

Top designers to feature in UWI fashion show

THE UWI inStyle Fashion Show takes place tomorrow at the National Academy for the Performing Arts (NAPA).

The show, which will be hosted for the first time by The University of the West Indies, St Augustine Campus, will showcase several of T&T's leading fashion designers as they unveil their 2017 collections.

The event is designed to celebrate the contributions of Caribbean people through fashion and will feature the latest styles

from top local designers: Ted Arthur, Christian Boucaud, Charu Lochan Dass, Neha Dawar, Ecliff Elie, Meiling Esau, Heather Jones, Claudia Pegus, Shaun Griffith Perez, Donna Pemberton and Sheldon Warner, the university said in a news release yesterday.

For scholarships

All proceeds will go towards student scholarships and bursaries, the release said.

The show, which runs from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., is being directed by Coco Velvet International Fashion Management.

UWI inStyle is organised by the Fundraising and Alumni Affairs Unit under the Office of Institutional Advancement and Internationalisation (OIAO), the Division of Student Services and Development (DSSD) of The UWI, in collaboration with Media 21.

OIAI director Sharan Singh said: "The people and compa-

nies that we have involved will all play significant roles in creating a most unique event, for your enjoyment, but with the singular purpose of generating scholarships that will change the lives of some of our students in a most profound manner."

Performances by Mungal Patasar

In addition to the showcase of local fashion the show will also feature perfor-

mances by Mungal Patasar and Pantar, Nailah Blackman and Preedy.

General admission tickets are \$200, special reserve are \$300 and VVIP \$500.

Tickets can be purchased at the NAPA auditorium in Port of Spain.

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