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## Spotlight On: David Heide

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Design Studio.



### Considered Details (ABOVE)

**WHY I LOVE IT:** When I go into a home, it's the details that draw my attention and really make a place stand out. Like a sink faucet that is so beautifully considered, so exquisite in proportion, it almost looks like it came from a 1920s grand estate house.

**GET THE LOOK:** Raven basin set by Rubinet, shown in polished nickel with matte black handles.



### Studio Furniture

**WHY I LOVE IT:** The more artists I meet, the more couture furniture studios I come across, the more I am convinced that the decorative arts is as alive and thriving as it ever was. I'm particularly drawn to artist-made furniture that takes an unadorned element, like a tree root, and makes it into a true statement piece.

**GET THE LOOK:** Walnut Barcelona center table by Panache studio in Los Angeles.

### Elegantly Scaled Seating

**WHY I LOVE IT:** Having the wrong size of furniture can completely throw off a room; it's something we remind our clients here in the Midwest all the time. Thankfully, we discovered the perfect sofa: thoughtfully articulated, couture quality and, best of all, just the right size.

**GET THE LOOK:** Laurant sofa by Silhouette with down fill, available with or without tufting.



### Candlelight-Inspired Lighting

**WHY I LOVE IT:** I love contemporary lighting that takes its cue from the past, particularly wall armatures that use a lens in front of the bulb to refract and diffuse the light. It's all the convenience of electric lights with the romance of candlelight.

**GET THE LOOK:** Chapell sconce by Jonathan Browning in polished nickel, polished bronze or oil-rubbed bronze.



### Functional Art

**WHY I LOVE IT:** There are so many incredible small companies, but one of my all-time favorites is Lesley Anton out of Los Angeles. She's an artist who builds these stunning lamps with hand-thrown pieces of pottery and tops them with contemporary linen shades.

She will do any glaze in any color, too.  
**GET THE LOOK:** Totem floor lamp by Lesley Anton with hand-thrown pottery pieces and turned alder spacers.

All products available for order through David Heide Design Studio, [dhdstudio.com](http://dhdstudio.com)