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### Where is Fashion Now?

Fashion now is being influenced by social media. Everyone wants to be seen because there's an appeal to being beautiful and feeling confident enough to show other people. As we've recently had the presidency, fashion fired back with shirts with sayings like "Not my president". People have always used the way they dress to speak for what they might say but aren't heard. Just how a picture is worth a thousand words, so is being present and giving a visualization with your appearance. At the moment, I think people are just moving on and through fashion they can distract themselves from the present. The politics, almost starting WWII, the wall, separating families, higher pay, Obama care etc. There have been a few more negatives than positives.

The past 100 years and more of fashion history have led us down a path where no one conforms to what society might create as the norm. Like the 1950s and how it was a time of prosperity, expansion and the beginning of a rebellion. To me, the time we live in is similar to the 50s. That feeling of restlessness for immigrants, the working class, the minorities, and the Blacks. This industry just continues to inspire those to dream and not conform. Business is booming.