



Pascale Reymond, Elizabeth Kozlova and Andrew Langton, all at Reymond Langton

PASCALÉ

"I was a judge for the Young Designer of the Year award, and I really liked what Elizabeth did. Bearing in mind she was very young, you could already tell that there was a real flair there. She just stood out. When we had to decide who was going to be shortlisted, I really put my foot down with the other judges. 'You're mad!' I said. 'You have no choice, she has to be in the final five.' She's only 24 but she's already surprised me. It's sink or swim in our studio, and her work is 100 per cent better in real life than it was in the competition.

I don't want to rush her. You have to learn as a designer and make mistakes on somebody else's buck. I'm sure she'll own her own studio one day."

ELIZABETH

"Because I come from an automotive background, I always try and keep my designs very dynamic and sleek. I started an automotive degree with yachts on the side at university in Turin, and after doing the yacht part for just two minutes, I realised that that's what I wanted to go into full-time. It's just much more satisfying to work with those shapes. If you have an automotive background, you know the right proportions and lines to use instinctively, and you can tell a yacht designed by an automotive designer as soon as you see it. I've already learnt a huge amount, and I'd absolutely love to work on a project where I could take on both the interior and the exterior design."

ANDREW

"What makes Elizabeth one to watch? It's hard to know where to start. She's super-intelligent, super-talented, and she's already one step ahead. She's quite unique, I think. In terms of effort, she's also a real trooper, and she's quite often the last one to leave the office. We can send her on board already, to client meetings, and she just takes it all in her stride."

Pascale wears own clothes. Elizabeth wears Max Mara dress, £275, matchesfashion.com. Andrew wears jacket, own, shirt, £215, paulsmith.com, jeans, £119, ralphlauren.co.uk, Superocean Heritage II Chronograph 44 Ocean Conservancy watch, £4,880, breidling.com