

# VENUS ZINE

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### CONTRIBUTE TO VENUS ZINE AND VENUSZINE.COM

Are you a talented writer, photographer, illustrator, or videographer? If so, we'd love to work with you. When contacting the appropriate Venus Zine editor (see below), be sure to include a brief introductory email, information about yourself, including your contact information and your writing/photography/etc. experience. Please include applicable samples of your work (no poetry or term papers, please). We prefer to view Web site URLs, but attachments work, too.

### EDITORIAL CONTENT

#### Verge

Venus Zine's Verge section includes pithy pieces on rising trends, cultural phenomenon, and other timely subjects of interest to our readers. Examples of previously published pieces include trend of young women getting into the sport of shooting, the death of Punk Planet magazine. In addition to blurb pieces, the section features regular, 150- to 300-word columns on travel, career, news, tech/gadgets, and short profiles on crafters, artists, and creative entrepreneurs. Contact Jill Russell at [jill@venuszine.com](mailto:jill@venuszine.com).

#### Culture

Film/TV: If you have experience writing about film and TV and wish to review films or profile actors and directors,

we want to hear from you! Reads: The Reads section features book reviews, author profiles, and other lit-inspired pieces. Pitches about graphic novels, blogs, and literary trends are encouraged. Art: We profile artists and other art topics such as interesting exhibits, museums, and arts resources. For all culture-related inquiries, email Jill Russell at [jill@venuszine.com](mailto:jill@venuszine.com) with 3-5 timely pitches and two brief writing samples. Please submit developed story ideas.

#### Music

Do you know a helluva lot about music? Are you a good interviewer (i.e., you don't ask the same-old same-old questions such as "What are your influences?" and "What's your favorite color?")? Then we want to hear from you. If you're interested in writing music features or reviews, please e-mail two samples of your criticism, 3-5 timely pitches, and a list of your favorite bands to Selena Fragassi at [selena@venuszine.com](mailto:selena@venuszine.com).

#### DIY

If you are a seasoned writer or crafter interested creating in clever how-to pieces or short profiles or blurbs about DIY artists and trends, send your work samples and story ideas to Jill Russell at [jill@venuszine.com](mailto:jill@venuszine.com).

#### Fashion

If you're interested in writing brief profiles of interesting or up-and-coming fashion designers, emerging trends in the industry, fashionable personalities, fashion-forward musicians, or any fashion-related web content, please e-mail your ideas and samples of your writing to Andrea Kasprzak at [andreak@venuszine.com](mailto:andreak@venuszine.com).

#### Illustration, Photography & Video

Please send samples (jpegs or URLs) of illustrations, photography, or prior video work via e-mail to Art Director Denise Gibson at [denise@venuszine.com](mailto:denise@venuszine.com). Please do not send portfolios via mail. We cannot return unsolicited materials. We do accept pitches for fashion editorial spreads for [venuszine.com](http://venuszine.com).

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