



# Best of fusion chic

Director of the Mango Tree and Jack Tree, Crish Panchal and Upasna Satwani launched Karat, a chic ethnic and fusion wear studio which caters to the discerning fashionista, with clothes ranging from Bollywood glamour to casual everyday chic on September 1 in Colombo.

Stocked with a fabulous range of ethnic, formal, semi-formal, Indo-western and contemporary clothing, Karat also has accessories, hand bags and an intricate collection of jewellery. It's Kurti's and tunics; carry unusual Indian prints and modern cuts and in this lies Karat's appeal. The charming studio also offers incredibly reasonably priced eastern and western wear that have strong North Indian influences.

The name of the studio, Karat, signifies that the collection is precious and exclusive as a Gold Karat. Its interiors are decorated with Mughal architecture and paintings.

Our staff photographer Vipula Amarsinghe was there to take in the action and photograph a few guests as well.

