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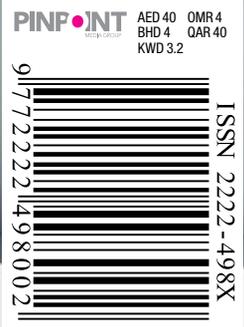
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POCKET GUIDE

THE RAKE delves into the sartorial world of entrepreneur and ex-private banker Shahzaib Khan and uncovers an array of stylish accessories and wardrobe gems.

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1. **Audemars Piguet Royal Oak.** This classical watch celebrated 40 years since its design, in 2012. I don't feel dressed without a watch.
2. **Gucci money clip.** This is a silver clip that I got more than 10 years ago and started to use when I arrived in Dubai. It allows me to carry the necessary cash and cards without the need for a bulkier wallet, which destroys the shape of my suit or jacket.
3. **Tod's loafers.** These are elegant and comfortable and go perfectly with a suit or jeans; I bought them in Milan.
4. **Leather bag.** I got this bag recently, it's an amazing colour and I am a fan of the quality of the leather.
5. **Corneliani Pocket square.** This is a must-have with jackets and works for all occasions. It is a chic finishing touch that distinguishes the wearer.



“My family business is in luxury Swiss watch distribution,” says Shahzaib Khan, who travels in and out of Dubai for work and leisure with dizzying frequency. As the co-founder of K2 Luxury SA (www.k2luxury.ch), his dress code mantra is simply to “always be a little over-dressed, even for the beach” and so he wears suits most of the time; a state of sartorial equilibrium that serves him well in his many professional pursuits. Among these include his new venture in the food industry (www.foodyoung.com), which he does in tandem with overseeing the demands of the family firm. “I’ve always admired Gianni Agnelli, his allure and charisma. Even when I lived in Geneva, I would go shopping in Milan,” explains Khan. “The Italians seem to have an innate good taste in their dress.” Away from the boardroom, he relishes travelling around Europe, hanging out with close friends and searching for vintage mechanical watches. When back in Switzerland, he travels in true Steve McQueen style on a Triumph Bonneville motorbike. He describes his leisure style as “classic Italian,” which means presumably exchanging those stalwart suits for loose linens when on the beach. |

