

Scene

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OUR EYES ON ...

Past to Present

Lillian August has returned to her passion—designing textiles. The launch of her New Traditional Collection pays tribute to her granddaughter, Eliza Weiss, while also recognizing a return to traditional design by Grandmillennials. In addition, Lillian was inspired by the celebration of 30 years and three generations for the company. The collection, in collaboration with Tempo fabrics and the Romer family, includes floral designs in shades of blue and green for both indoor and outdoor decorating. lillianaugust.com



Beauty Beneath

Christie Ward and Staver Gray, principals of the NYC-based design firm Ward + Gray, have launched a debut rug collection. The line consists of seven rug styles, all hand-knotted in India or Pakistan. To create three of the styles—Winter, Autumn, and Dune—Christie and Staver conceived a technique that incorporates sisal and wool to mimic the look of embroidered silk. The four other styles—Blue Moon, Terracotta by the Sea, Bergamot, and Forsythia—feature a vintage, distressed finish that is created by hand. These rugs also have an irregularity to make them feel time-worn and authentic. According to Christie and Staver, “It’s a process that we spent years perfecting.” wardandgray.com

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