

# SS/AW

BACKSTAGE AT FASHION WEEK

“In their focus on the preparation of models backstage [these photos] tell us something about the fashion industry quite different from the images projected by the fashion media.” (Andy Grundberg)

*SS / AW – Backstage at Fashion Week* is a new publication celebrating the work of reportage photographer Hatnim Lee. A collection of photographs from fashion weeks in London, Paris, and New York. Featured shows include Alexander Wang, Sonia Rykiel, Lee Roach, Y3, among others.

Lee travels behind the catwalk to capture the elaborate grooming and preparation practices that precede each runway show. With the hum of blow dryers, explosion of make-up dust, and flurry of wardrobe changes, we begin to wonder whether the real action is on stage or behind it.

Hatnim Lee is a Korean-American photographer working and practicing in London, Paris, New York, and Washington D.C. Her work has been published in I-D, Wonderland, New York Times, Interview, Nylon, Elle, and Dossier Journal.

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