From dorm room to NuLu, this leather Louisville shop opens in time for the holidays

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Just in time for holiday shopping, local high-end leather goods company Clayton & Crume (https://claytonandcrume.com/) will open a brick-and-mortar store Saturday at 216 S. Shelby St.

After starting in their college dorm room at Western Kentucky University in 2012, Clay Simpson and Tyler Jury have grown Clayton & Crume over the past eight years from a production space on Bardstown Road to a 6,000-square-foot expansion at 913 E. Main St. and now a retail shop in the bustling NuLu neighborhood.

The shop will feature all of Clayton & Crume's handcrafted goods, including leather wallets, belts and bags as well as limited-run, special release products.



Clayon & Crume sells high-end leather goods. (Photo: Provided)

Prices for goods vary widely. You can get a bridle nameplate duffle bag for \$1,400, a traditional antique saddle belt for \$85 or a dark brown dopp kit for \$245.

If you're curious how they make their high-end goods, Jury and Simpson invite you to stop by and learn about the process of handcrafting leather goods in the new space. Store hours are Monday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sundays 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Shop the collections <u>claytonandcrume.com (https://www.claytonandcrume.com)</u> or follow along on Instagram at <u>@claytonandcrume (https://www.instagram.com/claytonandcrume/?hl=en)</u>.

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