

# On the Go in Copenhagen: A Father-Son Duo Explore Their Hometown

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VIRGIL NICHOLAS AND VINNY (2)



**An entrepreneurial dad balances career and fatherhood by including his young son in the way he works and networks.**

Welcoming a baby into a family disrupts much more than his or her parents' sleep. It can feel like a tsunami of change that affects every aspect of daily life, forcing new moms and dads to adjust the ways in which they socialize and work. For Virgil Nicholas, a Copenhagen-based fashion consultant and entrepreneur, becoming a father in 2018 meant a lot of change, yes, but it also meant an opportunity to include his young son, Vincent-Laurent (also known as Vinny), in the way he works, networks, and engages with the exciting world of Danish design and Scandinavian fashion.

Along with launching his own footwear brand, Vinnie's, in 2019, Virgil Nicholas has spent the last decade working as a

fashion consultant for menswear brands such as GANT, NN07, Tommy Hilfiger, and Les Deux. Whether directing photoshoots, helping to launch a new flagship store, or creating original social media content, Virgil's work is, by nature, highly dynamic and intensely social. It is work that takes him to every corner of the city, from the offices of top menswear designers to VIP after-parties during Copenhagen Fashion Week. A self-described "people person" with a warm smile and an infectious laugh, Virgil makes personal, authentic connections wherever he goes. And, it would seem, little Vinny is cut from the same social cloth. "Less than two weeks after he was born, Vinny's mom and I took him with

