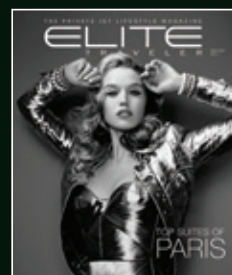


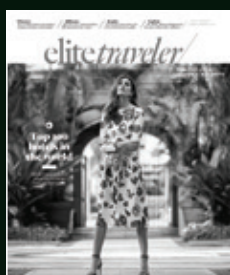
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↓ SILVERSEA

Based in Monaco, Silversea, with small, opulent ships, coddling butler service and voyages to more than 900 locations (on all seven continents), exudes a sexy cachet. Its spacious, ocean-view suites with private verandas and lavish offerings should have a place on everyone's bucket list. Like other companies during the pandemic, it has geared its outlook toward more sustainable horizons. Its new ship, *Silver Origin*, was designed for the Galápagos, and it's touted to be one of the most environmentally friendly ships afloat. Plastic free, she also stands out as one of only two ships that sail the Galápagos using dynamic positioning, a computer-controlled program that ensures no anchor hits bottom to damage the seabed's delicate ecosystem. Furthermore, Silversea's reverse osmosis system transforms seawater into potable drinking water, saving at least 17,000 plastic bottles per year. Dedicated to making a positive impact on the region, Silversea has initiated various local conservation projects in the Galápagos, including the Silversea Fund for the Galápagos, which educates and supports the archipelago's local communities.

silversea.com



↓ REGENT SEVEN SEAS CRUISES

Promising "an unrivalled experience" for nearly three decades, Regent Seven Seas earns its swagger with intimate (less than 750 guests) yet commodious ships that brim with style. Its fleet of five princely vessels carry eager cruisers to more than 450 destinations around the globe. On board, guests relish suite accommodations, complete with balconies, which rate as some of the grandest and largest in the cruise world. Unlike most other cruise lines, Regent offers complimentary, immersive shore excursions, as well as all-included business class flights on intercontinental travel. Part of Norwegian Cruise Line Holdings, Regent Seven Seas joins its mother brand in a constant quest for improving sustainability culture both shoreside and shipboard. To wit, its Sail & Sustain program commits to preventing "accidents and incidents involving pollution, reducing the environmental impact of its operators, managing waste through methods that promote recycling and reusing materials and ensuring the continual refinement of its ISO 14001 certification objectives and targets." Single-use plastic straws have been eliminated, which prevents more than 50 million plastic straws entering the waste system each year, and great attention is paid to preventing damage to and restoring the world's fragile coral reefs. As sailing season begins, take advantage of Regent Seven Seas' Upgrade in Europe offer, which provides a free 2-Category Suite Upgrade, up to a Penthouse Suite, plus 50% reduced deposits until June 30, 2021. Regent Seven Seas returns to the waves when the new Seven Seas Splendor departs from the UK in September on an 11-night voyage, roundtrip from Southampton, visiting Scotland, Northern Ireland and Ireland. She'll be in the Mediterranean and the Caribbean in months to come.

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Homewares

As the design industry has grown and changed across the centuries, it has become almost effortless to find objects and furniture to fit your style — whether that's Arts and Crafts, Mid-Century Modernism, Maximalism or anything in between — and turn your house into a home. However, one element of designing your home that does require significant effort is choosing homeware brands that tread lightly on the environment. Many of the pioneers within these pages have been around for decades, quietly working for the good; others have only launched within the last few years but are already making waves. No matter their beginnings, these dedicated brands are striving for a brighter future — and are creating beautiful pieces of homeware and furniture along the way.

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↑ JANUS ET CIE

Luxury furniture brand JANUS et Cie has been at the forefront of design-led outdoor furnishings for over 40 years, with its pieces featuring in private homes, hotels, resorts, commercial properties and even on board yachts. The brand boasts over 6,000 pieces across its collections, which includes furniture from a range of established and up-and-coming designers, as well as a growing selection of decorative accessories and textiles.

The company takes its name from the Roman god of transitions and duality, Janus, who is depicted with two faces looking forwards and backwards — a meaningful namesake, as the company strives to both honor its heritage and the craftsmanship of its collections, while also making efforts to discover new talents and technologies that will become the future of furniture design. JANUS et Cie has always been mindful of its environmental responsibility, developing sustainable materials such as recyclable synthetic woods and sourcing renewable organic materials including teak and rattan.

janusetcie.com

→ BEVOLO

Established in 1945, Bevolo Gas & Electric Lights is the largest manufacturer of open-flame, handmade copper lanterns in the world. Each lantern or lighting fixture is made by hand in Louisiana. The company opened its first location in New Orleans' French Quarter, where some of its original lanterns — built over 70 years ago — burn to this day, including in historic landmarks like Jackson Square and The Cabildo. Nowadays, Bevolo offers both electric and gas lighting collections for a range of interior and outdoor spaces in its signature material: copper. Each piece is handcrafted from pure American copper by one of Bevolo's dedicated craftsmen; every piece features a Maker's Mark, one of the oldest forms of trademarking, to show which craftsman is responsible for the work. Copper is an organic, recyclable material that can last up to 300 years. But the company takes its sustainability credentials even further — its gas burners are considered some of the most efficient in the world.

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