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Do Diamonds Glow in the DARK?

*A master designer
shines a light on
a jewelry secret.*

By Olivia Martin



For more than a year, London-based jewelry designer Cora Sheibani hunted for fluorescent gemstones that seem normal but that under ultraviolet light emit laserlike beams and change color. She used luminescent pink “Jedi” spinels and rare blue “Smurf” diamonds to reinterpret her popular jewelry designs and inspire new ones like the Gugelhupf ring, seen here. “I don’t

rank gemstones the way most people do. For me, every gem has its perfect time and place,” she says. “Diamonds, rubies, and spinels stand out in UV light like nothing else.” London’s Louisa Guinness Gallery is presenting an exhibition of the pieces, titled “Glow,” which will come to New York’s Colnaghi Gallery from May 16 to 23. **CORA SHEIBANI**
GUGELHUPF RING (FROM \$20,000), LOUISAGUINNESSGALLERY.COM