



### Emerging Fashion Talent

Sandra Moura was talented when she arrived at The Art Institute of New York City. Now she is graduating with increased skills, on the way to making a name for herself in the world of Fashion Design.

In a competition for fashion students sponsored by Air France, Sandra was chosen as one of the finalists. She will be flown to Miami, FL in November for the finals. The winner will spend a year working at a prestigious design house in Paris. "To have come this far is quite an honor," says Sandra. "It was a complete surprise being chosen as a finalist in an international competition. It still feels unreal to me."

Sandra's creations appeared on models as they paraded down the runway in The Art Institute of New York City's Graduate Fashion Show. She also had the honor of having her designs appear on the invitation to the show.

After graduation she would like to get a job in a design firm that is open to new ideas, and eventually create her own collection of ready to wear and evening wear.

"During my time at The Art Institute of New York City, I was blessed with teachers who gave me the skills to go forward and work in a career that I have always dreamed of," says Sandra.

