

The brand's history

For more than 70 years, our French watchmaking studio is constantly evolving.

We invite you to discover the new models of our iconic Newport collection, totally revamped and highlighted by 3 Automatic Limited Edition. Its legendary and unique style, was inspired by the portholes of the transatlantic ships, a tribute to the passion of the Herbelin family for sailing.

Our Newport ambassadors Xavier Pincemin (French chef) and Guillaume Guerbois (world champion of mixology) continue to share important values for Michel HERBELIN such as: Independence, passion, transmission, quality and know-how.

New ambassadors joined the Herbelin team to give a new impulse to the Antarès collection: Emilie Grison and Sophie Dorn, two influencers who perfectly fit with French women style. To emphasize this partnership, we reveal a new watch case set with hat will captivate fans of exquisite elegance. Sparkling and inspiring, these ambassadors reflect perfectly the antarès style, with a large variety of colours and materials, in single or wrap around straps.

MICHEL HERBELIN, A MAN IN MOTION

The story began in the cradle of French watchmaking, in Charquemont, a village nestled in the heart of the Jura mountain range. Michel HERBELIN's parents had intended for their son to take over the family business, but he could only dream of precision mechanics. Against his parents' wishes, he began to study watchmaking.

After spending several years in a local watch factory, whose products did not live up to his high quality standards, and fuelled by the ambition to restore traditional French watchmaking to its former glory, he took the bold step of starting a new venture... his venture.

Michel HERBELIN opened his own studio on the top floor of his parents' house in Charquemont and began to create his first watches at the age of 26.

STANDARDS IN MOTION

It was not by chance that Michel HERBELIN named his first watch "IMPEC" in 1947. He clearly wanted to communicate his dreams and ambitions: to create elegant watches that worked perfectly - "impeccable" watches. He relied on French and Swiss suppliers based in the Charquemont area to give his customers flawless watches.

In 1965, given the success of his collections, he decided to create his eponymous brand. IMPEC became Michel HERBELIN.

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IN PERPETUAL MOTION SINCE 1947

The brand has managed to make it through 70 years all by staying faithful to its original values. All of its watches are designed, assembled by hand and inspected in the brand's Franche-Comté workshops and promote the same philosophy: the creation of timepieces that are designed to last, all the while respecting artisanal know-how and adding a touch of French elegance. At Baselworld 2017, Michel Herbelin entered the digital era with the Newport Connect. At Baselworld 2018, the new generation of Newport watches made its appearance, with a style that is more modern and discreet, but one that continues to be marked by the brand's DNA.

PERPETUATING THE MOTION

Bringing passion to time was Michel's profession for over 40 years.

It was therefore only natural that he passed on his passion for watchmaking to his two sons Jean-Claude and Pierre-Michel, who joined him in his venture. It was at this time that quartz first made an appearance. While some saw this as a sign that French watchmaking would weaken, Michel HERBELIN and his sons viewed it as an amazing opportunity to unleash the creativity of their designers and to take on the challenges of the future.

The passing down of know-how is an essential value at Michel HERBELIN. Today, three of the founder's grandchildren now ensure the success of the family business. Their creativity and expertise has given the brand new momentum.

The brand's know-how

A MICHEL HERBELIN WATCH - TEN KEY CHAPTERS, ONE DESIRE : CREATE TO LAST

• CHAPTER 1: INSPIRATION

... Behind every creation, there is inspiration and imagination, a knowing blend of architecture and fashion. Freehand drawings around a table, papers that are rubbed out, crumpled up and scribbled on. Doubts, convictions and anecdotes. Intuitive visions, ideas gleaned from Michel the founder's archives...

• CHAPTER 2 : CREATION

Once the designer has defined the scope of their inspiration, they must find the creative idea that best expresses that territory. This idea can be expressed in words, or it can take the form of a concrete freehand drawing.

• CHAPTER 3 : DESIGN

The designer must study the smallest details, define the proportions and give an idea of the volume, colours and materials. The watch begins to come to life.

• CHAPTER 4: THE TECHNICAL DRAWING

The calibre-designer, the true architect of the watch, produces the technical drawings while faithfully following the specifications.

• CHAPTER 5 : THE PROTOTYPE

The artisan watchmaker first inspects then assembles the components by hand to build the prototype of the new model. It will then be modified several times to meet the aesthetic and technical criteria defined by the designers. Only when the prototype is deemed to be impeccable can production be launched.

• CHAPTER 6: ADJUSTMENT AND INSPECTION

Before assembling and starting the watch, each component is painstakingly inspected and adjusted to ensure that they work perfectly.

• CHAPTER 7 : ASSEMBLY AND STARTING THE WATCH

At every moment - from placing the dial on the movement to casing-up and hand-fitting - each watch is painstakingly inspected to ensure perfect operation. The watch is started and comes to life - a magical moment.

• CHAPTER 8 : CHECKING THE WATER-RESISTANCE

Each watch is individually tested. The tests are carried out under pressurised and depressurised conditions, for values that correspond to depths of 30 to 1000 metres.

• CHAPTER 9: ATTACHING THE STRAP

This is the final touch, the moment when the watch really comes into its own. Leather, metal, beads: to each watch its own style and personality.

• CHAPTER 10 : OPERATIONAL TESTS

Every watch is examined by the expert hands and watchful eyes of the artisan watchmakers of the production workshop to check its technical and aesthetic characteristics. Nothing is left to chance.



Craftmanship

THE AFTER SALES SERVICE

QUALITY, SPEED: RELIABILITY AT THE RIGHT PRICE

- 2 year international guarantee on Quartz models
- 3 year international guarantee on Automatics
- 6 months guarantee on all After Sales Service Interventions.
- 2 Free links for metal bracelet adjustments on new watches.

MICHEL HERBELIN USES THE FINEST MATERIALS

- Swiss made movements
- 316L stainless steel
- Sapphire crystal
- Diamond Top Wesselton (VS1)
- Genuine mother of pearl
- High grade PVD
- Water resistant from 30 to 300 meters

THE COLLECTION

SPORT CHIC





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Newport Chrono 10



Newport Originals Newport Classics 11



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Newport Quadrant 13



Cap Camarat 18



Trophy

CLASSIC



Inspiration



Epsilon



Citadine 34

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Newport Classics



Newport Chrono



Cap Camarat 18



Epsilon



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Câbles



Scandinave 49



Salambo 54



Antarès interchangeable



NEWPORT AUTOMATIC



The iconic Newport Collection launched two exclusive special edition Gents timepieces, celebrating its 30th birthday in 2018.

A masculine modernist reinterpretation of the Newport Design, bringing modernity to the brand.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

268: Automatic Movement Sellita 13 1/4 SW 510

Decorated, See-through case back

1668 : Automatic Movement ETA2824-2

See-through case back

1868 : Automatic Movement Sellita SW 400-1

See-through case back

NEWPORT AUTOMATIC

Swiss Movement - Automatic

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 100 m.



1868/SQG15CB WR 100m Ø 41mm

LIMITED EDITION
NUMBERED MODELS
EXCLUSIVE SKELETON MOVEMENT



268/G65CB WR 100m Ø 43.5mm

LIMITED EDITION NUMBERED MODELS



1668/G14CB WR 100m Ø41mm

LIMITED EDITION NUMBERED MODELS

NEWPORT



Inspired by portholes of transatlantic ships and provided with a strong personality, Newport is the iconic model of Michel HERBELIN

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

12288 : Swiss Quartz Movement 14288 : Swiss Quartz Movement

37688 : Swiss Chrono Quartz Movement RONDA 5040-D

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Swiss Movement - Quartz

316L - Stainless steel Titanium PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 100 m.











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Swiss Movement - Quartz

316L - Stainless steel Titanium PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 100 m.





NEWPORT CLASSICS

Swiss Movement - Quartz

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 100 m.



37654/AP08GO WR 100m Ø 40mm



37654/AP04GO WR 100m Ø 40mm

NEWPORT CLASSICS

Swiss Movement - Quartz

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 50 m.



12254/AP05GO WR 50m Ø 39mm



12254/AP01GO WR 50m Ø 39mm

NEWPORT CLASSICS OUADRANT Swiss Movement - Or 316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 50 m.

Swiss Movement - Quartz 316L - Stainless steel







18264/AP15BL WR 50m Ø 38mm

18264/AP05GO WR 50m Ø 38mm

NEWPORT CLASSICS LADIES

Swiss Movement - Quartz

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 100 m.







33696/BTR59 WR 100m Ø 34mm



33656/TR59GR WR 100m Ø 34mm

NEWPORT CLASSICS

Swiss Movement - Quartz

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 50 m.







NEWPORT CLASSICS

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 50 m.







CAP CAMARAT



Taking its name from the wild location in the south of France; Cap Camarat is sporty and elegant with a sculptured design

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

12245 : Swiss Quartz Movement 14245 : Swiss Quartz Movement

37645 : Quartz Chrono 12 1/2 Ronda 5040 D

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 100 m.

CAP CAMARAT 316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 100 m.





CAP CAMARAT | Swiss Movement - Quantum | 316L - Stainless steel | Sapphire Crystal | Water resistant 100 m.



TROPHY



With a subtle mix between land and sea, Trophy is the all-purpose timepiece for gents looking for adventure, dressing their wrists with personality

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS
12260: Swiss Quartz Movement
1660: Automatic Movement Sellita 11 1/2 SW200-1 BAS 0
316L - Stainless steel
Sapphire Crystal
Screwed-down crown
Water resistant 300 m.

Swiss Movement - Quartz

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Screwed-down crown Water resistant 300 m.





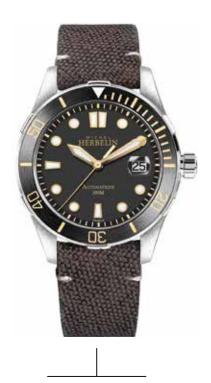
12260/AN14B WR 300m Ø 42mm

Swiss Movement - Automatic

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Screwed-down crown Water resistant 300 m.



Ø 42mm



1660/ATN14 WR 300m

INSPIRATION



With this retro look and the finesse of every detail, Inspiration draws from the lines of the mythical case created by Michel HERBELIN himself, back in the 50s.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS 12747: Swiss Movement Quartz 18247: Swiss Movement Quartz 316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.

INSPIRATION

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.













EPSILON



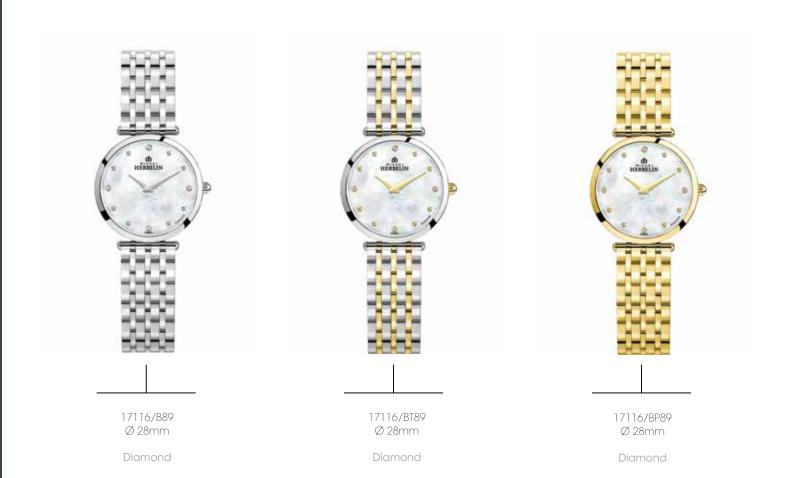
Extra slim and delicate, the Epsilon collection is a perfect example of know how combined with elegance

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

17116 : Swiss Quartz Movement 19406 : Swiss Quartz Movement

19416 : Swiss Quartz Movement 316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.

EPSILON



Swiss Movement - Quartz

EPSILON

316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.





EPSILO













EPSILO





CITADINE



Natural elegance and sobriety, a chic watch, to be worn anytime.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

16915 : Swiss Movement quartz 17415 :Swiss Movement quartz 19515 : Swiss Movement quartz

316L - Stainless steel

Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.

CITADINE







CITADINE









CITADINE

Swiss Movement - Quartz 316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.



17415/04 Ø 36mm



19515/PR01MA Ø 38.7mm



12443/P01 Ø 34mm



16845/P01 Ø 26mm

EQUINOXE



Curved lines and a touch of modernity for this classic yet elegant collection

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS 18397 : Swiss Quartz Movement 316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.

Swiss Movement - Quartz 316L - Stainless steel Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.







M-BAND



Classic timepieces with emphasized metal bracelets and a subtle touch of glamour on the dials - no wonder it is one of South Africa's favourites!

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS Swiss Quartz Movement 316L Stainless steel Gold and Rose Gold PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant to 30m

Swiss Movement - Quartz

M-BAND









M-BAND

Swiss Movement - Quartz









Swiss Movement - Quartz

M-BAND









M-BAND

Swiss Movement - Quartz







M-BAND

Swiss Movement - Quartz Stainless steel High Grade Gold PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.







CABLE



Inspired from San Francisco, its Golden Gate and Cable Cars, this watch combines both steel and noble materials to create a genuine jewel

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS
Swiss Quartz Movement
316L Stainless steel
Gold and Rose Gold PVD
Sapphire Crystal
Water resistant to 30m

CABLE









Swiss Movement - Quartz Stainless steel High Grade Gold PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.





CABLE

Swiss Movement - Quartz Stainless steel High Grade Gold PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.









Scandinave, a refined jewel watch, it's characterized by its simplicity and its minimalist curves

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS 17408 - 17418 : Swiss Quartz Movement Stainless steel High Grade Gold PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m

Swiss Movement - Quartz Stainless steel

High Grade Gold PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.









Swiss Movement - Quartz





Swiss Movement - Quartz Stainless steel High Grade Gold PVD Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.







SALAMBO



Both discreet and elegant, the Salambo collection matches all the trends

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS
17413: Swiss Quartz Movement
Swiss Movement - Quartz
Stainless steel
High Grade Gold PVD
Sapphire Crystal
Water resistant 30 m.

SALAMBO

Swiss Movement - Quartz











ANTARES



This collection is a true fashion accessory, as it offers the possibility of adapting the watch to the individual own style in just one click, thanks to its patented change strap system

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS
Swiss Movement - Quartz
Stainless steel
Genuine Leather Straps in various colour
Sapphire Crystal
Water resistant 30 m.

ANTARES INTERCHANGEABLE STRAPS

Swiss Movement - Quartz

Stainless steel Genuine Leather Straps in various colour Sapphire Crystal Water resistant 30 m.













COF.17443/B01GO Ø 29mm COF.17443/01NT Ø 29mm

COF.17448/01NG Ø 19x32.2mm









INTERCHANGEABLES

BRACELET SIMPLE DOUBLE LENGTH STRAP









BRAC.17048.68/A

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18384/B29 WR 100m Ø 34mm





18384/BTR89 WR 100m Ø 34mm

Diamond

ADVERTISING VISUAL OPTIONS





37688/AG44 WR 100m Ø 43mm





37688/AG65 WR 100m Ø 43mm

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