

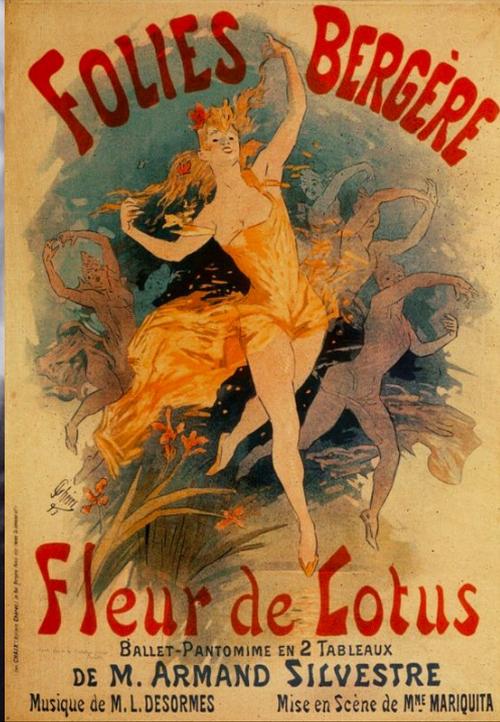


Christian Louboutin born in Paris, France in January 7, 1963. Is the man behind the high-end red bottom shoes.

After working as a designer for some time, Louboutin open up his own shop in Paris in the early 1990s in Paris.



- Visionary
- Self initiative
- Creativity



Louboutin got inspired on his life's passion by accident. On trip to a museum. He notice a sign that said that high heel shoes were not allowed there.

Expelled from school at 16, Louboutin went to work at a famous cabaret located in Paris. He did all sorts of jobs for the dancers, and one of them was to create their shoes.

Louboutin then learned about the shoe industry when he got the opportunity to get a job with Charles Jourdan in the early 1980s.



vanHaren



Christian Louboutin had a five year long trademark dispute involving the French design house and Dutch company Van Haren.

The EU Court of Justice handed down a favorable ruling for the label, supporting its claim that a specific shade of red on the soles of its shoes qualifies as recognizable characteristic of the brand.



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Back In 2012, Christian Louboutin sued Van Haren which operates affordable footwear outlets in The Netherlands for allegedly infringing on its trademark by selling high heeled women's shoes with red bottoms.





- Love yourself
- Dream big
- Be happy
- Follow your heart



In 1991, upon hearing of an available boutique in the Vero-Dodat gallerie, a stylish arcade located in Paris close to the Louvre, Louboutin and two other friends came together as business associates to officially form Christian Louboutin, the company.

