



MODEL CALL

→ Oceana ←

Meet Oceana - one of the fresh faces in Philadelphia's fashion industry.

We caught up with her shooting looks for the Supra Endura collection to learn more about life as a model.

Q: How long have you worked as a model and how did you get started?

A: I started modeling when I was 10 years old because I had been asking my parents since I was four years old how I could get to be in a magazine! I took classes in my hometown, connected with Main Line Models in Media, PA, and continued to develop my modeling skills. There, I discovered that I really enjoy runway and print. In addition, I have been on two reality TV shows which were also really fun!

Q: How do you like being a model and what aspects of modeling do you enjoy?

A: I really love being a model. I love being able to meet new people. I work with designers and other models all the time and they have been really great. I've even been able to bond with people in the Philadelphia area.

Q: What did you like about modeling for Gabrielle's line Supra Endura?

A: With Gabrielle, I loved her clothing because it's very original. With this collection, I really like how the colors flow together really nicely and I love the prints and the fabrics she uses - the silks, are really comfortable and I love being able to wear her clothes. And the great thing about it is that she donates a part of her profit to a foundation of her choice; which means a lot to me since I love nature, animals, foundations, and giving the money they need - she helps with that.

Q: What is it like modeling for local Philadelphia designers?

A: Well, the Philadelphia area has a special flare to it and in Philly it seems like a big city, but modeling here you see the same people and you get to connect with them over and over again and that's what I really like about it.

Q: What are your favorite pieces?

A: My absolute favorite was the white dress; it was so gorgeous and it flowed when I was wearing it, I really liked that a lot.



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|| Age: 17
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|| Sign: Cancer
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|| Favorite Color: Blue
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|| Favorite Flower: Sunflower
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|| Favorite Musician: Lana Del Rey
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|| Secret Talent: Styling her friend's
|| outfits
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|| Modeling Career: 6 years runway and
|| print
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|| Loves: Eating bagels, drinking
|| Starbucks coffee, and going on
|| nature hikes
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|| As Seen on TV: Mob Wives - Season 5
|| Episode 4 "Ratalie" as Drita's makeup
|| model
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AT A GLANCE

Q: If you could pick one piece from the collection to suggest for someone going on a date, which piece would that be and why?

A: The piece that I would suggest would be one of her silk scarves because you can pretty much pair it with any outfit and you can dress it up or down depending on where you are going for your date.

Q: Someone who wears this collection should have what type of personality or confidence?

A: A free-spirited personality.

Q: Would you model for Gabrielle again if you are asked?

A: Of course I would! I loved working with her, she's so sweet and I love the collection.



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