



Ecoist was founded in the Fall of 2004 by brothers Jonathan and Yair Marcoschamer alongside their mother, Helen Marcoschamer and sister-in-law, Gabriela.

The company collaborates with designers to merge design with social and environmental consciousness to provide stylish, functional, and durable handbags and other accessories.

Ecoist is mostly known for its line of handbags made from recycled candy wrappers, food packages, and soda labels. As part of its commitment to environmental restoration, Ecoist plants a tree for every handbag sold.

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The Life of a Candy Wrapper Handbag

Ecoist handbags are made from factory misprints or overages of candy wrappers, soda labels, food packages and other waste-bound materials that could otherwise end up in landfills.



The wrappers are cut, folded, handwoven, and sewn by talented artisans in Mexico and Peru.



Ecoist works with cooperatives, and non-profit organizations that operate fair trade, sustainable manufacturing in underprivileged communities.



Eco-fashion knows no limits. Sustainable style that unites all ages and all races worldwide.



Handbags can be sent back to Ecoist for disassembly or other reuses. At Ecoist, nothing goes to waste.



Buy a bag, plant a tree

Through partnerships with environmental organizations such as Trees For The Future, Ecoist and its partners plant a tree for every handbag sold.