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DANAT hosts summer internship programme for UOB science students

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The internship provided a comprehensive training experience, including theoretical lectures on pearls and oysters, as well as practical training in DANAT's research department. This initiative aims to cultivate interest in the pearls and gemstones sector among Bahraini science students





Malabar Gold & Diamonds in course to open 20 new stores globally ahead of Diwali festivities

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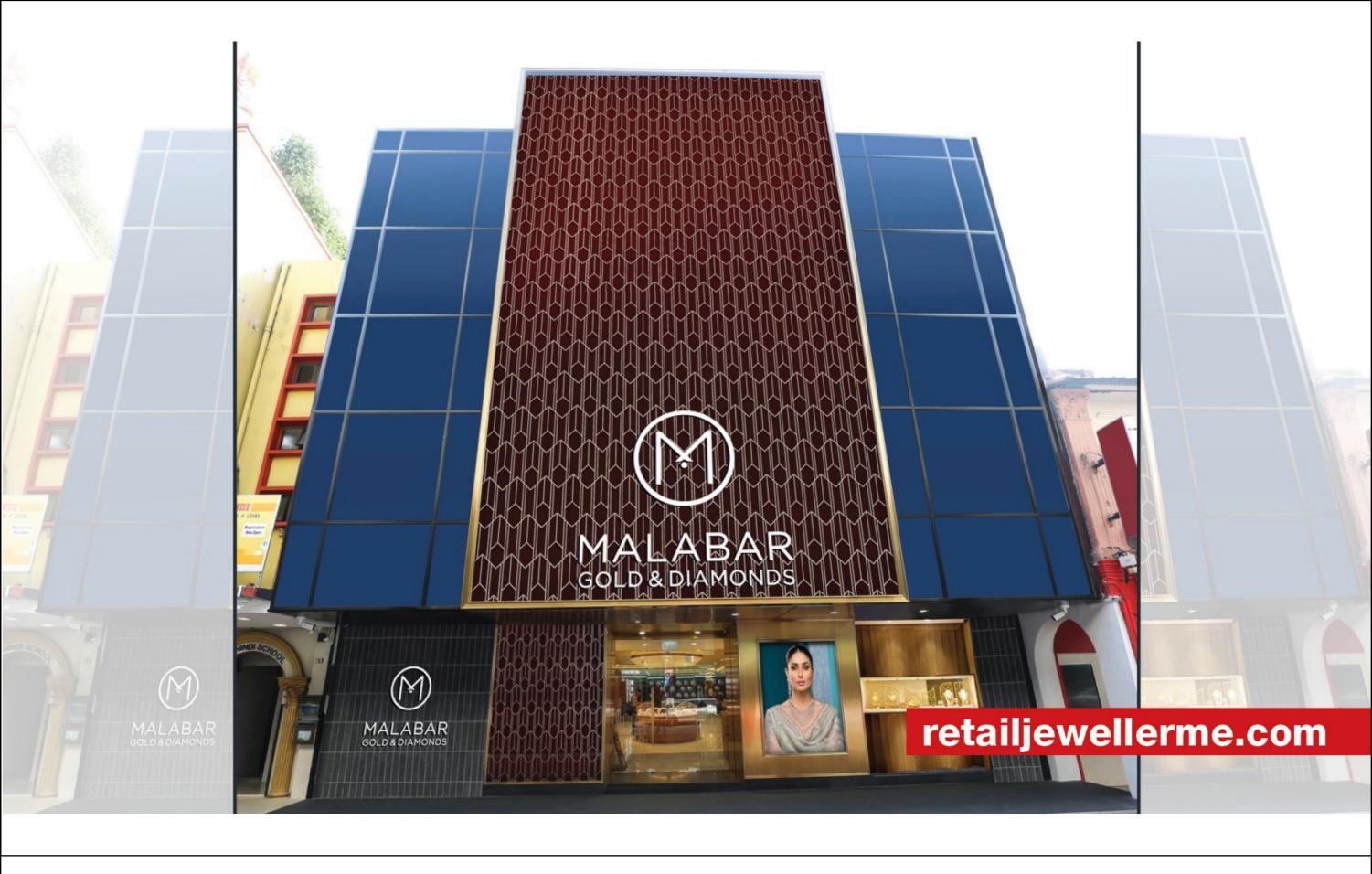
The new stores are expected to enhance the brand's visibility and accessibility in key markets across the United States, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and the United Arab Emirates, as well as major Indian cities including Delhi, Mumbai, Bangalore, and Hyderabad, and states such as Odisha, Maharashtra, and West Bengal





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Malabar Gold & Diamonds celebrates Merdeka with 9th campaign honoring 67 Years of Malaysian independence

KUALA LUMPUR

A key highlight of the event was the introduction of Malabar Gold & Diamonds' newest jewellery collections. The NUWA diamond collection, inspired by natural beauty, and the 916 gold collection, featuring intricate designs of Malaysia's national flower, the hibiscus, were central to the launch





Saudi jewellery brand APOA celebrates Fashion Trust Arabia Awards nomination

DUBAI

The first collection paid homage to the Kingdom's pearl diving heritage, while the latest focuses on "women on the go." Although the design concepts come from the founders, the technical aspects are managed by a designer in Barcelona, with manufacturing taking place in Italy







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Kuwait's Ministry of Commerce committed to upholding rigorous standards for gold jewellery quality

KUWAIT CITY

MOCI spokesperson Abdullah Al-Harez addressed recent social media rumors regarding the seizure of gold with forged stamps. Al-Harez clarified that these claims pertain to an incident from 2021 and that corrective measures were promptly implemented at that tim





Tanishq unveils exclusive Onam collection in select Middle East Region

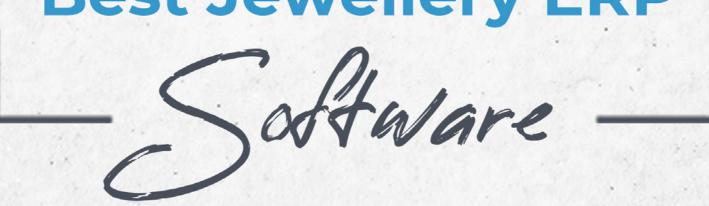
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The collection draws inspiration from traditional Onam elements such as the boat races, Mohiniyattam dance, houseboats, and majestic elephant processions. Tanishq's craftsmanship shines through in these designs, combining innovative features with intricate details that honor Kerala's artistic legacy





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Mazad launches weekly online auctions for premium 24K gold bars amid rising global prices

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Mazad's platform hosted a range of 24K gold bars and luxurious 22K gold jewellery, available at prices below current market rates. In the context of soaring global gold prices, Mazad's auctions present a strategic opportunity for investors





Oman Commerce minister invites Indian jewellers to set up manufacturing hub in Oman

MUMBAI

The meeting was part of an initiative to showcase investment opportunities in Oman and to encourage Indian businesses to consider Oman as a base for their manufacturing operations. Minister Al Yousef also invited Indian jewellers to explore Oman's taxfree zones and industrial estates, noting that while a 35% in-country value addition is required, the process is flexible and negotiable



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Kalyan Jewellers launches '25 Gold Bars' giveaway campaign in Kuwait

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Customers who purchase gold jewellery worth KD 50 or more will receive one raffle coupon, while those buying diamond jewellery worth KD 50 or more will receive two raffle coupons. This campaign underscores Kalyan Jewellers' commitment to rewarding its patrons and strengthening its foothold in the Middle Eastern market







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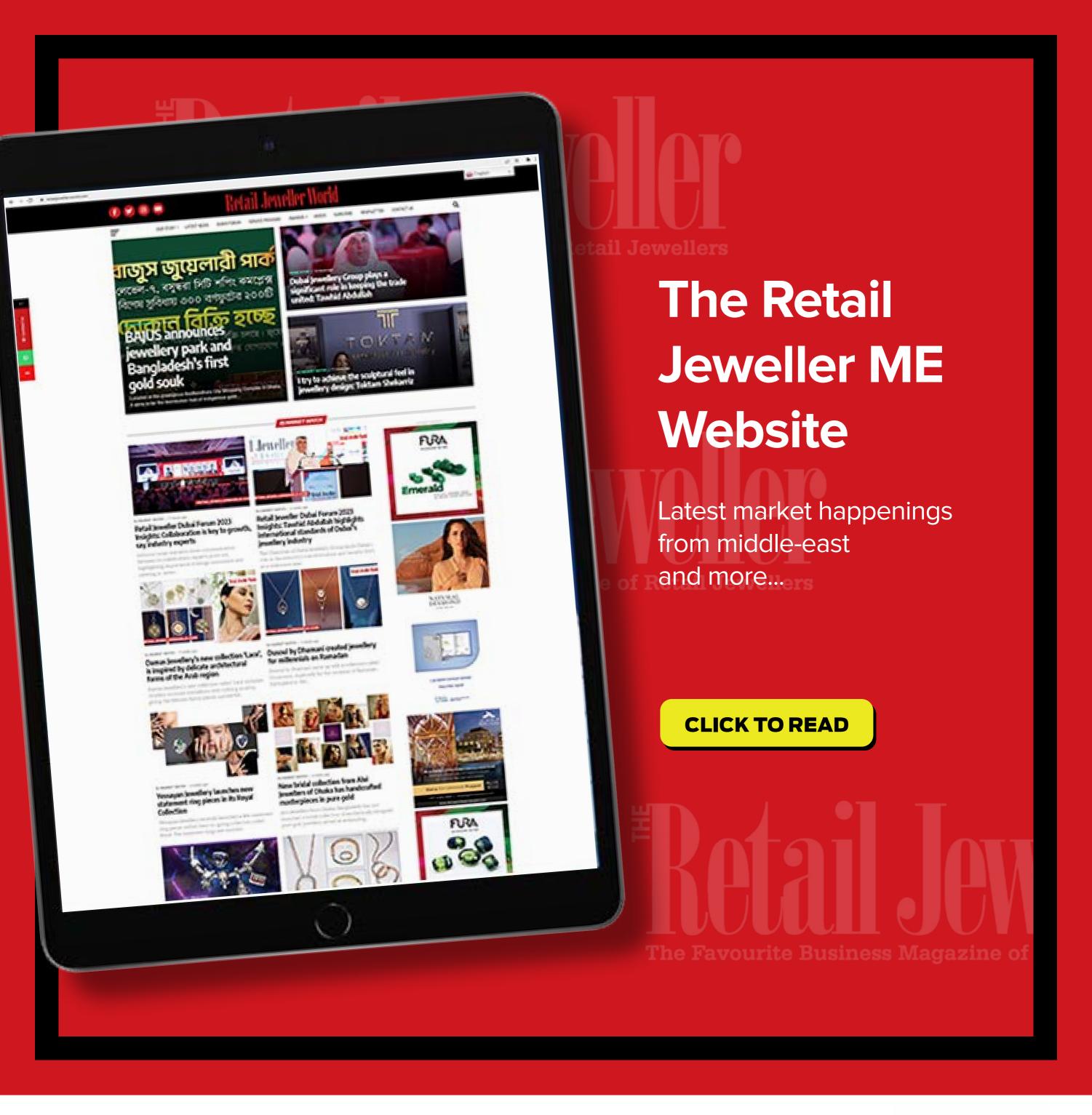


Gold jewellery demand in Egypt rises 2% in Q2 2024: WGC report

CAIRO

Despite the rise in jewellery demand, overall gold purchases in Egypt decreased by 16% in Q2 2024, totaling 14.4 tons compared to 17.1 tons in the same quarter of 2023. The decline in purchase volume is attributed to a 300% surge in gold prices in Q2 2023







Dubai Business Group partners with Ebdaa for inaugural International Jewellery Design Competition

DUBAI

Winners of Ebdaa International Jewellery Design Award 2024 will receive significant benefits, including the title of 'Excellence in Jewellery Design 2024' for twelve finalists, with one designer awarded the 'Trophy of the Year.' Finalists will be provided with an all-expenses-paid trip to Dubai for the awards ceremony on November 14, 2024, and will gain networking opportunities with industry leaders, retailers, and suppliers

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