

Couch Potato?

As The One and ID Design unveil their latest collections, *Anna Whitehouse* has a sit down with feng shui expert **Shivani Adalja** about your sofa psychoses and the DVDs that sum you up

1 The Boss

Price: **Dhs2,995 at The One**

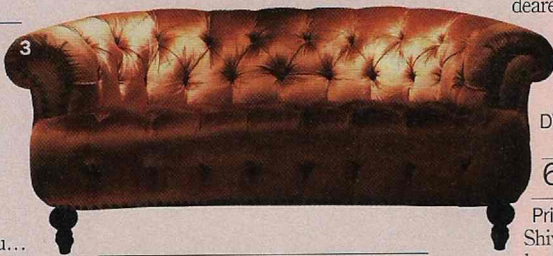
Shivani says: 'It's got a metal shape – there's metal, wood, water, earth and air – which means you are very powerful and professional in everything that you do. I'd say you're professional to the point of anal. Mess annoys you, screaming kids aren't your thing and everything about your life is controlled. But you probably own a nice car, look spectacular and won't go anywhere without your 6ft model girlfriend.'
You are: **George Clooney**
DVD: **Minority Report**



3 The Diva

Price: **Dhs9,995 at The One**

Shivani says: 'Oh my god. This is fire through and through. There's nothing discreet or unassuming about this couch – it wants to be looked at. Fiery sorts are messy (but probably have someone to tidy up after them), really loud and desperate for the limelight. There's something really feminine about its shape, so I'd question any man who opted for this one. But whoever does, you're a bit of an attention seeker.'
You are: **Jennifer Lopez**
DVD: **American Sweetheart**



2 The Connoisseur

Price: **Dhs4,495 at The One**

Shivani says: 'This couch screams wood and it's all about thinking and being creative. You're not someone who likes rushing – unless it's a press deadline or gallery opening. It's all about the comfort for you... hence the two cushions either end of this sofa. There's also a lot of warmth to this couch, so I'd fully expect you to have a mobile phone bulging with numbers and a fridge stacked with food for any passing mates or family. Relationships mean more than money here.'
You are: **JK Rowling**
DVD: **Seven Years in Tibet**



4 The Entertainer

Price: **Dhs4,995 at The One**

Shivani says: 'This is my favourite. It's a brilliant mix of earth and fire, which means you're self-made and independent. This is all about people who think outside of the box and aren't afraid to take a risk to succeed. The offset of that is you attract people because of your confidence and belief in yourself, so are likely to be out and about a lot. You also have a great balance in your life between work and family life. There's a lot of warmth and determination here.'
You are: **Brad Pitt**
DVD: **Ocean's 13**



5 The Godfather

Price: **Dhs4,495 at The One**

Shivani says: 'It's water shaped, which means you're all about the next challenge. It's hard to pin you down because you're always onto the next thing. I'd say you thrive on it. While some may see you as ruthless, there's a strong desire for family underneath and you are totally loyal to your nearest and dearest. This constant desire to move onto something else can make people feel disconcerted around you.'
You are: **Tony Soprano**
DVD: **The Godfather Trilogy**

6 The Go-getter

Price: **Dhs2,495 at The One**

Shivani says: 'It's another metal shape, but it's strengthened by the metal colour. So you're powerful to the point of aggression. Nothing will get in your way. You know what you want and you will get it – irrespective of those around you. To the outside world you are perceived as being cold, but there are people that can break the barriers and when they do, they realise what a genuine person you are.'



You are: **Madonna**
DVD: **Working Girl**

7 The Old Romantic

Price: **Dhs7,498 at ID Design**

Shivani says: 'This sofa is all about wood and water, which means you like comfort and being in a relationship. There's no divide on the cushions, so there are few barriers for this person to be loved or love someone. It's got a very calm vibe to it, so there little confrontation between this person and others. I'd say you're quite happy-go-lucky.'
You are: **Kate Hudson**
DVD: **The Bucket List**

The One Limited Edition sofas are available at the One (02 644 8100), Abu Dhabi Mall. ID Design sofas are available at (02 443 7557), Al Wahda Mall. Contact Shivani Adalja on 050 681 1728 or email chariot70@hotmail.com.



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