



**"Pucci by Vanessa Friedman.** This book is an absolute tour-de-force of bookmaking and a major addition to any fashion-book collector's library. It explores the fascinating life and work of this important mid-century designer. Pucci served in the Italian parliament, did jail-time for an infamous affair with the daughter of a Nazi general and created a completely original and enduring design aesthetic in his mid-century fabrics. This beautiful book is huge, 400-plus oversize pages features full-page color photos and drawings of Pucci creations: fabrics, clothes, models wearing Pucci, beautiful and fabulous scarves. The icing on this delectable cake? Each copy is bound in an original Pucci fabric. (Taschen: \$200).