



Paris, Place Vendôme – February 2026

## **Charles Oudin Watches to Debut at Palm Beach Antique & Jewelry Show, February 12-17, 2026**

Charles Oudin, the historic French watchmaking house founded in 1797 and based on Place Vendôme, is proud to announce its participation in the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual **Palm Beach Antique & Jewelry Show** taking place **February 12-17, 2026**. This marks a significant milestone for the independent, family-owned maison as it formally introduces its universe of haute horlogerie and jewelry watches to the US market in South Florida.

Now led by the fifth generation of the Oudin family, Charles Oudin embodies a singular vision of luxury – one defined by proportion, quiet refinement, and human connection rather than spectacle. Faithful to **Made in France**, the maison produces limited editions and bespoke creations that favor emotion, cultural depth, and artisanal savoir-faire over technical demonstration.

Often described as *“the most human watch house on Place Vendôme,”* Charles Oudin remains deliberately intimate in scale. Clients are personally welcomed by the family, whether in Paris or abroad, and each timepiece is conceived as a dialogue – between past and present, maker and wearer, heritage and modern life.

Women have long stood at the heart of the maison’s history. As early as 1805, Charles Oudin created a tactile “tact repeater” watch for Empress Joséphine. Today, this legacy continues through refined jewelry watches prized for their femininity, discretion, and timeless elegance. Increasingly, these watches are commissioned as heirlooms – passed from mothers to daughters, sometimes even imagined from birth – carrying values of continuity, taste, and emotional legacy across generations.

Palm Beach occupies a singular position in this story. A historic enclave of collectors, patrons, and multi-generational families, it has long understood the value of objects chosen with intention. In this environment, fine watchmaking resonates deeply with Charles Oudin’s philosophy: timepieces as living objects – meant to be worn, shared, and quietly enriched by the passage of time.

“Joining the Palm Beach Show is a wonderful opportunity to meet passionate collectors, discover a vibrant culture, and share the heritage and values of Charles Oudin,” Claire Berthet, CEO of Charles Oudin shares. “We believe these human conversations are the beginning of lasting relationships in a market that deeply understands beauty, craftsmanship, and legacy.”



At the 2026 Palm Beach Show, visitors will discover emblematic timepieces such as **Retro** and **Lily-Rose**, where architectural clarity meets historical balance, as well as the maison's bespoke approach, offering personalization through dial finishes, precious metals, and discreet engravings – always guided by 229 years of cultivated taste.

Charles Oudin looks forward to opening this new chapter in the USA, guided by the belief that the rarest luxury today is not excess, but **attention, memory, and human connection**.

#### **Event Details**

##### **Palm Beach Antique & Jewelry Show**

 , Palm Beach Convention Center, 650 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach, FL

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#### **About Charles Oudin**

Founded in 1888, Charles Oudin is an independent, family-owned French watchmaking house based on Place Vendôme, Paris. Renowned for its refined jewelry watches, bespoke creations, and enduring elegance, the maison continues a legacy defined by craftsmanship, discretion, and deeply human luxury.