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n the Hamptons, where every real estate inch is worth its weight in gold, bucolic five-acre properties are usually the stuff of fantasy, not reality. But occasionally, an enchanting (if not enchanted) property does become available, as one did 12 years ago, when a prominent New York businessman heard about a house for sale a mile from the ocean and the town of Bridgehampton. "I had looked over the years at many houses," he says. "This time, the minute I went down the driveway, which was curving and lined with apple trees, I knew—even before I went into the house."

An architecture and design buff, he spent the next few years renovating the house, which had been built in the mid-1990s. He hired interior designer Victoria Hagan to streamline its post-modern architecture into a comfortable beachside retreat for the homeowner and his two young sons from his first marriage. Hagan's striking blue-and-white scheme was featured in 2002 on the cover of ELLE DECOR, where its all-American sense of style helped make it one of the best-selling issues in the history of the magazine.

And then the man fell in love. "It was the perfect house for him at the time," says his second wife. "But it had to become the perfect house for now."

The newlyweds renovated a luxurious Manhattan apartment with the help of the architect Timothy Haynes and his partner, interior designer Kevin Roberts. During that time, they asked the men to redo a couple of rooms out at the beach, including the kitchen and the master bath. But as time passed, it became clear that a more extensive renovation was going to be necessary. His office became a bedroom for her 10-year-old daughter. They loved to entertain but didn't have enough space. "I have five siblings, and he has two, and there are 15 grandchildren and lots of husbands and wives," she says. "Among other things, we wanted a dining room where we could host 25 people for Thanksgiving."

More than that, the wife—a fashionista and museum patron who, like her husband, has a strong point of view when it comes to design—admits that she was itching to put her own stamp on the decor. As with their urban apartment, she envisioned a home filled with contemporary art, color, vintage



A pair of sconces by Hervé Van der Straeten flank the entrance to the dining room, which features a 1970s Sciolari light fixture above a custom-made dining table and 1950s Dunbar chairs covered in a Rogers & Goffigon linen; the painting is by George Condo, and the large-scale metal piece is by Jim Lambie. See Resources.





Items pictured but not listed are from private collections.

## TREND ALERT

**PAGE 56:** Spain 1971 rug, in green, in 3' x 5', \$1,620, by *Oscar de la Renta for Elson & Company* (800-944-2858; elsoncompany.com). Bow tie, \$185, by *Vanities* from *Barneys* (212-826-8900; barneys.com). Top, \$320, and skirt, \$455; from spring 2013, by *Kenzo* (011-33-1-73-04-21-25; kenzo.com). *Gattopardo* earrings, \$2,580, by *Faraone Mennella* (212-752-5990; faraonemennella.com). Feline linen, in lake/slate, #GWF-3106-313, by *Kelly Wearstler* for *Groundworks*, to the trade from *Lee Jofa* (800-453-3563; leejofa.com). Handbag, \$1,029, by *Dries van Noten* (011-33-1-42-74-44-07; driesvannoten.com). *Selvaggia* boudoir sham, in orange, \$280, by *Pratesi* (212-288-2315; pratesi.com). #2100-10 linen-cotton, in moss/aqua, by *China Seas*, to the trade from *Quadrille* (212-753-2995; quadrillefabrics.com). *Sheila* slippers, \$135, by *Charles Philip Shanghai* from *Net-A-Porter* (877-678-9627; net-a-porter.com). *Les Touches* cotton, in blue, #8012138-5, to the trade from *Brunschwig & Fils* (800-538-1880; brunschwig.com). *Bagatelle* Spot wallpaper, #NCW4026-02, by *Nina Campbell*, to the trade from *Osborne & Little* (212-751-3333; osborneandlittle.com). Leopard ring, \$14,500, by *David Webb* (212-421-3030; davidwebb.com). Mod Leopard dinner plate, \$28, by *Zazzle* (408-983-2800; zazzle.com). *Snow Leopard* iPhone case, \$40, by *Diane von Furstenberg* from *Bloomingdale's* (877-551-7257; bloomingdales.com). Livingstone linen blend, in yellow, #F1406-03, by *Colefax and Fowler*, to the trade from *Cowtan & Tout* (212-647-6900; cowtan.com). Dayglow linen napkins, \$27 ea., by *Kim Seybert* (212-564-7850; kimseybert.com). Midcentury-style chair, \$1,950, by *Mecox Gardens* (212-249-5301; mecoxgardens.com).

## SHORTLIST

**PAGE 92:** *Richard Mishaan* of *Richard Mishaan Design* (212-223-7502; richardmishaan.com) and *Homer* (212-744-7705; homerdesign.com). *Tcherassi Hotel* (011-57-5-664-4445; tcherassihotels.com). *Couture Lab* (couturelab.com). *Gift Lab* (giftlab.com). *Shelborne South Beach* (305-531-1271; shelborne.com). Chocolate-covered candied orange peel from *La Maison du Chocolat* (718-361-9161; lamaisonduchocolat.com). K3003 earbuds by *AKG* (888-452-4254; ak.com). *The Ashram* (818-222-6900; theashram.com). *Harvard Business Essentials* series from *Harvard Business Review* (hbr.org).

## TRUTH IN DECORATING

**PAGES 94–98:** *Alexa Hampton* of *Mark Hampton* (212-753-4110; markhampton.com). *Jon Call* of *Mr Call Designs* (646-652-6601; mrcalldesigns.com).

## UNCONVENTIONAL WISDOM

**PAGE 102:** *Mica Ertegun* of *MAC II* (212-249-4466).

## ART SHOW

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## DANIEL'S DISH

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**PAGE 122:** Acanth dessert plate, \$90, by *Bourg Joly*, and *Mobi* glass, \$42, by *Ichendorf*; both from

*Barneys* (212-826-8900; barneys.com). Festival linen napkin, in lavender, \$55/set of four, by *Sferra* (877-336-2003; sferra.com).

**PAGE 124:** *Corbielle Malicorne Anne Ronde* bowl, \$75, by *Bourg Joly* from *Barneys*.

## OUT OF THE ORDINARY

**PAGES 138–47:** Interior design by *Timothy Haynes* and *Kevin Roberts* of *Haynes-Roberts Inc.* (212-989-1901; haynesroberts.com). Landscape architecture by *Edmund Hollander Landscape Architects* (212-473-0620; hollanderdesign.com).

**PAGE 138:** Vintage sofas by *Harvey Prober* from *Todd Merrill Antiques* (212-673-0531; merrillantiques.com), upholstered in *Orbit viscose-cotton*, in tungsten, #Z100-05, to the trade from *Romo* (800-338-2783; romo.com). Stools upholstered in *Cavallini cowhide*, in sea blue, #C26, to the trade from *Edelman Leather* (800-886-8339; edelmanleather.com). Custom silk rug, to the trade from *Beauvais Carpets* (212-688-2265; beauvaiscarpets.com).

**PAGE 139:** Slipper chair by *Giorgio Montani* for *Maison Jansen* from *Galerie Olivier Watelet* (011-33-1-43-26-07-87; watelet.fr). Lantern by *Antony Todd Home* (212-529-3252; antonytodd.com).

**PAGE 140:** In wife's office, vintage cocktail table by *Philippe Jean* from *Galerie Van den Akker* (646-912-9992; galerievandenakker.com). Vintage resin stool from *John Salibello Antiques* (212-838-5767; johnsalibelloantiques.com). Goat hide, to the trade from *Beauvais Carpets*.

**PAGE 141:** Ottoman upholstered in *Chatham leather*, in silver gray, #C652, to the trade from *Garrett Leather* (800-342-7738; garrettleather.com). Walls painted in *White*, by *Benjamin Moore* (855-724-6802; benjaminmoore.com). Sofa by *Edward Wormley* for *Dunbar* from *Wyeth* (212-243-3661; wyethome.com).

**PAGES 142–43:** Vintage light fixture by *Sciolar* from *John Salibello Antiques*. Vintage chairs by *Edward Wormley* for *Dunbar* from *Alan Moss* (212-473-1310; alanmossny.com), upholstered in *Peloton linen*, in breakaway, #92518-01, to the trade from *Rogers & Goffigon* (203-532-8068).

**PAGE 144:** Custom *duVal* chairs and *Wyatt* table, to the trade from *McKinnon and Harris* (804-358-2385; mckinnonharris.com). Cushions of *Swizzle acrylic*, in French lilac, #795-77, to the trade from *Perennials* (214-638-4162; perennialsfabrics.com).

**PAGE 145:** In gravel garden, *teak* table and benches from *Bloom* (631-725-5940). *Firenze* lantern from *Flair Home Collection* (212-274-1750; flairhomecollection.com). In pool pavilion, vintage stools by *Karl Springer*, and vintage chandelier; all from *John Salibello Antiques*.

**PAGE 146:** Sputnik chandelier by *Stilnovo* from *Bernd Goeckler Antiques* (212-777-8209; bgoecklerantiques.com).

**PAGE 147:** Vintage lamps from *Monument* (415-861-9800; monument.1stdibs.com). Moroccan pouf by *John Derian* (212-677-3917; johnderian.com). Wall covered in *Kikko Trellis* wallpaper, #W6176-01, to the trade from *Osborne & Little* (877-322-7420; osborneandlittle.com). Walls painted in *Dove Wing*, by *Benjamin Moore*.

## REPEAT PERFORMANCE

**PAGES 148–53:** Interior design by *John Saladino* of *Saladino Group* (212-684-6805; saladinostyle.com).

**PAGES 148–49:** *Balustrade* table, to the trade from *Dennis & Leen* (310-652-0855; dennisandleen.com).

*Antique Louis XVI oak doors* from *W. Gardner Ltd.* (713-521-1027; wgardnerltd.com). *Munchausen lantern* by *Kevin McCloud* for *Orange Lighting Ltd.* (011-44-1279-812-350; houseoforange.co.uk).

**PAGE 150:** *Tibetan silk rug*, to the trade from *Sacco Carpet* (212-226-4344; sacco地毯.com).

**PAGE 151:** In dining room, lithograph by *Willem de Kooning* from *Barbara Krakow Gallery* (617-262-4490; barbarakrakovgallery.com). Walls upholstered in *Transition polyester* by *Knoll Textiles* (866-565-5858; knolltextiles.com). In drawing room, screen covered in *Stafford Velvet rayon-silk*, in marine, #1800-39, by *Bart Halpern* (212-414-2727; barthalpern.com). Painting by *Burton Silverman* from *Gallery Henoch* (917-305-0003; galleryhenoch.com).

**PAGE 152:** Daybed covered in *Natura leather*, in burgundy, #1102, to the trade from *Keleen Leathers* (708-409-9800; keleenleathers.com). Walls covered in *Weathered Walls*, in lacquered rust, #B-37-203-L, to the trade from *Maya Romanoff* (773-465-6909; mayaromanoff.com). **PAGE 153:** Painting by *Bernardo Siciliano* from *Forum Gallery* (212-355-4545; forumgallery.com). Curtains of *Clouds linen blend*, in snow, by *Larsen*, to the trade from *Cowtan & Tout* (212-647-6900; cowtan.com). *Whisper Blu* carpet, to the trade from *Sacco Carpet*.

## PANACHE AT THE PLAZA

**PAGES 154–61:** Interior design by *Steven Gambrel* of *S. R. Gambrel Inc.* (212-925-3380; srgambrel.com). Architecture by *Martin Sosa* of *Arcologica Ltd.* (212-625-8575; arcologica.com). Contractor: *Gary McGraime* of *McGraime Interiors* (718-472-3201; mcgraiminteriors.com).

**PAGE 154–55:** Vintage campaign stool by *Fendi* and antique marble lamp; both from *BK Antiques* (212-888-8930; bkantiques.com). Custom *Jules* sofa by *S. R. Gambrel* from *Dune* (212-925-6171; dune-ny.com), upholstered in *Argento silk velvet* by *de Gournay* (212-564-9750; degournay.com). Antique armchair from *Niall Smith Antiques* (212-750-3985). Vintage nesting tables from *Jonathan Burden* (212-941-8247; jonathanburden.com). Custom *VA Collection* rug, to the trade from *Stark* (212-752-9000; starkcarpet.com). *Antique marble mantel* from *A & R Asta* (212-750-3364; astafireplaces.com).

**PAGE 156:** Custom table by *S. R. Gambrel* from *Dune*. *Portia* armchair by *Lucca Studio* (212-343-9005; luccaantiques.com). *Morris* lantern by *Suzanne Kasler* for *Visual Comfort* from *Circa Lighting* (877-762-2323; circalighting.com). Walls painted in *Sterling* and *Winter Solstice*, with trim of *Stonington Gray*; all by *Benjamin Moore* (855-724-6802; benjaminmoore.com).

**PAGE 157:** Custom chesterfield sofa by *S. R. Gambrel* from *Dune*, upholstered in *Manila in Earth leather*, #3010, by *Dune*. Curtains of *Timur linen-wool*, in Sahara, #JW-7206, by *Jasper* (310-315-3028; michaelsmithinc.com). Custom *Sadu* rug, to the trade from *Beauvais Carpets* (212-688-2265; beauvaiscarpets.com). Armchair from *John Rosselli Antiques* (212-750-0060; johnrosselliantiques.com).

**PAGE 158:** Shades of *Cape linen*, in stone, #CP7, to the trade from *de Le Cuona* (212-702-0800; delecuona.com). Windows trimmed in *Anubis* by *Pratt & Lambert* (800-289-7728; prattandlambert.com). Antique chairs from *Jonathan Burden*. Custom *banquette* by *S. R. Gambrel* from *Dune*. Custom *Bhutan* rug, to the trade from *Stark*.