



Shoe Fleur

A Footwear fantasy by Michel Tcherevkoff.

When French photographer Michel Tcherevkoff saw an upside-down photo of a leaf he'd shot for a client, he thought it looked just like a shoe. He scanned the image and added a heel—and the first *shoe fleur* was born. Created from real flowers and leaves, each “shoe” is imagined, hand assembled, and then photographed to create dozens of exquisite designs, many of which were collected in his lush hard-cover book. He's also designed collections of lingerie and hats, all made from fresh flowers.

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Hanayuiishi Takaya

Art. Fashion. Floristry.

TAKAYA, is a Kyoto-based artist who combines floristry with art and fashion to create one-of-a-kind headdresses. Takaya has developed a technique of tying flowers, vegetables, fruits, twigs, plants, and feathers into hair to make highly unique and ethereal works—a “unity of human and nature,” as he describes it. He creates each piece spontaneously, according to his model's personality as well as the specific live plants he's using. “Every bloom is different,” he says. “Every stem has its own line.”

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