



FRINGE FEST

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of things

By CARMEN BOESER

Want to jazz up your wardrobe this summer? That's what fringe is for! Designers Calvin Klein, Derek Lam, Marc Jacobs and Marchesa (to name a few) sent looks swaying down the runway with stunning, cleverly-placed fringe. The 1920s-inspired staple swung boldly into 2014 with modern fabrics, unexpected colors, and varying lengths. Glam up your "Little Black Dress" with fringe on a hot date; sport fringe on a chic tank at an outdoor concert; or find a swinging accessory. Just remember, a little goes a long way when you're on the fringe.



Necklace-ABS
by Allen Schwartz
(Bloomingdale's)

Shorts -
Emilio Pucci
(farfetch.com)



Craving more tips? Carmen Boeser is a fashion writer, meticulous outfit planner, 90s music lover, and new mother. Her blog, *The Ruby Zipper*, follows her adventures as she creates eclectic and vintage looks on a budget. A St. Louis native, she also highlights local fashion events and small businesses. Boeser believes there is only one success—to spend your life in your own way, as fashionably as possible.

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