

RÄTHEL & WOLF

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RÄTHEL & WOLF is a jewellery label based between London and Berlin, founded by designers Sari Räthel and Ricarda Wolf.

They create forms that directly respond to the body, subverting and transforming the expectations and conventions of jewellery design through an awareness of physicality. No piercings are needed, with each piece existing in balance and harmony with the physical contours of the body. RÄTHEL & WOLF believes in self-authorship, their designs are aimed to be inclusive of all bodies, with no specificity towards gender.

For the first time RÄTHEL & WOLF is introducing a texture into their designs. Bold and smooth elements converse, playing with the silhouette of the body. The TEXT collection combines woven metal ribbon with mirrored forms. Interlinked metal fibres mimic systems of encoding, intertwining the body and echoing its gestural language. Serene, reflective surfaces become a personal interface for communication, resonating bodily contours to your receiver.

In our contemporary context, text and screens have become portals for bonding with loved ones afar. In their new collection influenced by this mediation, RÄTHEL & WOLF responds by bringing connection back to an embodied experience. Reflective qualities of the TEXT collection form a synergy of our internal self with the world around us, capturing our intricate bodily script.

The pieces are made in Germany, where RÄTHEL & WOLF continues their sustainable approach using recycled silver and gemstones from hand picked off cuts selected from the gemstone industry.

"... the flesh [...] It was a vast thing, beyond knowing, a sea of information coded in spiral and pheromone, infinite intricacy that only the body [...] could ever read."

— William Gibson, Neuromancer (1984)