## HOUSE OF MCQU POST-MCQUEEN

AFTER THE DEATH OF THE LEGENDARY DESIGNER, THE HOUSE'S FASHIONS HAS RE-MAINED RELATIVELY THE SAME. OR HAVE THEY?

EVER SINCE THE DEATH OF ALEXANDER MCQUEEN, THE KING OF BRITISH FASHION, THE FASHION WORLD HAS BEEN MISSING HIS GROTESQUE SPIN ON CLOTHING AND ART.

FOLLOWING HIS DEATH IN 2010, SARAH BURTON, AN ENGLISH FASHION DESIGNER, TOOK OVER AS CREATIVE DIRECTOR FOR ALEXANDER MCQUEEN'S FASHION HOUSE.

SHE HAS BEEN HIS PERSONAL ASSISTANT SINCE 1997, WHEN SHE GRADUATED CENTRAL SAINT MARTINS. IN 2000, SHE WAS APPOINTED HEAD OF WOMEN'S WEAR FOR HIS HOUSE. SHE HAD WORKED CLOSELY WITH HIM FOR 13 YEARS.

FOLLOWING MCQUEEN'S DEATH IN FEBRUARY 2010, GUCCI HAD CONFIRMED THAT THE BRAND WOULD CONTINUE, AND APPOINTED HER NEW CREATIVE DIRECTOR.



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