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It's Time to Break Out the Barrettes

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We headed backstage at the Tibi fashion show and got the chance to chat with hairstylist Kevin Ryan for Rsession Tools about this pretty, clipped-under look. When asked about his inspiration, Kevin said, "I picked up these clips at [Ricky's](#) and wanted to find a way to use them—that was basically it." He went on to explain that he was "having a 90's moment", which meant simple, clean lines...and basic metal barrettes, of course.

To do this style at home, start by flat-ironing your tresses, make a side part and pull it all back into a pony. Then, fold it in half and secured it with one of these big, metal clips. Kevin recommends using some texturizing spray if your hair is on the finer side, and if you need even more hold, you can secure it all with an elastic before you fold it under. "It shouldn't be too perfect," said Kevin, "but it is for the girl who wants to look like she had something done."

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