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For those who prefer their Chinoiserie in smaller doses, these names do the job.

SPECS APPEAL

Eyewear brand Coco Song may be Italian but it is rich in Chinese nuances, being influenced by the grandeur of the former Chinese royal courts and of Shanghai in the 1930s. Chinese silk fabrics and real leaves and feathers are inlaid into the frames while Chinese symbols such as coins adorn the temples. No two frames are alike and the brand is a favourite of those working in the creative industry. Coco Song eyewear is exclusively sold at The Lens Men and at The Eye Site.

