**MORGAINE DELASAUX**

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# Skills Summary

Twenty years experience within the fashion industry in fabric research and development, building a wealth of knowledge and connections. Working with a global supply chain, building a strong network and good working relationships. Passionate about sustainability and circularity and implementing it into the collections. Used to working alone as well as managing a team. Collaborating with other teams within each brand from design, product development, comms, finance, production, merchandising and outside stakeholders with strong communication skills.

# Education

## BA Fashion with Texiles | Ravensbourne university London

1999 – 2002

# Experience

## DUNHILL

### **Senior fabric developer | May 2024 – Present – Freelance**

Fabric research and development research for the AW25 season.

## ROKSANDA

### **Raw materials consultant | Dec 2022 – Present – Freelance**

Raw materials research and development

Budget and zedonk management

## MORGAINE DELASAUX TEXTILES

### **Textiles consultant| August 2022 - Present**

Consultancy focusing on projects relating to sustainability and innovation, MRTW and WRTW, startups and established brands. Fabric and trim development.

## ME+EM

### **Textiles consultant | Sept 2022 – Nov 2022 – Freelance**

Fabric research and development

Interim role

## ALEXANDER MCQUEEN

### **Raw materials research and development manager | June 2021 – August 2022**

Role has expanded to include research and development of trims, packaging and labelling of the RTW collections.

### **Fabric research and development manager | Feb 2014 – June 2021**

Managing the fabric research and development process for both MRTW & WRTW MCQ through to production with a strong focus on sustainability, traceability and certification management. Starting as a consultant on WRTW and becoming full time on both collections in Sept 2014.

Mill and manufacturer visits | budget management | lab dip and colour management | working closely with design, product development merchandising and production | critical path management | researching new up and coming suppliers.

## MORGAINE WADE TEXTILES

**Textiles consultant | Feb 2013 – Sept 2014**

Working with small brands to develop and include new fabrications and techniques into the collection through to managing production and pricing. Clients included MCQ by Alexander McQueen, Toast & LK Bennet.

## REISS

**Fabric sourcing manager | May 2011 – Feb 2013**

Managing the fabric team for both MRTW & WRTW. Fabric and trim.

## BURBERRY

**Fabric development designer | June 2006 – Feb 2010**

- Developing and sourcing new cloth for the menswear collection
- Researching new textiles and techniques each season
- Compilation and maintenance of textiles library for company research and development for both mens and womenswear
- Execution of fabric ordering system which over a two year period cut costs by 10% and time by 20%

- Developed specialised niche in working with and developing UK mills within the collection

## FRENCH CONNECTION & NICOLE FARHI

**Fabric coordinator | Aug 2005 – June 2006**

Administrative role collating fabric information ready for production. Working alongside the fabric developer.

**References upon request**