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Glitterati out in force for cocktails at Tiffany's with long-awaited Adelaide store opening

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Finesse models (LtoR) Micaela Stark, Sarah Davies, Amy Fromm and Emily Wake showcase Tiffany & Co's beautiful collection of jewels Picture: Dean Martin

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Tiffany & Co put on a dazzling display last night for Adelaide's glitterati to celebrate its arrival in town.

The world-famous American jeweller officially opened its first Adelaide store on North Tce with an exclusive cocktail event featuring models parading diamonds, styled by *Vogue's* Philippa Brophy.

Among those on the guest list, which was restricted to 120 VIPs including Tiffany customers and local celebrities, was South Australian Treasurer Tom Koutsantonis, who cut the ribbon.

Mr Koutsantonis is very familiar with the iconic brand having presented his now wife Anthea with a Tiffany engagement ring when he proposed in 2008.

The couple, who have matching Tiffany wedding bands rubbed shoulders last night with power couple cattle king Sir Sidney Kidman's great grandson Will Abel Smith and his model wife Sara, along with chef Sean Connolly.

Other guests included Adelaide Fashion Festival director and face Cristina Tridente, Katarina Keeler and former politician Natasha Stott Despoja, who also wears a Tiffany engagement ring, courtesy of her husband ex-Liberal party adviser Ian Smith.

Tiffany & Co Australia vice president and managing director Glen Schlehuber said Adelaide was chosen as the site for the jeweller's seventh Australian store because of its strong customer base both online and at interstate outlets.

"Adelaide and just South Australia in general has been a very important market for us throughout the years," he said.

"When we implemented our e-commerce business back in 2008 we had a large proportion of sales coming to SA and to Adelaide."

The new store, which featured many hallmarks of the company's iconic New York flagship, would provide a setting for a swell opening party, he said.

"A very glamorous evening ... a little bit if New York style and sophistication ... but in the beautiful light here in Adelaide."

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