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SARAH RICHARDSON, TORONTO Few Canadian designers rival the populist power of Sarah. When we first met her in the 1990s, she was a novice set decorator. She's gone on to host TV shows, write books, and launch paint and product lines that her fans adore for the accessible quality embodied by Sarah's fresh design approach.



MARCH 2012: CLIENT'S LONDON KITCHEN



BRIAN GLUCKSTEIN, TORONTO & NEW YORK Brian is the master of tailored upscale decor, and his signature moves include "library bathrooms," like this one in a Princess Margaret Showhome (right).



NOVEMBER 2013: PRINCESS MARGARET SHOWHOME



MARCH 2010: CLIENT'S TORONTO LIVING ROOM

KATE ZEIDLER, TORONTO A seminal Toronto designer who mentored Sloan Mauran and Jennifer Worts, Kate has an assured hand when it comes to putting a smart twist on traditional interiors. Whether the project is a wind-whipped mountainside chalet or a wood-paneled library in the city, Kate has a classic sensibility that elevates each one.

A-LIST

THESE CANADIAN DESIGNERS' HIGH-QUALITY WORK AND PROVEN STAR POWER CONSISTENTLY INSPIRES.

WHAT MAKES AN A-LISTER? How many times have we featured their work? Are they still on our radar and sought-after for their great style? These are the questions we considered when compiling this list.

For more A-Listers, see "The Specialists" on page 116.



MICHELLE LLOYD BERMANN AND CHRISTINE RALPHS, TORONTO & MIAMI Former Club Monaco fashionistas, Michelle (left) and Christine always bring a sexy-glam aesthetic to projects here and south of the border (see the Dallas home of NHLer Jason Arnott, page 96). Their pristine spaces are big on white, but never come off as bland, thanks to animal-print motifs and a flair for sussing out the perfect vintage find.

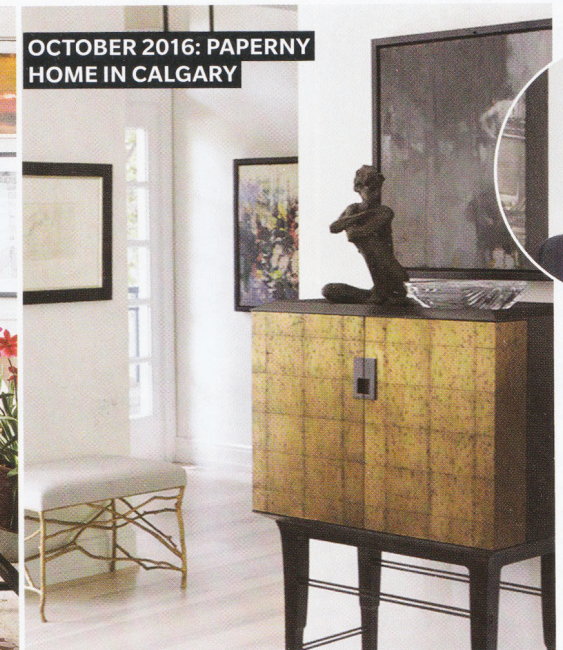


MARCH 2014: SANDY SKOTNICKI'S TORONTO HOME



AUGUST 2009: PHILIP'S PENTHOUSE APARTMENT

PHILIP MITCHELL, TORONTO & NEW YORK A former Gluckstein protégé, Philip is adept at making historical restorations look convincing. His art-packed gallery stairway in the 2015 Kips Bay Decorator Show House was a major moment. Not surprisingly, his discerning eye makes him as astute at art consulting as decorating.



OCTOBER 2016: PAPERNY HOME IN CALGARY



JAMES MCINTYRE, CALGARY A pillar of the city's interior design scene, James draws a devout following for his contemporary style and "prairie calm" neutral palette.

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