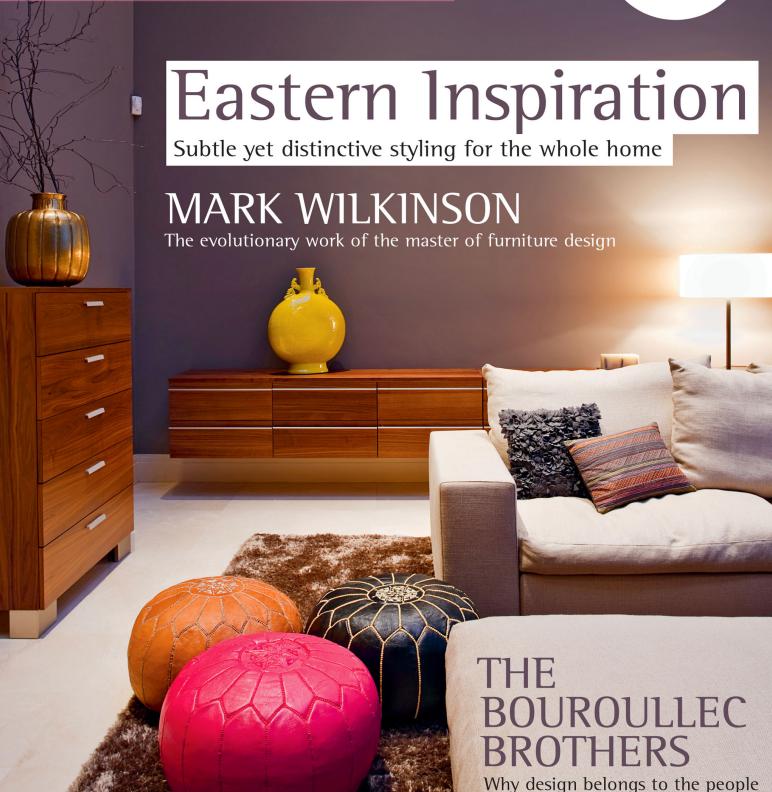
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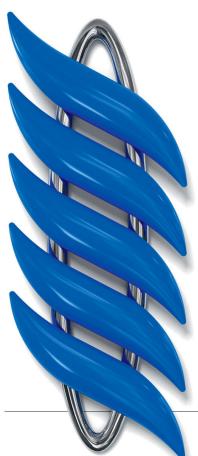




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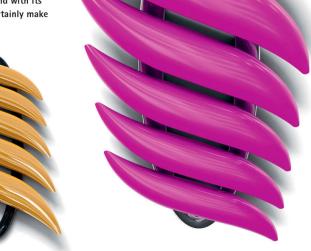


LARGE-SCALE WARMTH

The days of trying to find clever ways to conceal radiators are well in the past. Nowadays radiators are often more dramatic and sculptural and serve as the focal point of a room. The fish radiator concept by the Giancarlo Zema Design Group was designed for Runtal Italia and with its bright colours and shiny appearance it will certainly make a statement in any interior setting.

Giancarlo Zema Design Group www.giancarlozema.com





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A NATURAL SELECTION

Presented at Design Miami/Basel, the Darwin Chair, designed by graphic designer Stefan Sagmeister for Dutch design collective Droog, is covered in 200 different sheets of paper, each in different patterns

When the top sheet gets dirty or worn the user can simply tear it off revealing the layer below. Where each sheet is removed the perforation eventually becomes a comfortable head rest.

Sagmeister Inc. www.sagmeister.com

Droog www.droog.com



ALL SHIPSHAPE

For sea lovers looking to bring a nautical theme into the kitchen, the new Marecucina kitchen concept from Alno may be just what they have been looking for. With nautical shapes, colours and materials, Marecucina brings the freedom of the open sea into the kitchen.

With this design Alno has attempted to replicate the passion for high quality, precise workmanship and expressive individuality often associated with boat building. The theme is carried through with extra features such as the mast, ship storage, walnut surfaces and chrome plated decorative inserts.

Alno AG www.alno.co.uk





TILES THAT LEAF AN IMPRESSION

Karen Ledolley-Smith of KLS Design recently launched a new range of 3D ceramic tiles for the bathroom. Inspired by nature and the shape of fresh green leaves, the baked clay and earthenware tiles have glazed or enamelled finishes and are available in $10 \times 10 \, \mathrm{cm}$ or $20 \times 20 \, \mathrm{cm}$ formats.

They are suitable for use on floors and walls and are made entirely by hand in Normandy, France. The tiles will soon also be available in similar 3D patterns entitled Buds, Twigs and Petals.

KLS Design www.kls-design.fr

