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what's new, what's next



Ondine
Karady
making an entrance

As a set decorator for movies and TV's *Sex and the City*, Ondine Karady is a pro at creating dramatic spaces. She also decorates the homes of actresses, musicians, and tastemakers. But last fall, it was her turn to step in front of the camera on *Top Design*, emerging as one of the show's final three. Here, she shares her tips for creating a striking entry.

- ACCENTS Take a boring console to an auto-body shop to be lacquered in a vivid shade like cobalt.
- FLOOR Try a graphic rug—elegant and fun.

- WALLS Use grass cloth for textured color that won't compete with a bold window treatment.
- CURTAINS Heavily lined portiere curtains are a striking way to dodge drafts.
- LIGHTING Hang an ornate Venini-style glass chandelier. It will be a great focal point for a space with high ceilings. (For more information, visit ondinekarady.com)



Vivienne Tam computer as fashion accessory

Hewlett-Packard and fashion designer Vivienne Tam have partnered on the HP Vivienne Tam Special Edition notebook computer, an accessory to Tam's China Chic spring collection. The

clutch-sized peony-adorned notebook comes with a scarf and tote; at hpdirect.com, Neiman Marcus (online only), and Tam's NYC boutique (212/840-6470).

—Laura Heller



Woodson & Rummerfield dynamic duo's designs

After collaborating on a new book, *High Style*, dynamic designers Ron Woodson and Jaime Rummerfield have launched W&R Home—a line of eye-popping furniture (check out the "Aristocrat" silk-velvet sofa), wallpaper, and accessories (love those "Admiral" curtains!) that reflect their Hollywood signature. Woodson & Rummerfield's House of Design (888/963-5878).

