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THIS IS: Designer pieces from Brno



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There have always been enterprising and creative people in Brno: the dramatic history of Brno's renowned textile factories is testimony to this simple truth. Within Brno's informal and artistically fertile environment, a number of skillful craftsmen and craftswomen, designers, and fascinating boutiques keep rising every year. This brochure highlights several places that sell products which are not only aesthetically pleasing, but also laudable in terms of sustainability and precise handiwork.

Brno offers plenty of fantastic opportunities to buy some truly memorable and original souvenirs and thus support local creativity and business. You can bring home – for you or your loved ones – some fashionable clothes, beautiful books for children, ceramics, jewellery, handmade sweets and cakes, plants, or household accessories and furniture.

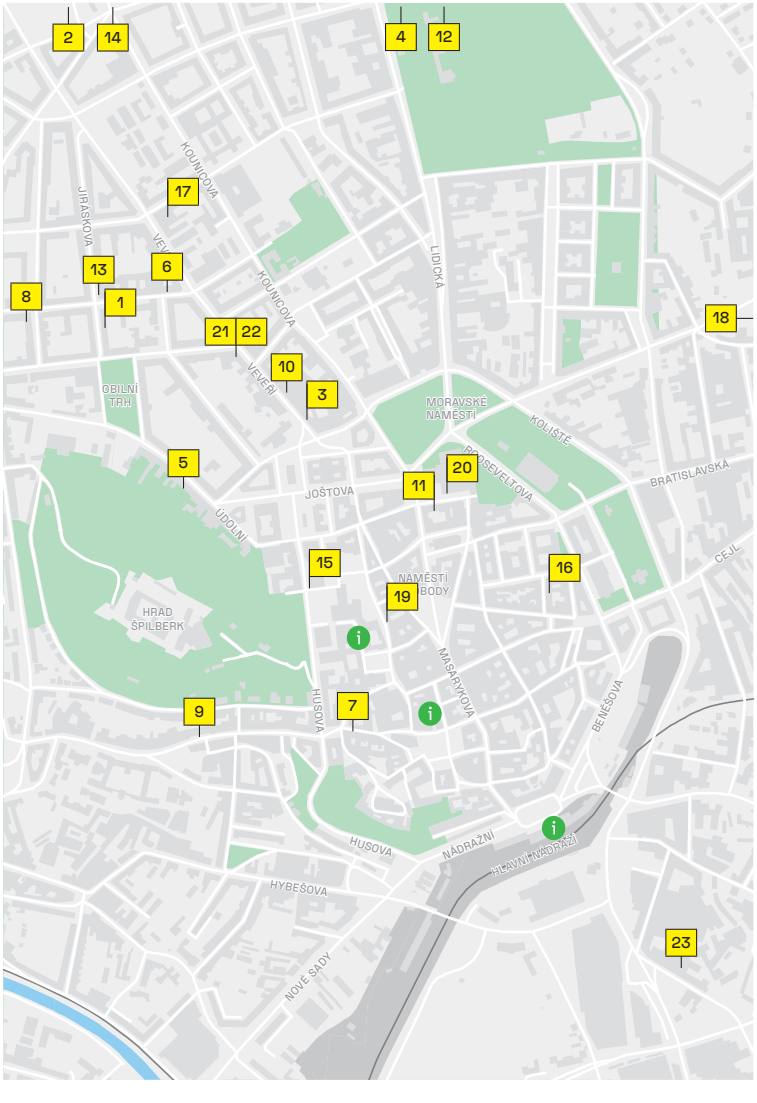
You'll find only 23 places in the selection below. But you can find many more of them in Brno, just make sure you keep your eyes open as you wander its streets! And if this list doesn't include your favourite spot offering gorgeous pieces, let us know.



ITO JE BRNO (THIS IS BRNO)
INFORMATION CENTRE
PANENSKÁ 1

Don't forget to drop by at the TO JE BRNO information centre on Panenská Street. Besides the standard tourist services, maps and brochures, we also sell great designer items and the work of local creators – pottery, clothes, and other amazing pieces. You can find these gifts also at darkyzbrna.cz.

MON—SUN 9.00 — 18.00
www.ticbrno.cz
+420 513 039 035





MON—FRI 9AM — 6PM

Children's books

www.dlouhapuncocha.cz

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DLOUHÁ PUNČOCHA
JIRÁSKOVA 2

A bookshop that carefully selects the finest books for children in Czech, English and other languages. The shop focuses on books that cultivate the reader's taste and broaden their horizons, so that whatever the topic or illustrations, the quality of language and design always pulls you back. You'll also find here all kinds of non-book accessories – post-cards, greeting cards, posters, games and other miniature gift items, for adults as well as kids. You can also drop by to hear a reading, get your books signed, or enjoy some other special programme.



Opening times: check the website

Walking sticks, hats, caps, shoehorns, umbrellas

www.hulkarna.cz

Hulkarna.cz

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HŮLKÁRNA.CZ
HLAVNÍ 110

Hůlkárna is a unique specialised shop that keeps in stock over 500 walking sticks. Walking sticks from Hůlkárna are not only for people with dodgy knees, they but also a great present for a grandma or grandpa, a stylish accessory for the modern gentleman, an amusing gift, or a luxury item for a collector. Besides walking sticks, Hůlkárna sells stylish hats and caps, umbrellas, shoehorns and other novelty items such as magic wands.



MON—FRI 10AM — 6PM
SAT 10AM — 1PM

Czech and Slovak gifts for pure joy

www.jetumilo.cz

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JE TU MILO
VEVEŘÍ 4

The shop owners trawl the Czech market in original, designer goods, looking for unusual or interesting products before gathering them in a single place, i.e. at Veveří 4 – je tu milo! Here you'll find little treasures for personal gratification or gifts for loved ones (from children to grandmothers). The range encompasses original works full of spirit, pieces that manifest a hidden, unique story. We bring you joy from Czech and Slovak design, real workmanship and original ideas, executed down to the finest detail.



MON—FRI 10AM — 5PM

Original Czechoslovak design from the second half of the 20th century

www.novoretro.net

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NOVORETRO
PALACKÉHO TŘÍDA 51

Shop for renovated furniture and original designs from the second half of the 20th century. Specially picked furniture has been hand-renovated and originally modified – creating the uniquely personal "novoretro" style. Our products are designed for those who love original furniture with a story, and time-tested styles tweaked by a contemporary visage. Besides which, they also modify and design interiors. Their motto is recycling – sustainability – originality. Buy less, but better!



MON—FRI 10AM — 5PM

Natural cosmetics, jewellery, niche perfumes, accessories, fashion, art

www.objectstore.cz

objectconceptstore

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OBJECT CONCEPT STORE
ÚDOLNÍ 25

The minimalistic Object Concept Store, opened in 2016, offers brands that combine a unique concept and first-class craftsmanship. The core focus is design and cosmetics; manufactured exclusively in limited series, the shop-owner knows all their stories and the values that drive their creators. The offer includes natural cosmetics, designer jewellery and accessories that can be simultaneously beautiful and environmentally sustainable. At Object Concept Store you'll find brands that cannot be bought elsewhere in the Czech Republic.



MON—FRI 10AM — 6PM

Clothes, jewellery, home accessories, zero waste, toys

Ty Identity Brno

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TY IDENTITY
GROHOVA 6

This boutique designer shop, with an older sister in Ostrava, is establishing its own identity in the creative atmosphere of Brno's Grohová Street. Its brick and mortar space serves as a sales platform for a select group of designers, graphic artists, and contemporary creators. On the shelves, stands, and walls you'll find the work of Czech fashion designers, jewellers and graphic artists, everything made by hand in the Czech Republic or Slovakia for women, men and children. In choosing which products to carry, Ty Identity is guided by environmental sustainability, originality and inventiveness.



MON—FRI 10AM — 7PM
SAT 9AM — 1PM

Flowers and indoor accessories

www.tamasvigh.cz

TAMASVIGH

floristickyatelier

TAMASVIGH – FLORIST'S STUDIO
STAROBRNĚNSKÁ 20

A studio devoted to the traditional arts of floristry in a modern design context. Focuses on the creation of bouquets, seasonal decorations and the sale of ceramics and glass. Flowers and products are carefully gathered together every season, solely from European sources, giving rise to a unique, curated collection, emphasising not only contemporary trends, but also sustainability. Tamás, owner and master florist, creates aesthetically valuable compositions, resplendent in their homage to the natural world.



MON—FRI 10AM — 5PM

Original products for children and their mums made primarily by Czech and Slovak designers

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PLACE BABY
ČÁPKOVA 11

PLACE baby is a bricks-and-mortar shop offering original designer products from primarily Czech and Slovak designers, small family firms and clever mums who've elevated their hobby into an occupation. The main focus is on goods for kids and their mums. The product range is broad – gift items, designer decorations and indoor accessories, jewellery, natural cosmetics, toys, games, books, clothes, baby footwear, maternity fashion, breastfeeding supplies and clothes, even bio-nappies.



MON—FRI 11AM — 6.30PM

Analogue cameras, cameras, handmade photo albums, film photography accessories

www.polagraph.cz/brno

PolagraphGallery

POLAGRAPH
PEKAŘSKÁ 34

Fans of instant and traditional analogue photography opened this “den”, where they sell all equipment and materials needed for analogue or Polaroid photography: cameras (new and vintage, restored by them), film, handmade photo albums, etc. They process films and develop photos. They have pop-up galleries exhibiting the original products of leading Czech designers, creatives and micro-firms. It’s worth popping in to enjoy one of the vernissages, special events or parties they organise.



MON—FRI 10AM — 6PM

Independent local fashion and accessories, handmade

restart-brno.cz

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RESTART FASHION SHOP
VEVEŘÍ 10

Restart Fashion Shop is devoted to designer fashion and independent design. It is a small shop in the centre of Brno, focused on selling local (i.e. Czech and Slovak) brands. Part of the store is given over to the fashion brand Gypsy MaMa. The main inspiration of this brand comes from Roma life and culture, and they work closely with Brno’s Museum of Roma Culture. The shop also works as a training centre for the project Moje první práce, which aims to provide work for young adults just leaving children’s homes and similar institutions. So, since 2015, they’ve been giving work to youngsters whose starting line is way behind most of their peers.



TUE—THU 2PM — 7PM
FRI 2PM — 6PM

Fashion for men, women and children

www.reparada.cz

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REPARÁDA
SOKOLSKÁ 4

Behind the name Reparáda is a fashion workshop that draws its inspration partly from vintage patterns emphasising the femininity, and partly from comfortable simplicity. Besides dresses and skirts, you’ll also find bamboo T-shirts, leggings, underwear and even maternity fashion, at their showroom on Sokolská Street. All items from Reparáda are sewn in and around Brno. They are of a high-quality, carefully made, focusing on every tiny detail. All production occurs in the spirit of slow fashion – it’s sustainable and environmentally friendly, as well as being original and full of ideas.



TUE 2PM — 5.30PM
THU 9AM — 12.30PM

Embroidery workshop

www.zasivarna.eu

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ZAŠÍVÁRNA
JUGOSLÁVSKÁ 23

Zašívárna is an embroidery workshop which makes hand-embroidered clothing and interior accessories with original motifs. These are created according to Zašívárna’s modern designs using traditional embroidery techniques by “sewing grannies”, i.e. senior citizens on disability or old-age pensions. In fact, you yourself can embroider all Zašívárna’s designs using special create-your-own sets, which besides the design and detailed instructions, also contain all the materials you need to finish the piece. Embroidered clothes, cushion covers, and embroidery sets can be bought directly from this small workshop on Jugoslávská Street.



MON—FRI 9AM — 7PM
SAT 10AM — 4PM

Biggest selection of Czech and Slovak hand-made designer creations in one place.

www.placestore.cz

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PLACE STORE
MORAVSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ 4

A pleasant spot opposite the statue of Jošt showing off designer creations mainly produced by Czechs and Slovaks. You’ll find here a great variety of goods, all with their own backstory, made with love, by hand and heart. There’s a huge range of jewellery, natural cosmetics, designer fashions, bags, handbags, backpacks, accessories, original stationery items and other amazing pieces that will delight everyone, not only lovers of original design. Quality, originality and boundless inspiration.



MON, TUE, THU 9AM — noon, 1PM — 5PM

Designer fashion – men’s, women’s and children’s clothing and accessories

www.youngprimitive.cz

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YOUNGPRIMITIVE
JEČNÁ 26B

The brand has a tradition within the city, with its first designs going to print in 2004. As time has passed, this urban fashion brand, whose priorities are simplicity and high-quality materials that provide longevity, has carved out a distinctive style. Once dealing exclusively in men’s wardrobe, women’s and children’s fashion is now being produced. Timeless design and the restricted quantities of pieces being produced ensure customers retain their originality. So why not jump on the number one tram and head over to their showroom in Řečkovice.



MON—FRI 10AM — 6PM
SAT 9AM — 1PM

Limited clothes collections for women

www.denisanova.cz

DENISA NOVÁ DNB
VESELÁ 4

The DNB brand was established in 1999 by fashion designer Denisa Nová. Several times a year she brings out a limited collection of clothes and accessories with an overarching concept, so that items match and can be easily combined. Individual models are minimalist, striking, and subliminally yet powerfully attractive. The dressmaking and materials used are naturally of the highest possible quality. The designer says: “I believe your clothes become your second skin. The person always takes precedence over the clothes. Never the other way round.”



WED, FRI, SAT, SUN 10AM — 6PM
THU 10AM — 7PM

Books about art, children’s books, artist’s books

bookstore.artmap.cz

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MÍSTODRŽITELSKÝ PALÁC,
MORAVSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ 1A

The ArtMap bookstore specialises in books about art, and understands its space as a platform for small and start-up publishers or writers’/artists’ projects, as well as for larger publishers from the Czech Republic and abroad. The stock includes exhibition catalogues, monographs, artists’ books, theoretical texts, specialised magazines, DVDs, sound media, comics, high-quality children’s books and publications that don’t find their way into general distribution. The bookstore hosts regular exhibitions, author readings and other cultural events.



MON—FRI 9AM — 6PM

Designer fashion, freshly roasted coffee, recycled second-hand clothes, kaleidoscopes, paper models and 3D cut-out scenes, greetings cards

www.naseveci.cz

NAŠE VĚCI
JIRÁSKOVA 16

The cosy little shop Naše věci has been around since 2011. From the beginning, the founders envisaged a welcoming place where customers could get to know their creations, and at the same time enjoy a cup of coffee. It’s been a solid success! Besides recycled second-hand clothing, they also sell designer fashion and their own creative 3D cut-out paper scenes, not just for children – anyone can take home a kit and put together typical Czech forest, Brno, Japan, Greenland or their own snug little room.



TUE 3PM — 6PM
WED 10AM — 3PM
THU 3PM — 6PM
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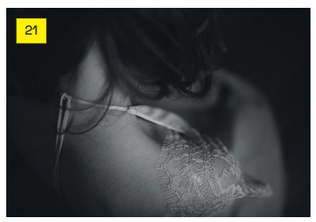
Clothes that brighten a girl’s mood

www.puravidashop.cz

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PURA VIDA ATELIÉR
MINSKÁ 5

Pura Vida makes clothes that brighten a girl’s mood and increase her self-confidence. And what happens when girls are satisfied? They make the world a better place. Which explains why Pura Vida dress women in colour and optimism, so they feel like getting things moving. On the yoga mat, the clay court and in life. As they say: if you want to live the Pura Vida, you have to get moving. Pura Vida’s best-known designer item is its range of original leggings. Each design is made into a series of 99 pieces, and with each pair the customer gets a Pura Vida certificate.



Opening hours: by prior arrangement

Fashion for women

Marie Mukařovská Dress

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MARIE MUKAŘOVSKÁ DRESS
GORKÉHO 1

Marie Mukařovská is primarily devoted to designing and making clothes to order. Her creative output is marked by its precise workmanship, first-class materials, fine details, elegance and simplicity. She is a much sought-after designer of wedding dresses. You can catch her at her studio on Gorkého 1, where you can find other designers working not only in fashion, but also in jewellery and leather accessories.



MON—FRI 10AM — 6PM

Jewellery

www.queenswoodstudio.com

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QUEEN’S WOOD STUDIO
GORKÉHO 1

Hattie moved to Brno from London in 2015 and found her way as an artist in this city. Her jewellery for her brand Queen’s Wood Studio combines minimalist design principles with organic free-flowing forms inspired by poetry and the local landscape. Queen’s Wood Studio is committed to sustainability. All pieces are made from certified recycled silver and vintage gems, using non-toxic chemicals in the production process, and presented in recycled and recyclable packaging.



WED, FRI, SAT, SUN 10AM — 6PM
THU 10AM — 7PM

Pieces by Czech designers, books about art and many other topics, great selection of children’s books and toys

www.moravska-galerie.cz

DESIGNSHOP PRAŽÁKŮV PALÁC
HUSOVA 18

The Designshop of the Moravian Gallery focuses on the current output of Czech designer icons. It offers prestigiously awarded and exclusively limited collections of jewellery, porcelain, glass and ceramics. You can also find children’s toys or interesting book titles, not necessarily all arts-related. The Pražák Palace is not only a place to view short-term exhibitions devoted to contemporary art, it also hosts a permanent exhibition of modern and new art – with free entrance. There’s a reading room and playroom open for children every day, and it’s also free to use.



MON—FRI 10AM — 7PM
SAT 11AM — 3PM

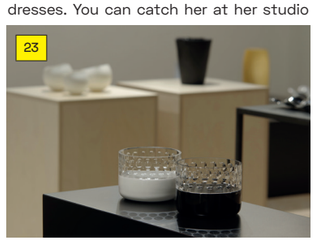
Hood fashion brand

www.wolfgangstore.cz

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WOLFGANG STORE
VACHOVA 8

Seven years ago, when Brno’s streetwear brand Wolfgang was established by Viktorie Kaštánková and Zuzana Milandu, the market had no minimalistic clothes that were stylish, high-quality and comfortable, so they decided themselves to design and make them. Today, it’s a safe bet that everyone who loves sophisticated urban fashion has “something from Wolfgang” in their wardrobe. The fundamentalist white, grey and black range is vivified from time to time with a limited series in colour, but otherwise the brand remains committed to maximum simplicity and timelessness in its choice of colour, cut and materials.



TUE—THU 10.30AM — noon
12.45PM — 6PM
FRI 10.30AM — noon
12.45PM — 5PM
SAT 9AM — 1PM

Czech-and-Slovak design and art

www.artikle.cz

GALERIE UMĚNÍ / ARTIKLE
MASNÁ 9

ARTIKLE is a fine art gallery focused on contemporary artistic production. The central idea behind setting up ARTIKLE is the attempt to bring together the Czech and Slovak art and design scenes. Changing group exhibitions, short-term solo exhibitions, and a diverse programme for presenting art. It offers opportunities for attractive investment and inspiration, grounded in beauty, originality and uniqueness in fine art (pictures, graphics, photography, sculpture and installations) and design (glass, ceramics, jewellery, etc.).



Brno hosts several interesting events closely connected to design. Check our tips:

* MINT Market – regular market with fashion, design and good food / several times a year / www.mintmarket.cz
* Malá noc módy – MNM combines fashion shows, performance, talks, screenings / variable dates / FB: malanocmody
* Le Rendez-vous – market for clothes, accessories and food / April / FB: lerendezvousbrno
* DAFFF – young design show, art, floristry, gastronomy / May / www.dafff.cz
* Brno Design Days – days crammed with talks, workshops, fashion shows and inspiration / October / www.brnodesigndays.cz
* December Design Days – opportunity to buy original gifts for Christmas, part of the event: Brno Christmas / December / www.gotobrno.cz

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