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The WSA Show & The Collections At WSA February 12,13,14 2009, Las Vegas

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Opening Day After-Party At WSA

After your day at the show and before your evening in Vegas, you're invited for cocktails and socializing from 6p.m-7p.m. Mix and mingle with your fellow buyers and exhibitors while sipping hip cocktails and noshing on delicious hors d'oeuvres. The fun can be found in the upper lobby areas at both Mandalay Bay and Sands Expo. Your badge is required for admission.

New Look, New Location For C7

A visually pristine and easy-to-navigate space at the Bellini Ballroom in The Venetian is now where you'll find men's and women's eurotrend athleisure-style products presented by [The Collections at WSA](#). At the new [C7](#), you'll find a café and music in this hip, intimate and buyer-friendly environment. [See who's exhibiting.](#)

A Bigger, Better Box

Find an edited selection of the highest-end footwear and handbags at [The WSA Show](#) in The Box. This exclusive, creative environment, which sits within the main show at Mandalay Bay, level 2, has more trendy, uber-cool styles than ever before. Plan to spend some time in The Box! [Click here](#) for the latest exhibitor list.

What's Trending for '09?

Fashion trends, consumer trends, color trends, merchandising trends. [WSA's conference program](#) has experts who will tell you what your customers will be buying in the year ahead. Don't miss this popular show feature.

SATA Helps You Plan Your Future

Planning for retirement is on everyone's mind. The Shoe & Accessory Travelers Association is sponsoring a free seminar to

help answer your questions. "When Can I Afford to Retire?" will be presented by financial expert Sarat Sethi on Friday, Feb. 13 at Mandalay Bay, then again on Saturday, Feb. 14 at Sands Expo. Both programs are from 7a.m.-8a.m. The sessions are free and a continental breakfast is provided, but you are requested to [register](#) in advance.

Travel And Hotel

Hotels are filling up fast in Las Vegas! Travel Tech Group, the official WSA housing and travel agent, has negotiated hotel rates for WSA attendees. [Click here](#) to book your reservations and find hotels, car rentals, local attractions and more.

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Fringe, Boots Hot, Hot, Hot At Couromoda

Booths were bustling with style and buyers at the footwear fair in Sao Paulo, Brazil. WSAToday.com was there to get the scoop straight from the showfloor.

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Top Sellers: Washington Welcomes Shades Of Brown

At 12th Street Shoes, customers are looking for comfortable, yet fashion-driven footwear that is anything but black. [Read More >>](#)



Survey Says December Same-Store Sales Improved Over November

According to research from TNS Retail Forward, retailers may be gaining back some of their strength. [Read More >>](#)



Countdown To New Safety Standards

Regulations passed by the Consumer Product Safety Commission regarding the amount of lead and chemical phthalates allowed in children's products go into effect Feb. 10. [Read More >>](#)

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