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FARMHOUSE CHIC

Architect Neil Hauck gutted this kitchen down to the studs but retained the warmth and character of the home by incorporating salvaged hand-hewn beams and white oak floors. Hauck collaborated with interior designer Elena Phillips to create a beautiful and functional space. A Lacanche range takes centerstage, while Imperial Danby countertops and Urban Electric pendants call attention to the spacious island. neilhauckarchitects.com, elenaphillipsinteriors.com.



CAESARSTONE

Brillianza, a new surface from the Caesarstone Mineral Time collection, features frosty white veins over a cool gray base with mineral accents and semi-transparent layers in a polished finish. Available through Ring's End, ringsend.com, caesarstoneus.com.



MOEN

Moen's Workstation kitchen sink in 18-gauge stainless steel features a built-in ledge for securing and sliding accessories to make prep and clean up easier. The all-in-one bundle comes with a large hardwood cutting board, colander, and flexible drying rack. Available through Torco Design Center, torcodesigncenter.com, moen.com.



SERENA & LILY

The Portside counter stool from Serena & Lily is handcrafted with a solid ash frame and a seagrass wrapped seat and back. The natural variations in tone of the seagrass make each piece unique. \$798, [Serena & Lily, Westport, serenaandlily.com](http://serenaandlily.com).



DACOR

With a vast menu of cooking modes, including air sous-vide, air fry, convection and steam-assist baking options, the Dacor 48-inch Transitional Range eliminates the need for countertop appliances. Commands are controlled from a seven-inch LCD touch screen and can be enabled by voice or through WiFi. Available through PC Richard and Son, Norwalk, pcrichard.com, dacor.com.



EMTEK

Select Bar hardware from Emtek lends a minimal, sleek and contemporary aesthetic to cabinetry and appliances. Shown here in Satin Copper, it is offered in seven finishes. Available through Interstate + Lakeland Lumber, Westport, interstatelumber.com, emtek.com.

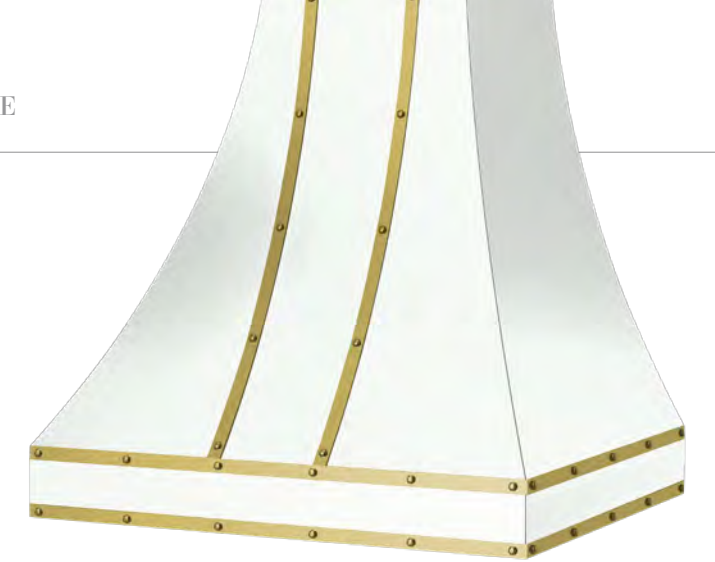
RTO LIGHTING

Made in Philadelphia by RTO Lighting, the Yaffa pendant features a leather clad brass shade with brushed satin brass hardware and a natural oak canopy. Shown here in Navy, the shade can also be specified in Natural or Eggshell leather. Available online through Lostine, lostine.com or through Fair, NYDC, fair-design.com, rtolighting.com.



BLUESTAR

Ridgeline, the newest 36-inch hood from BlueStar, offers restaurant-quality performance with three exhaust settings and a boost feature. Handcrafted in Pennsylvania, the hood is available in stainless or any of BlueStar's 1,000-plus colors and can be customized further with 10 metal strapping options. Shown here in Signal White with brushed brass trim. Available through County TV & Appliance, Stamford, countytv.com, bluestarcooking.com.



KOHLER

The Kohler and Studio McGee Edalyn bridge faucet with side sprayer is distinguished by its high-profile spout, stacked detailing and two lever handles. The transitional design works well in any style kitchen and is available in five finishes, including Vibrant Brushed Moderne Brass, shown here. Available through Kohler Signature Stores, Greenwich, Westport, kohler.com.



FISHER & PAYKEL

The Series 9 24-inch Integrated Triple Zone refrigeration series from Fisher & Paykel offers three independent storage zones for optimal temperature and humidity control to accommodate all food types. Each storage section can be configured with a user-friendly LCD touchscreen or the SmartHQ app. Finished in stainless steel, it can also be outfitted to match existing cabinetry. Available through PC Richard & Son, Norwalk, pcrichard.com, fisherpaykel.com.





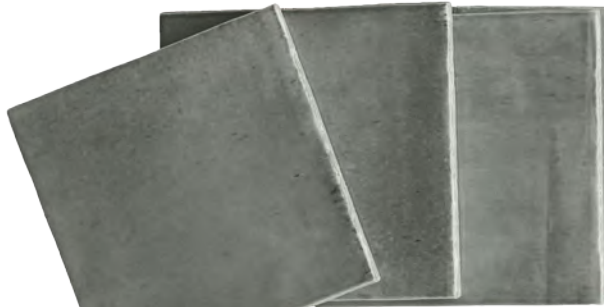
RUSTIC MODERN

An outdated kitchen in a 1920's home was transformed by the team of Design by the Jonathans. Once cramped and closed off, this kitchen is now open to the living areas and functions as both a cooking and gathering space. Designer Lana Nguyen specified custom walnut veneer and gray flat-panel cabinetry by EHL Kitchens, Japanese-inspired Enso tile by Wow Design and state-of-the art appliances. Large windows bring in the light, while the dark wood cabinets and earthy tile speak to the home's rustic origin as a barn. thejonathans.com.



WELLBORN CABINET

No more hunting for items in the back of the cabinet. Wellborn Cabinet's Sliding Shelves offer the solution in an array of styles, finishes and materials, bringing every item to the forefront. wellborn.com.



ANN SACKS

Crafted in Spain, the dry pressed design and textural surface of the Ann Sacks Canyon Lake by Studio McGee tile adds dimensional depth to a backsplash. Made from 51-percent recycled content, the tiles are finished in a choice of gloss or matte glaze. Available through Kohler Signature Store, Greenwich, Westport, kohler.com, annsacks.com.



WALKER ZANGER

Walker Zanger's Perpetua quartz collection is durable and beautiful, engineered with high quality composite materials and offered in a wide palette of tonal hues for rich depth and intricate complexity. Libeccio quartz, polished, is shown here. Port Chester, NY, walkerzanger.com.



CABBONET

Hailing from the Montane collection, this handcrafted sink from bespoke British brand Cabbonet is a throwback to the practical and durable stone sinks found in Europe. Made from a solid block of Grigio Orobico marble, the six-foot-long sink becomes an architectural statement in the kitchen. Cabbonet Kitchen Gallery, Mamaroneck NY, cabbonet.com.



SIGNATURE KITCHEN SUITE

With impressive capacity, the Signature Kitchen Suite's 48-inch French Door refrigerator includes the brand's exclusive five-mode refrigerator/freezer convertible drawer and dual ice maker with Craft Ice. Available through Planet TV & Appliances, Stamford, planettv.com, signaturekitchensuite.com.



SIEMATIC

Manufactured in Germany, SieMatic is known for its innovatiave design and modern sophistication. The cabinet interiors are now offered in SieMatic Grey, a dark neutral that harmonizes well with the brand's customizable storage solutions. Available through SieMatic New York, A&D, siematic.com.

CURREY & COMPANY

Designer Suzanne Duin of Maison Maison collaborated with Currey & Company to create the Avignon wall sconce. The fixture, in a polished brass finish, is highlighted with a black paper shade handwoven by artisans in Southeast Asia. Available through Chloe Winston Lighting Design, Norwalk, chloewinstonlighting.com, curreyandcompany.com.



BERTAZZONI

A first of its kind, the Bertazzoni Professional Series 48-inch Induction Range features one continuous cooking surface with a fully ceramic, black glass surface. The newest color option is Carbonio in a dark, matte graphite finish. Available through Planet TV & Appliance, Stamford, planettv.com, us.bertazzoni.com.

HÄCKER

Häcker, a family-owned German brand, manufactures luxury modern kitchens with functionality, durability and design top of mind. The AV6023 GL cabinet adds a rich, textural note with a grooved panel front, offered in oak, walnut or black oak. Available through Häcker Greenwich, hackergreenwich.com.



CASUAL TUDOR

Moving from the West Coast, the homeowners of this Connecticut Tudor wanted to incorporate an informal California vibe to the home's 1930's interiors. SKM Design stepped in, removing walls to overhaul the choppy floorplan, to create a more modern, useable and spacious kitchen for the family. Honoring the architectural integrity, the original leaded windows were kept intact, and new flooring was stained to match the existing flooring throughout the house. Custom details like the raw oak range hood and simple Shaker-style cabinetry painted in bright white and deep blue set the tone in the kitchen—understated and relaxed. Quartz Enigma countertops through Everest Marble and Soho Studio backsplash tile add the finishing touches. skmdesignllc.com.



GAGGENAU

Gaggenau's 400 series dishwasher protects precious glassware and cutlery by deep cleaning at lower temperatures with patented Zeolite technology. Automatic sensors and tailored wash cycles allow complete cleaning and drying in one hour. With the flex hinge function, the dishwasher can be placed at any height. Available through Aitoro Appliance, aitoro.com, gaggenau.com.

WOOD MODE

Wood-Mode's new inlay finish adds a metallic accent to cabinetry. Offered in brushed stainless, polished stainless and brushed brass, it is available on the Sturbridge, Chatham, Sonoma and Darien Heights door styles and can be combined with any paint color, wood stain or wood species. Available through Karen Berkemeyer Home, karenberkemeyerhome.com, wood-mode.com.

BELWITH KEELER

The Berkshire collection from Belwith Keeler includes updated cup pulls, oval and t-knobs, six pull sizes and two appliance pulls—all in six finishes. Available through Bender Plumbing, Norwalk, benderplumbing.com, belwith-keeler.com.



VISUAL COMFORT

The Garrett pendant by Chapman & Myers for Visual Comfort features a cylindrical clear extruded glass shade paired with aged iron. greenwich-norwalk.com, visualcomfort.com.



ELKAY

Expanding its Crosstown line, Elkay has introduced an ADA compliant sink with 27-inches of knee clearance to make everyday tasks easier. Crafted from 18-gauge stainless steel, the sink includes Sound Guard to minimize sound and vibration and is available in large single and double bowl options. Available through Waterware Showrooms, waterwareshowrooms.com, elkay.com.

ARTERIORS

The Wyndham swivel counter stool stands at 25-inches high. Fabricated with tube-shaped triangular iron legs in a vintage brass, the round swivel seat is made from mango wood with a distressed wax finish. \$820, arteriorshome.com.



CAMBRIA

One of six new additions to Cambria's quartz palette, the Windsor Steel Satin Ridge design is defined by bold waves of color set against warm-white debossed Inverness veining. American made, Cambria's proprietary technology quartz is stain resistant, nonabsorbent, durable, maintenance free and easy care. Available through Connecticut Stone, connecticutstone.com, cambriausa.com.



DORNBRACHT

The graceful silhouette of Dornbracht's Vaia two-hole bridge mixer faucet with swiveling spout and spray set is offered in 11 finishes, shown here in platinum. Available through F.W. Webb Company, Stamford, fwwebb.com, dornbracht.com.



LA BASTILLE

La Bastille range hoods are hand cast and crafted in zinc, pewter, copper, brass and bronze—living metals which will develop a patina over time. The Christina hood, shown here in brass, can be customized with a choice of lip options and strapping, and all the hood designs include a Vent-a-Hood liner. labastille.com.



MONOGRAM

State-of-the-art cooking is possible with the Monogram Induction Professional range. Offered in 30- and 36-inch sizes, the technology allows precision induction temperature control for optimal consistency and performance, heating from 100 to 500 degrees for perfect results every time. Available through CoCreate, Stamford, stamfordcocreate.com, monogram.com.

