

essential

THE UK'S NUMBER 1 SEPTEMBER 2014 £4.25

# KITCHEN

## BATHROOM BEDROOM

ESSENTIAL  
GUIDE  
KITCHEN  
ISLANDS

*Fresh & inspiring*

PACKED FULL OF  
LUXURIOUS  
SCHEMES

STYLISH  
STORAGE  
*Choosing the  
right wardrobe*

**INTERIOR  
DESIGNERS**  
*Interviews and  
expert advice*

HIGH-TECH  
**HAVEN**  
DIGITAL BATHROOMS



SOUND SYSTEMS | PATRICIA URQUIOLA | KITCHEN SIDEBOARDS | INTEGRATED MICROWAVES



## DIARY DATES

### **Decorex International**

This year Syon Park will host this ever-popular exhibition which is an integral part of London Design Festival during September. There are over 100 new exhibitors including Liberty Art Fabrics Interiors. This year's entrance will host eight exclusive installations from renowned designers and exhibitors, all in celebration of the Georgian era. [decorex.com](http://decorex.com).

**WHEN?** 21st - 24th September

**WHERE?** Syon Park, Middlesex, TW8



### **Chelsea Antiques Fair**

After two successful spring dates, this fair is returning to its additional September date with a new look and more variety. Taking place in the elegant, late-Victorian Chelsea Old Town Hall, you'll find there's lots to see and appreciate along with guided tours which give you the opportunity to talk with dealers and learn insider tips about collecting art and antiques. [penman-fairs.co.uk](http://penman-fairs.co.uk).

**WHEN?** 18th - 21st September

**WHERE?** Chelsea Old Town Hall, King's Road, London, SW3

### **Lapada Arts & Antiques Fair**

Returning to Mayfair, this prestigious event is a must-visit if you want to source and buy fine art and antiques from over 100 dealers and experts. In its sixth year, you can expect to find furniture, carpets, tapestries, antiques, silver, fine art and ceramics. Prices of art works range from £500 up to £500,000 and beyond, offering something for everyone. [lapadalondon.com](http://lapadalondon.com).

**WHEN?** 24th - 28th September

**WHERE?** Berkeley Square, London, W1



### **20/21 British Art Fair**

For any British art collector, this fair offers a focus on Modern and Post-War but also features contemporary art too. Expect works from leading 20th Century artists such as Henry Moore and Elisabeth Frink and 21st Century artists including Banksy and Damien Hirst. The whole story of British art is represented from past to more recent graduate work. [britishartfair.co.uk](http://britishartfair.co.uk).

**WHEN?** 10th - 14th September

**WHERE?** Royal College of Art, Kensington Gore, London, SW7



## Driven BY DESIGN

Combining the engineering minds behind Porsche Design Studio and the kitchen expertise of Poggenpohl, the P'7350 kitchen concept has an aluminium frame and strong, linear features. It's more adaptable than a classic fitted kitchen because you can arrange the elements in any formation within the frame. It comes with handleless door fronts, soft-close drawers and gloss and matt finishes in white, grey or black. From £30,000. [poggenpohl.com](http://poggenpohl.com).

## AGE OF ANTIQUITY

Giving a nod to the deities of the ancient world, these hand-carved Alabaster stone vessels are reminiscent of what would've been used to hold perfumes, honey and other valuable, precious contents. Each one makes a decorative statement, with eye-catching translucency. £594 each. [lapicida.com](http://lapicida.com).



## SIMPLICITY RULES

Danish design company & tradition draws on its Nordic heritage and takes a cue from craftsmanship and simple forms. The contemporary Raft bar stool by Norm Architects, £349, has all of these qualities and is available in either natural oak (shown) or black stained oak. [occa-home.co.uk](http://occa-home.co.uk).



## INSIDE INSPIRATION

If you're passing by Harrods in London, be sure to visit the Gourmet Cookshop on the second floor to see the latest display from SieMatic with Sub-Zero & Wolf appliances. The BeauxArts.02 and S2 kitchens are great examples of how you can personalise and customise your cooking space. BeauxArts.02 kitchens start from £30,000. [siematic.co.uk](http://siematic.co.uk).