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This month, Clare and Natasha answer your questions

## Personal stylists



**Q** How do I change my winter wardrobe into party wear after work? *Debbie, Brighton*

**A** The key is to layer your look – a body-con dress with a cardi over the top for work, then swap the cardi for a fitted blazer, add a statement necklace, et voila! Don't forget to stash some party heels under your desk...

Necklace, £14, Tallulah Tu ☒

Blazer, £62, Esprit ☒



**Q** I want some vintage-looking ankle boots but with a moderate heel so I can wear them all day long. *Suzie, Hertfordshire*

**A** Check out Urban Outfitters – it has loads of boots, and these ones even have socks attached, so it's like you're buying two trends in one!

Boots, £95, Jeffrey Campbell at Urban Outfitters ☒

**Q** I've got a winter-sun holiday booked but no shops have bikinis! Where can I get one? *Victoria, Doncaster*

**A** Simply Beach and Swimhut both stock beachwear for all figures – from flat tums to curvy bums – all year round! Visit [www.swimhut.com](http://www.swimhut.com) and [www.simplybeach.com](http://www.simplybeach.com).



Swimsuit, £62, Swimhut ☒

**Q** I love gadgets but always struggle to use them when I'm wearing gloves in the winter. Can you help? *Michelle, East London*

**A** This is where fingerless gloves or detachable mittens are the perfect solution! Not only do they keep your hands warm – they're bang on trend and super-cute too.



Gloves, £8, Jane Norman ☒

**Q** How do you wear socks in winter? My legs get too cold without tights, but I love the new wool socks! *Sarah, Liverpool*

**A** Wear both, à la Fearne O'Connell – you don't have to bare your legs and you work two looks in one. Try not to clash colours, though, or you'll look a bit too '80s Fame-esque!



Socks, £16, Urban Outfitters ☒

**Q** I really want a pair of expensive-looking boots that doesn't cost a fortune. Where can I get one? *Ellen, Bournemouth*

**A** I'm loving rose gold boots at the moment. They're not just for the love! Try this one – it's a bargain at £40.

Socks (for two), Malibu Sp... ☒