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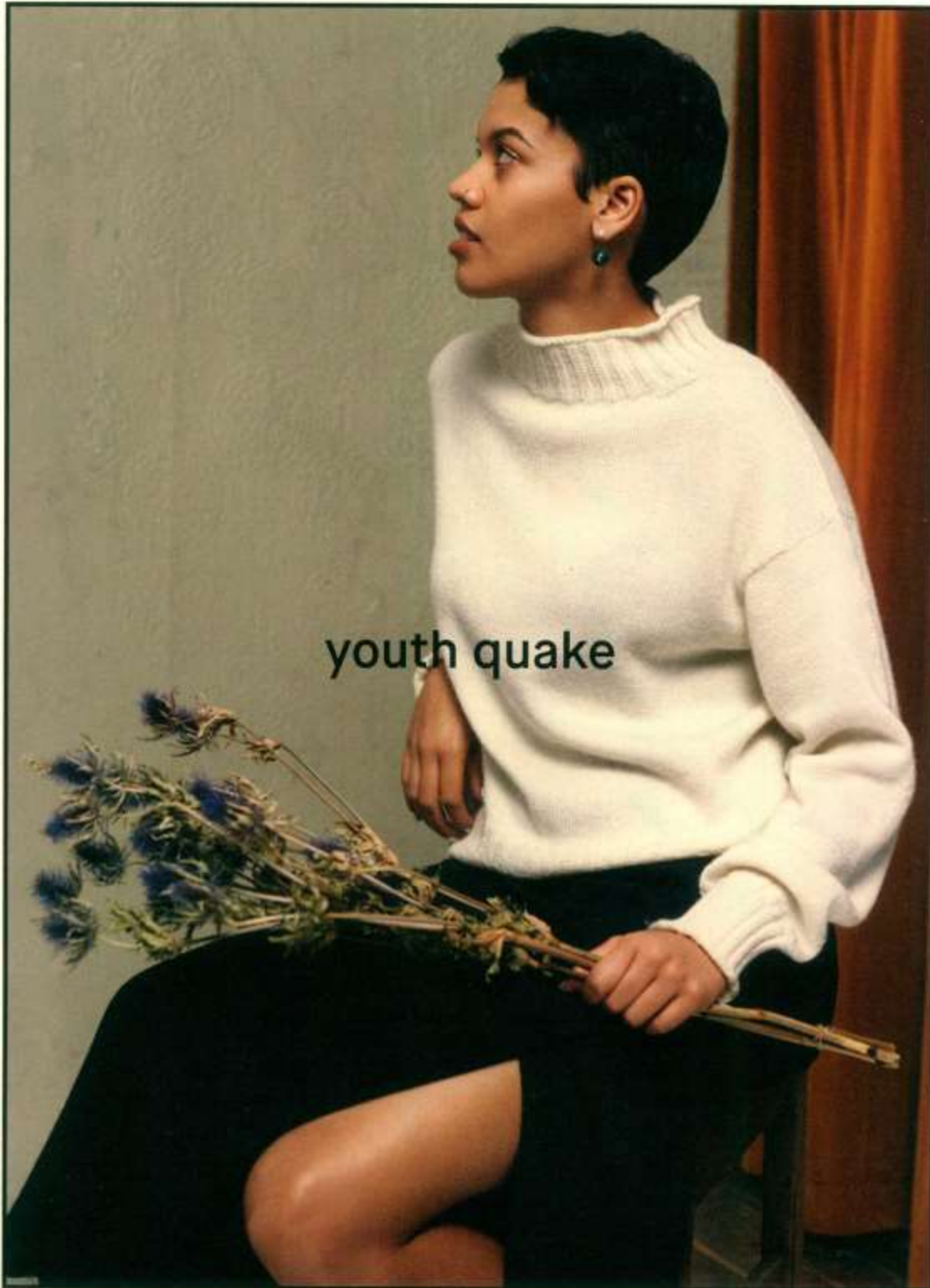
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**Maisie Williams**  
absolutely lawless

Injecting a smack of realism into British youth culture, these five fearless innovators are using punk, drag, film, fashion and fanzines to strike back against the mainstream – and bring creative anarchy to the UK



## Cecile Emeke

"It's rare to see representations of black women through the lens of a black woman," says Jamaican-British filmmaker Emeke, whose Dalston-set short film *Ackee & Saltfish* and doc series *Strolling* tackle subjects as diverse as racial identity, love and taking the piss out of your mates. "I'm not a minority and I think people should start rejecting this term. I view the world through my own gaze, on a planet where the majority of people are brown like me."

Text Kieran Yates Photography Sarah Plantadosi Styling Elizabeth Fraser-Bell  
Cecile wears knitted jumper by Margaret Howell; silk and leather skirt by Ilaria Nistri; earring by Delfina Delettrez

Hair Kota Suzuki at Caren using TIGI Bedhead Make-up Thomas De Kuyver at D+V Management using Chanel S2015 and Body Excellence Photographic assistants Mat Hay, Sarah Merritt Styling assistants Giulio Venttsel, Ioana Ivan Hair assistant Andrew Wang Make-up assistant Akari Sugino