Pieces inspired by Japanese transformational reconstruction creating sartorial contours with exquisite materials that encase the body; the prana ākāśa pinafore.

A project dedicated to the Existentialist, a free-spirited Woman determined by her independently authentic choices and actions which constitute her accomplishments and inner existence.



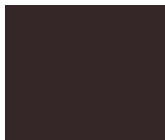
white moon



grey ash



sand jasper



earth brown bronzite



plum garnet

The colour palette remains an exploration of crystal and earth tones fused into natural and researched materials that remain in symmetry with a sober, and balanced way of thinking. Each BAV TAILOR colour reflects the vision to empower energy to the bearer of each piece that honours the Body + Mente + Atma:

**white moon** \* purity, connection, clarity

**grey ash** \* earth, energy, strength

**sand jasper** \* guidance, balance, optimism

**earth brown bronzite** \* self confidence, action, harmony

**plum garnet** \* universal support, calmness, luck

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The materials used in the collection are certified for sustainability and quality by suppliers under the following categories:

ISO 9001 / Seri.co / Traceability & fashion / GOTS / EU Ecolabel / ICEA / Fiducia Nel tessile / CAN / Color system project / Global recycle standards / Oeko-tex / FSC / Save the Water

**SUCI WANDERER TROUSERS**  
**B4SU121**

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100% green virgin wool  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres



LOKYA ĀKĀŠA TIE TOP  
B7LO109

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100% organic cotton







**LOKYA ĀKĀŚA BLAZER**  
**B3LO112**

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100% green virgin wool  
detail • 100% wild tussah silk  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres





**SUCI WANDERER COAT**  
**B2SU114**

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80% alpaca sury 20% virgin wool  
detail • 100% recycled salmon skin  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres  
lining • 100% cupro









**SUCI WANDERER TOP**  
**B7SU116**

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100% silk

detail • 100% japanese organza silk

buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres







**DVAITA ESCAPE TRENCH**  
**B2DV57W**

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bio-based 86% polyamide 14% elastine lycra  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres



**LOKYA DVAITA PULLOVER  
B9LO85**

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bio-based 86% polyamide 14% elastine lycra







**LOKYA ĀKĀŠA MAXI DRESS**  
**B1LO113**

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bio-based 86% polyamide 14% elastine lycra













**LOKYA ESCAPE TROUSERS**  
**B4LO59**

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100% silk





#### alchemy capsule | ATHISON + BAV TAILOR

An exploration of new horizons.

The wanderlust of travelling to new horizons and discovering new lands, cultures and forgotten traditions encapsulated in innovation, enriches our panoramic view of all the possibilities earth has to offer us allowing one to take a step closer in understanding life and one's role.

ALCHEMY - a capsule collection for ATHISON by BAV TAILOR is an alchemy of two cultures East and West that share the same life philosophy, weaved into uncharted natural and recycled materials. Each thread creates memories of soulful connections and journeys.

Must-have silhouettes of the rich Italian Maison are delicately reinterpreted with a new mountain peak detail representing a union of the snow tapped Alps of the peaceful city of Domodossola in Piedmont, home of Athison and the rich Indian horizons of the East, roots of Conscious Creative BAV TAILOR.

The subtly fresh double-facet Alchemy Bag is presented in one of the company's historic braided mélange weave of natural wool and cotton in colour Ghiaccio inspired by the Alps as the front facet with trim details in light grey and Bordeaux vegetable leather, while the back facet is presented in colour Oriente. A piece representing both spectrums of each skyline.

The complete Alchemy Capsule comprises of a slim document holder, belt, bracelet and key holder presented in both colour variations of the mélange weave trimmed in specialty recycled leather and finished in silver brushed brass hardware.

An effortlessly chic capsule collection respecting the innate values of both Athison and BAV TAILOR: innovatively researched sustainable materials, impeccable 100% ethical and green Made-In-Italy production and timeless linear silhouettes amalgamated into everyday pieces that showcase the art of Luxury Italian craftsmanship.

sustainable collaborations.

**ALCHEMY BAG**  
**BA003**

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weave • melange cotton / wool  
trim • 100% vegetal leather  
hardware • silver brushed brass







**ALCHEMY BRACELET  
BA004**

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weave • melange cotton / wool  
trim • 100% recycled leather  
hardware • silver brushed brass





**ALCHEMY BELT  
BA005**

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weave • melange cotton / wool  
trim • 100% recycled leather  
hardware • silver brushed brass





**SHAKTI ĀKĀŚA GOWN**  
**B8SH110**

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100% silk  
detail • 100% japanese organza





**SUCI BIKER JACKET**  
**B3SU06**

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100% recycled wolffish skin  
lining • 100% cupro







**SHAKT I WANDERER GOWN**  
**B8SH100**

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100% silk  
detail • 65% wool 35% silk



**LOKYA LOTUS MAXI COAT  
B2LO118**

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100% green virgin wool  
detail • 100% sheep hair  
lining • 100% cupro  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres









SARAH BEATRICE  
ARTISAN

**artisanal lab | sarah beatrice**

the BAV TAILOR artisanal lab platform endeavours to showcase the refined craftsmanship of global artisans and promote creative talent.

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Her works include experimental handmade techniques in embroidery, paintings, dyes, and weaving. For BAV TAILOR, Sarah handcrafted pieces upcycling existing stock material transforming them into new couture creations.

The pieces showcase an intricate weaving and laser-cut workmanship using geometrical shapes that form part of the brand's DNA symbolising ā k ā ś a – the connection between space and matter.

made with respect





**PRANA ĀKĀŚĀ PINAFORE**  
**B1PR122**

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100% upcycled Alcantara™  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres





**PRANA ĀKĀŚA SKIRT**  
**B5PR120**

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100% upcycled Alcantara™  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres









**PRANA ĀKĀŚĀ COLLAR  
BA002**

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100% upcycled Alcantara™  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres



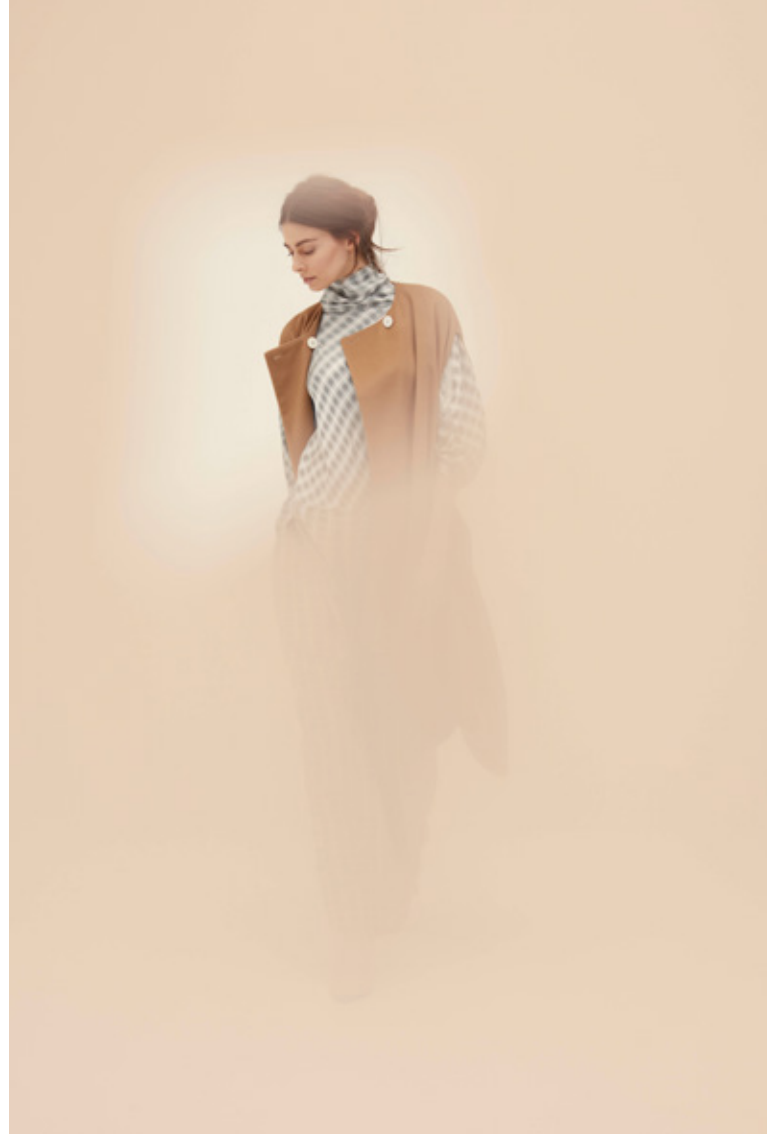
**LOKYA LOTUS MAXI CARDIGAN  
B2LO72W**

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100% green virgin wool  
lining • 100% cupro  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres









**SUCI WANDERER BLAZER  
B3SU115**

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100% wild tussah silk  
detail • 100% recycled salmon skin  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres





**DVAITA KIMONO COAT  
B2DV08**

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100% wool  
lining • 100% cupro





**PRANA MANTRA CHEMISIER**  
**B6PR91**

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100% organic cotton  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres



PRANA ĀKĀŠA NECK TIE  
BA001

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100% upcycled Alcantara™





LOKYA ĀKĀŠA PULLOVER  
B9LO84

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100% organic milk cotton





**PRANA LOTUS SKIRT**  
**B5PR80**

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100% wild tussah silk  
lining • 100% cupro

**PRANA MANTRA SHIRT**  
**B6PR92**

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100% organic cotton  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres







**LOKYA LOTUS CHEMISIER  
B6LO117**

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100% green virgin wool  
lining • 100% cupro  
buttons • 100% recycled cotton fibres





**DVAITA WANDERER PINAFORE**  
**B1DV107**

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100% wild tussah silk





**SHAKT I ĀKĀŚA JUMPSUIT  
B8SH111**

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100% wild tussah silk









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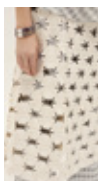
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**ALCHEMY  
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