

# CARE

hair on skin

Following the guidelines contained in this card and the information printed on the product care label will help you to maintain the natural beauty of your Karl Donoghue piece for many years to come.

Please keep this care card for future reference. A copy of these guidelines can also be downloaded from our website.

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## Caring for your Karl Donoghue piece

The shearling, leather and fur used in our pieces are all natural skins making each product unique. Variations in texture and shade are intrinsic qualities of such materials and should not be regarded as defects.

There are different hair on skins including calf, goat, cow and pony.

- Avoid wearing in heavy rain as this can affect the texture of the leather. If caught in the rain, shake off excess water and allow drying to occur naturally (on a broad shouldered coat hanger if a garment) out of direct sunlight.
- Excess rubbing can cause the hair to bald or shed overtime. To prolong the life of a garment avoid using shoulder straps.
- If your leather piece requires cleaning always use a specialist cleaner following the instructions on the care label. It is advisable to remove buttons before cleaning.
- Sunlight can cause leather to fade or change colour therefore it is advisable when storing your piece to keep it in the original dust bag. Never store your piece when damp or wet. Store in a low humidity location, never in a closed plastic bag.