

It's in the bag

This Autumn/Winter, adorn yourself with the most romantic of accessories: Celine's Ecusson bag

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Everyone needs a punchy accessory, that one item in your wardrobe you can always rely on. It's a conversation starter, maybe even a divider of opinions, but for you it never fails. This season, consider the Celine Ecusson bag your next one. It's a shape reminiscent of a traditional coin tray purse, yet big enough to store your keys, your comically large iPhone Plus, a pair of aviators and maybe even your rose quartz crystal if you wish. The question is which to choose? The tan Ecusson is crafted using a Cordoba technique that turns leather into a decorative item – an ancient process traditionally used for interiors – while the black velvet version is the embodiment of high-end craftsmanship, with detailed embroidery executed by expert artisans and uniform braiding. The twisted rope strap calls for this bag to be nonchalantly slung over your shoulder or across your body to reinforce a modern romanticism, with a side of rock'n'roll charm. Think Jimi Hendrix at Woodstock – only you'll most likely be using it to amp up your style on a weekend's vinyl shopping in the depths of East London. The addition of velvet trousers and a pussy-bow shirt are optional, but of course advisable.



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