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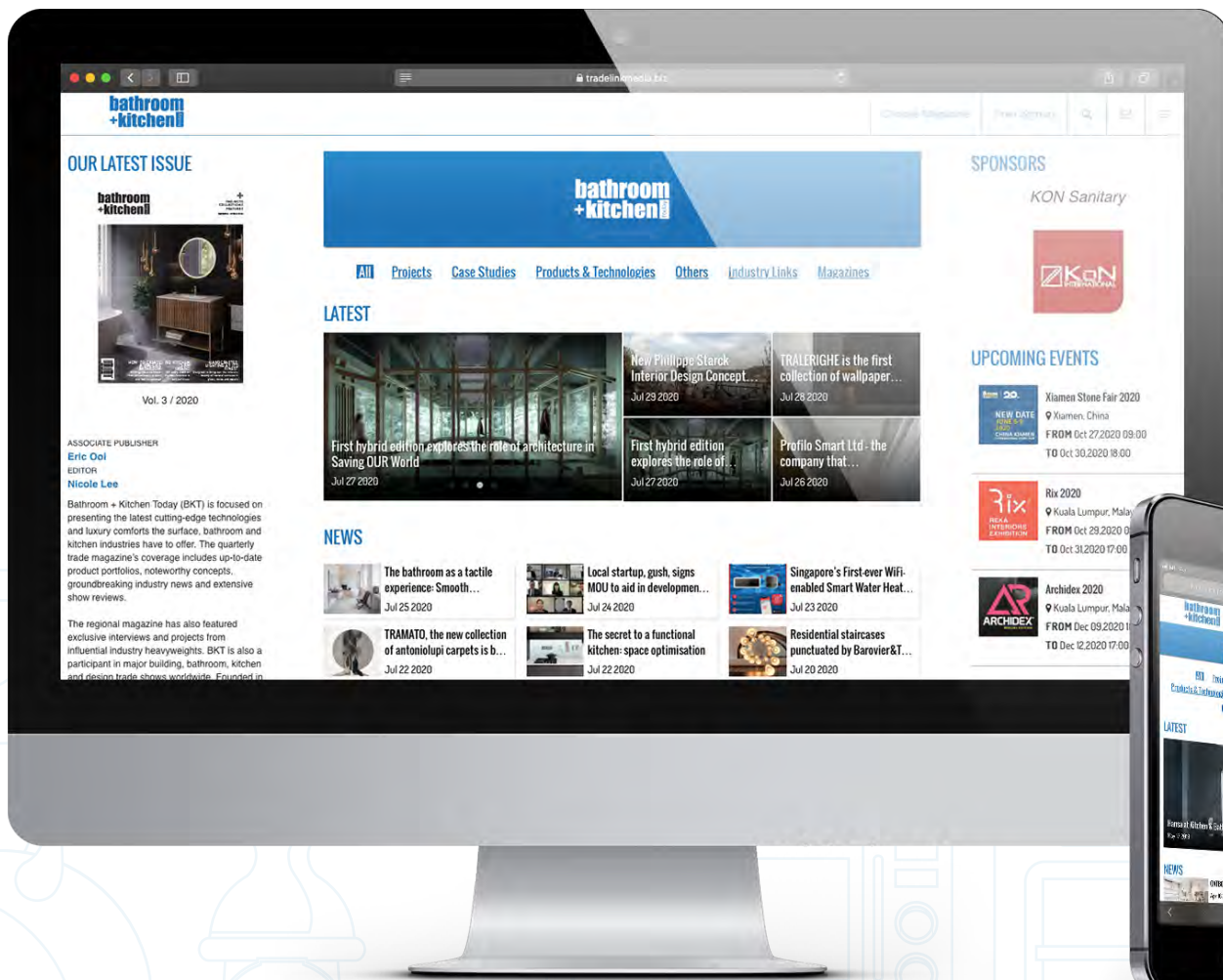
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Have something bathroom or kitchen related to share? Send it in! We welcome submissions and would be happy to feature pieces from loyal readers. Till then, happy reading!



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WORLD'S LARGEST ARCHITECTURAL AWARDS PROGRAM LAUNCHES NEW SEASON TODAY

Architizer, the world's largest online platform for architecture, announces the official opening of the 9th Annual Architizer A+Awards, emphasizing architecture's role in a changing world.

The Architizer A+Awards is the world's largest and most democratic architectural awards program and honors the year's best buildings and spaces from around the globe. The A+Awards are judged by Architizer's 250+ jury academy featuring prestigious members of the architecture and design community, as well as luminaries from the art, technology, fashion, media, business, and real estate industries.

In collaboration with its official partners, Phaidon, AIA New York, and Aesthetica Magazine, the 2020 A+Awards received over 400,000 public votes on 5,000+ entries from over 100 countries worldwide.

The A+Awards are also judged by the public, with the aim to "break architecture out of the echo chamber" (Marc Kushner, Architizer Founder) and remind the world how design impacts people's everyday lives, particularly in a time of unprecedented global uncertainty.



"We are not here to build for other architects, we are here to build for all of humankind." A+Award Winner Bjarke Ingels (BIG - Bjarke Ingels Group)

In 2020, the global landscape was upended by unprecedented environmental and societal challenges, so for its 9th season, the A+Awards will throw the spotlight on architects designing for a rapidly changing world. With relevant new categories and pioneering jurors, the 2021 A+Awards will celebrate those professionals responding to global upheaval and leading architectural innovation for decades to come. Winners respond to the question: how can architecture help us be more resilient, more empowered, and more prepared for the challenges to come?

"Where I come from, 'grand' pieces of architecture will mean nothing if our entire city will flood and sink in the near future. Winning this award validates our belief that architecture should give back to its surroundings." - A+Award Winner Kotchakorn Voraakhom (LANDPROCESS)

The A+Awards returns with timely additions to its Jury, including Lesley Lokko (Founder & Director, African Futures Institute), Alison Brooks (Principal & Creative Director, Alison Brooks Architects), Céline Semaan (Founder & Executive Director, Slow Factory Foundation), Tom Kundig (Principal, Olson | Kundig), and Karim Rashid (Industrial Designer and American Design Award Winner), who will judge 94 categories representing the diversity of project types that comprise architectural design today.

New this year award for the industry's most innovative use of technology and low-cost building materials, as well as those works that emphasize environmental and global health goals. These include categories for hospitals and healthcare centers, public housing, and disaster response, as well as concept-based categories like Architecture +Environment and Architecture +New Technology. See the full list of architecture categories here.

"Winning an award for an airport or office towers is especially satisfying. It means that all project types can be the occasion for great architecture. That's what we believe." -



A+Award Winner Patrik Schumacher (Zaha Hadid Architects)

The 9th Annual A+Awards also sees the return of Architizer: The World's Best Architecture, an annual compendium of the world's best spaces, published by Phaidon. The book, which has featured winners like Toshiko Mori Architect, Studio Gang, MVRDV, and the National Design Award-Winning MASS Design Group, is the year's definitive architectural guide.

About Architizer

Architizer's core mission is to empower architects. Through its inspiring content, building-product marketplace, awards program, and vast online reach, Architizer connects architects with the tools they need to build better buildings, better cities, and a better world.

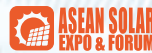
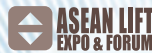
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With work diffusing beyond the workplace, offices, and the individuals who occupy them need to be resilient, agile, and productive. Organizations seek solutions that fall somewhere between architecture and furniture to achieve flexible, changeable workstations that allow for activity-based collaboration and independent work. Similarly, individuals at-home seek a private, quiet, comfortable, aesthetically attractive space where they can focus. Still, many do not have access to a dedicated home office and cannot afford the renovation costs to create one.

YOURspace, LLC, launched today to offer innovative modular office structures for organizations and individuals needing to create productive workspaces in corporate, academic, and residential settings. Based on a proprietary extrusion system allowing customization and easy installation, upkeep, mobility, and reconfigurability, YOURspace office pods come in 4-sided and 2-sided models ranging in size from 5' x 3.5' (17.5 sq. ft) up to 11.3' x 8.4' (94.92 sq. ft). YOURspace products are designed with ergonomics and sustainability in mind. They are equipped with user-friendly features such as adjustable desks, shelves, lighting, sound deadening, ventilation, and a centralized electrical panel for power access. Customers can choose from over a dozen interior and exterior panel finishes for aesthetics or function, such as a whiteboard or pushes pinboard.

"Now more than ever, organizations and individuals are trying to balance productivity, wellness, and practicality as they work in socially distanced group settings such as corporate offices, schools, or universities as well as in homes and apartments that are ill-equipped for privacy. Tough to accomplish without the right tools or kit of parts," said David Faust, CEO of YOURspace. "That is where YOURspace can help."

YOURspace office pods have been developed with design and manufacturing partner Highmark TechSystems, a leading supplier of innovative modular systems for indoor and outdoor structures and architecture. With 20+ years of experience creating structures that set-up, re-configure, and dismantle quickly, Highmark has leveraged its proprietary systems technology into the YOURspace product line. The companies' shared focus on offering the end-user maximum customization opportunities is a key differentiator in the markets they serve.

"YOURspace modular office solutions are an ideal use of Highmark's proven extrusion-based systems technology," said Debbie Parrott, President, and CEO of Highmark. "The same benefits of versatility,



flexibility, customization, and ease-of-use and -maintenance that Highmark's exhibit and event customers have enjoyed for years is now available for the workplace and home through YOURspace."

All models, finishes, upgrades, and accessories are available now through YOURspace's website.

About YOURspace

YOURspace, a provider of modular office pod solutions for workspaces in a variety of settings is based in Ft. Wayne, Indiana. Backed by proven systems technology via design and manufacturing partner, Highmark TechSystems, YOURspace products are manufactured entirely in the US.

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“The RIVANA collection has a unique, geometric fluidity that is understated yet eye-catching,” notes Tim Maicher, Director/Head of Product Management for BLANCO North America. “By reconfiguring the sharp angles and edges, our designers created a timeless design to enhance modern kitchen life.”

Available in Polished Chrome and Stainless Finish, the RIVANA semi-professional and pull-down faucet models help make clean-up more efficient with their easy to maneuver design and powerful dual spray features. An innovative magnetic handspray holder on the Semi-Professional model enhances ease-of-use. A bar faucet and coordinating soap dispenser round out the collection allowing for a seamless design when incorporating additional sinks into other areas like a wet bar or kitchen island.

“Our new faucet collection reflects the passion of our engineers and designers who consistently deliver best-in-class design and function that are the hallmarks of the BLANCO brand,” says Maicher.

BLANCO RIVANA SEMI-PROFESSIONAL FAUCET

19 7/8" x 8 7/8" 1.5 GPM powerful water saving performance; Available in two finishes: Polished Chrome and Stainless Finish; PC-Polished Chrome MSRP - \$595; SF-Stainless Finish MSRP - \$695

BLANCO RIVANA PULL-DOWN FAUCET

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BLANCO RIVANA BAR FAUCET

15" x 7 1/8"; 1.5 GPM powerful water saving performance; Available in two finishes: Polished Chrome and Stainless Finish; PC-Polished Chrome MSRP - \$385; SF-Stainless Finish MSRP - \$475

About BLANCO

BLANCO is a leading global manufacturer that meticulously designs systems that enhance kitchen water hubs in residential homes. BLANCO water hub solutions integrate components above and below the sink – from the kitchen faucet all the way through to the base cabinet configuration – to create a self-contained unit. As such, BLANCO systems make a significant contribution towards sustainably upgrading high-quality kitchens around the world with everyday convenience and benefits when it comes to preparing food, accessing drinking water and cleaning. The brand has won over consumers worldwide with its modern design, ergonomic handling and reliable product quality. Founded 95 years ago in Germany by Heinrich Blanc, today BLANCO is part of Blanc & Fischer Family Holding.

With company headquarters and key production sites in southwestern Germany, subsidiaries in Europe, North America and Asia, plus its trading partners, BLANCO has a presence in nearly 100 countries



Blanco rivana semi-professional faucet



Blanco rivana pull-down faucet



Blanco rivana bar faucet

around the world and offers its customers a vast portfolio that is perfectly tailored to consumer needs. BLANCO America has been proudly serving the U.S. market and consumers for over 30 years. As a recognized leader in superior craftsmanship and innovation, BLANCO products reflect human evolution that connects function, expression and technology.

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Easy Clicker Waste: Making Life Easy

Set to revolutionise the bathroom, the new range of clicker waste systems is an innovative combination of the clicker and plug.

Equipped with a waste body and clicker plug, the system's clicker plug can be easily pulled out or in, making it simple to use and maintain.

Simple, yet functional, the clicker waste system is a perfect addition to any bathroom.



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FOR MIRROR CABINETS AND LIGHT MIRRORS KEUCO RELIES ON LED MODULES AND SENSOR TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPED IN-HOUSE

The use of LED lighting to save energy has been a subject of interest for some years now. Initially not particularly well liked because of their cold, bright light, they are now a top seller in all kinds of lighting. This applies to the bathroom, too. However, all LED lights are not equal. There are enormous differences in terms of quality, appearance, service life and energy consumption. Reason enough for KEUCO to take a closer look at the matter.

KEUCO mirror cabinets are valued and popular because of their good quality, durability and good spare parts service. But how is that consistent with an LED technology which one claims lasts a lifetime? What if it doesn't? KEUCO took a closer look at these questions and furnished its premium aluminium mirror cabinets with its own LED technology.

In KEUCO's new mirror cabinet models we now use our own LED modules, instead of the fluorescent lamps which were previously used. In addition to their very low energy consumption, these LED modules also have an excellent lifespan: with a minimum of 30,000 hours of operation, at optimum light yield they can last for a very long time.

The LED modules consist of a carrier strip on which the individual LEDs are fastened. The special thing here is that to obtain a uniform strip of light, the only diodes used are diodes which are very carefully sorted by colour temperature and brightness. This means that KEUCO only procures diodes which were specially selected by the supplier and harmonise with diodes of a matching colour. That is how the roughly 7 to 35 cm long LED strips are produced with homogeneous colour and brightness – i.e. with matching appearance.

The number of LED modules joined together by plug connectors and installed varies, depending on the size of the mirror cabinet. These LED strips with plug connectors have a tremendous upside for KEUCO customers: even years later they can still be replaced by a qualified electrician. With that, the spare parts service that KEUCO customers value so greatly is also available for LED technology: guaranteed for 10 years!



But that is not all. In recent years LED technology has gathered pace. Both the dimming as well as the changing of the light colour are exclusive features of LEDs. This is good news for bathroom customers, because now they can generate different atmospheric lights in the bathroom. This is easy to accomplish: all it takes to add atmosphere to the bathroom is a new mirror cabinet, such as the ROYAL LUMOS. From cosy warm-white light at 2700 K right to daylight white light at 6500 K, the KEUCO mirror cabinet offers any option for any time of day and mood – whether it is the daily shave or the relaxed bath.



And thanks to the separate light sources, the customer can choose the perfect light for either the whole room, for the face, or just for the fitting, each individually. Using KEUCO's specially developed sensor controls it is also possible to adjust the light source, light intensity and light colour: on-off, bright-dim, warm-cold.

KEUCO sets new standards with specially

developed LED lights. For example, on the ROYAL LUMOS mirror cabinet the LED lighting can be dimmed and the light colour adjusted in an infinite number of steps: From a 6500 K daylight white light, ideal for daily care, right to a 2700 K warmwhite light, ideal for the perfect evening makeup or an atmospheric bathing ambience.

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FOURS AFIFI, ONE OF MOROCCO'S MOST RECOGNIZED BRANDS EYES EXPORT MARKET WITH AESTHETICALLY-UNIQUE BBQ DESIGN

Fours Afifi, Morocco's most recognized stove brand for more than 40 years, is proud to unveil the Skara'B barbecue, a newly-designed product destined for both domestic consumption and international distribution. In collaboration with Casablanca's Mahdi Naim Design Lab, the new Skara'B combines the company's reputation for reliable, high-quality products with a sleek, aesthetically-unique design that is destined to dazzle the domestic market.

"The Skara'B is a 180-degree twist in terms of our company's traditional product line, but one which we intend to deliver to the masses as a 100% Moroccan-made product," explains Abderrahman Diouri, who's family acquired Fours Afifi in 1998. "We want to stay current in terms of both domestic and global demands, so we decided to start small with this BBQ design."

Laying the foundations

In 2017, in order to meet demand from Moroccan ex-pats living in Europe, the company spent 10 months designing a new model of a stove from scratch that would adhere to rigorous GERES certification. By March 2018, the company had sold 2,100 units of the newly designed stove, while meeting international carbon emission requirements and reducing gas consumption by 46%. Investment followed that same year, enabling the company to automate its facilities, double its production capacity, and bolster its staff to employ 60 people.

Given the export obstacles posed by the company's traditional line of bulky, heavy stoves, as well as a wide array of different international standards and requirements, Fours Afifi focused on developing a smaller product that would leverage its production capacity and harness the talents of its enthusiastic R&D team. With 10-15% growth in the European BBQ market, the company decided to design a unique product that would address that segment, facilitate entry into the export market, and build upon the foundations of a solid brand.

Redesigning simplicity

Fours Afifi embarked on another design from scratch, which allowed them to adhere



to international market standards. Rather than reinventing the wheel, the company envisioned a simple BBQ that would distinguish itself through its aesthetic design. They turned to Mahdi Naim, an avant-garde Moroccan designer, and new artistic director of Fours Afifi, whose mission is focused on rejuvenation and modernization of the company's brand identity.

"This is the story of a fateful encounter between a legendary brand, omnipresent in Moroccan homes, and a designer filled with inspiration," says Mahdi Naim. The Skara'B is the first product conceived as part of that new family dynamic, and it signals a promising future of innovative design and production."

The collaborative approach led to a symbolic design that pays homage and derives its name from the Skara'B, a form of beetle that serves as an important symbol in ancient Egyptian religion, and which is known for its resistance to heat. Standing one meter high, the small, non-intrusive unit's sculpted form mimics that of the Scarab. Its hexagonal shape measures 60cms x 60cms, with a stainless-steel base and anti-corrosive wheels. The charcoal-fired barbecue's cover features an adjustable, stainless-steel valve, enabling varying levels of indirect oxygenation to control the fire level. Built into the base, a cylindrical steel ash-catcher

collects burnt charcoal dust and detaches from the unit for quick and easy disposal. The Skara'B is ideal for terraces and a variety of outdoor spaces.

"We wanted to develop a product that would not only be efficient but which would also be aesthetically unique," explains Mr. Diouri. "We were focused on designing an object that would be discrete, yet attractive when not in use."

An artistic work in progress

With its wide range of available colors, including red, blue, fuchsia, and yellow, the Skara'B unit serves as a nice complimentary design element for small spaces. Further design features will include an attachable table, as well as a carrying case to simplify traveling to the beach, cottage, or wherever your lifestyle takes you. Fours Afifi hopes to enter the market with a premium product at an attractive price point for all, while proudly showcasing Moroccan innovation and craftsmanship.

"Our goal is to start exporting the Skara'B by Spring 2021, but we are launching it immediately in the domestic market in order to create a buzz," explains Mr. Diouri. "We have begun working on a distribution network as well, which we hope will facilitate the exporting of our product and our brand to Africa, Europe, North America, and Asia."



2005, Mohamed passed the reins to his son, Abderrahman Diouri, who continues to lead Fours Afifi as the best-known brand of stoves in Morocco. For more information on Fours Afifi, visit www.afifi.ma

About Mahdi Naim

After 8 years of civil engineering design for prestigious firms in France, Mahdi Naim returned to Casablanca in 2009 to form Atelier IDA. The award-winning designer's dynamic and innovative approach combines advanced research and conceptual investigation with modern design and manufacturing technologies. His embrace of state-of-the-art techniques in response to detail and form has resulted in fluid collaborations with artists, designers, and engineers. As artistic director of the new AFIFI creative center, Mahdi Naim leads a team of innovative designers focused on new collections that respect the history and values of the brand while embracing a contemporary vision of today's Morocco.

About Fours Afifi

Founded by three Palestinian brothers in 1979, Fours Afifi has celebrated 40 years as a trusted domestic brand in the Moroccan

market. Since 1998, the company has continued to polish its sterling reputation under the ownership of the Diouri family, led by serial entrepreneur, Mohamed Diouri. In

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KYOCERA LAUNCHES THREE NEW CERAMIC KNIVES WITH HANDLES MADE FROM RENEWABLE RAW MATERIALS

From now on, kitchens will become eco-friendlier: With the new Bio series, the Japanese manufacturer of fine ceramics Kyocera expands its kitchen tools product line by three more ceramic knives, a Santoku knife, a peeling knife, a fruit and vegetable knife. The ergonomically shaped handles are largely made from renewable raw material, namely organic plastic obtained from sugar cane.

Sharp kitchen tools

As with all kitchen utensils made by Kyocera, the hand-ground ceramic blades are made of particularly high-quality Zirconia ceramic, an incredibly light and extremely hard high-tech material. The dense and smooth blade surface enables a precise and extremely sharp cut and does not transport metal ions. Thereby, it minimises odour and taste transfer and is resistant to corrosion.

The durability of the sharpness of the new organic knives is also outstanding. The blades' shape and lengths of 75 mm (FK-075 34 €), 110 mm (FK-110 44 €) and 140 mm (FK-140 64 €) correspond to classic, all-purpose kitchen knives from Japan. Due to the ergonomic handle, made out of organic plastic, the knives sit comfortably in the user's hand. Therefore, the extremely sharp knives are perfect for vegetables, fish, and meat – suitable for every professional or hobby chef.

Sustainable quality standards

Since its foundation in 1959, Kyocera is able to make the most of its profound expertise in materials and production technology in the field of technical ceramics, and continuously expands its knowledge. The high-quality kitchen products also benefit from this wealth of



experience and high-quality standards. With outstanding cutting durability and stability, Kyocera's ceramic knives have become a permanent favorite in the premium kitchen tool market. The award as Supplier Engagement Leader 2019 by CDP confirms that a sustainable development of its fine ceramic products across different industries is a core component for Kyocera. The international non-profit organization CDP evaluates companies worldwide on the basis of the transparency of their environmental issues and activities. The new Bio series is thus a step further to make production more sustainable.

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The Geberit VariForm design concept is based on the four basic geometric shapes – round, rectangle, oval and ellipse and the three most common installation types. The design trend is made versatile and ergonomic. The streamlined rims of the wash basins are the perfect match for cutting-edge bathroom designs. All Geberit VariForm models feature a generous basin depth to ensure freedom of movement in ergonomic conditions. Together with the VariForm bathroom furniture with its calm, understated design and the range now offers the creative freedom to design the bathroom exactly in line with one's own individual wishes.

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GESSA NEMOX BLACK

by **Econflo Systems**

Made in Holland, this matte black collection makes a bold stance design-like, stylish without compromise on functionality. The round angles are stylised with distinctive accents that complements most bathroom accessories. Practical and elegant, this designer piece boasts of a high-quality matte black finish, bringing a striking deep black accent into the bathroom. Also available in chrome and brushed stainless steel.

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UNIVERSAL

by **Keuco**



During this COVID period there is a higher awareness and greater need to provide greater levels of sanitation. Whilst basic dispensers meet short-term needs, there is a huge demand for high quality, stylish dispensers that don't require bespoke sanitiser packaging. Made in Germany, the dispensers are suitable for both liquid, alcohol based and gel hand sanitisers.

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KAVALE

by **KON**

KON kicks off 2021 in style with the launch of new brand KAVALE. KAVALE pays homage to geometry in their newest series, using angular lines to define the faucet and circular spins for the knobs. A designer piece to elevate any bathroom.

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5 Trends Set To Reshape Consumers' Lifestyles In 2021

Written by **Antoine Besseyre des Horts** (Leader, LIXIL Global Design, Asia)

COVID-19 has significantly altered the course of the world. As we look back at 2020, the pandemic has shifted and transformed the way we have been communicating, working, shopping, and most noticeably, how we are transforming our living space as we continue to work remotely. Undoubtedly, consumer behavior has shifted tremendously: they are now paying more attention to their personal hygiene such as hand-washing, but also looking more closely into the spaces they work and live in or visit frequently with their families. Post 2020, hygiene and well-being will take precedence for people and businesses where daily life and operations have been highly disrupted.

We believe that design and technology will play a key role in addressing these disruptions in life and operations, as well as solving consumer pain points. At LIXIL, our purpose of making better homes a reality for everyone, everywhere,



Antoine Besseyre des Horts







requires a deep understanding of consumers – how they live and what they expect from their living spaces. Based on this deep dive into their insights, here are 5 trends we see are set to shape consumers' lifestyles:

Dedicating a workspace at home

This year, most of us have had to re-evaluate and reorganize our living space for work, while demarcating clear 'rest areas' for our mental and physical well-being.

Ideally, we would work in a room where we can isolate, focus on work tasks and be physically separated from other living spaces to avoid distractions. In smaller homes however, spaces which were once designated for certain activities, such as the kitchen, may evolve to accommodate the demands of work as well as social activities. Defining a space that is easy to transform from an office area during the day to a dining or living space at night marks a clear separation between work time and personal time.

Other important aspects to consider are lighting and comfort. Placing work desks near a window for natural light and investing in ergonomic accessories, such as a monitor, keyboard or mouse, can really improve the overall work-from-home (WFH) experience.

More kitchens and bathrooms will adopt contactless technology

Today, the importance of hygiene and cleanliness cannot be emphasized enough. With continued lockdowns over the world where people stay home for extended periods of time, bacteria build-up in common areas can create hygiene risks and issues. Which is why we expect that contactless technology will become more popular in homes – where we can perform daily tasks without having to physically interact with the equipment. Homes will start seeing more sensor-based technologies, such as automatic toilet lids, shower toilets and touchless faucets. A perfect example is GROHE's Sensia Arena shower toilet, packed with innovative functions, providing a hands-free experience throughout. In

the kitchen, GROHE's new Touchless FootControl faucets can be turned on and off with a gentle tap of the foot on the base unit, leaving hands free and clean at all times.

An increased focus on bathrooms

Bathrooms are a place for rejuvenation and relaxation, where one can escape to and recuperate from the daily stress of work. Today, this trend is further amplified as the bathroom is typically the only space at home where one can be isolated, especially in smaller homes. Bathrooms will begin to see functions and products that emulate a spa-like experience for improved physical and mental sense of well-being.

Home owners can craft a unique statement in their bathrooms by going white – a clean, minimalist and timeless look. New textures such as woodgrain and earthy tones are best applied to vanities, fittings and ceramics, adding warmth and softness while balancing with the overall tone of tiles and faucets.

COVID-19 has heightened the need for products that are not only aesthetically-pleasing, but also key to personal hygiene and cleanliness. Our industry-leading brands, such as American Standard, GROHE, INAX, provide a wide range of showering solutions with different types of sprays that offer physiological benefits, advanced temperature controls to provide comfort and safety, as well as intuitive outlet controls for daily convenience and fuss-free experiences. One such example is American Standard's award-winning Aqua Ceramic anti-stain technology with anti-bacterial features which prevents dirt and dark ring stains from sticking to ceramic surfaces in the inner toilet bowl.

Optimizing living and social spaces

Personal space can be a luxury as more families are expected to spend more time together at home in 2021. Home owners will look to maximize their living space, and as such, we may start to see more built-ins such



as cabinets, shoe racks and wardrobes for space efficiency. Using simple and minimalist furniture also helps minimize clutter, while allowing personalization through different accessories, materials and finishes. Well-placed full panel mirrors can also help widen the field of view and create the illusion of space.

We may also see more 'mergers' of living spaces, such as those between the kitchen and the living room, where home owners will be more inclined to incorporate an open-concept theme that feels more spacious, while also helping to foster togetherness. To fully optimize the living and social space at home, consider adding a dining table in between the kitchen and living room for closer social interaction.

Incorporating smart products into the home

With WFH practices likely here to stay, home owners have become more willing to adopt smart devices for convenient, fuss-free experiences. With 5G and the Internet of Things becoming more prevalent, home owners are increasingly connected to their everyday devices within their homes. MarketWatch states that the value of the smart home device market is set grow from \$55 billion in 2016 to \$174 billion by 2025. As such, we can expect an increasing reliance on home automation and artificial intelligence to get domestic help in creative and innovative ways.

Such technology is behind the GROHE Sense Guard, which tracks water consumption, detects micro leaks, and automatically shuts off water supply in the case of a burst pipe. Designed to detect leaking taps, even in small amounts, this prevents water wastage and a shocking water bill at the end of the month. Through the GROHE Ondus app, home owners are able to identify potential issues early and keep water consumption optimal.

Another smart innovation is the GROHE Blue water system which provides chilled, filtered and even carbonated water straight from the kitchen tap, with a perfect taste. The preferred type of water is chosen simply by touching a button via a color LED display with icons, making it easy for every age group to use. Ultimately, this eliminates the excessive need for plastic bottles and reduces ecological footprint, all while giving consumers the convenient access to clean and safe drinking water. Similarly, through the GROHE Ondus app, GROHE Blue Home users may track their personal water consumption, track the status of the water filter and COv levels, order replacement items directly through the app and even fill up a glass or pitcher remotely via the app, providing a truly smart home experience.

For more information, visit <https://www.lixil.com/>

Barthélemy Hotel

Text by **GRAFF**

GRAFF's Notable Phase and Sade Collections Featured in the Luxurious Barthélemy Hotel

Le Barthélemy Hotel, located in the Saint-Barthélemy Nature Reserve, provides an enchanting setting, tailor-made for top travelers. Combining hospitality with the island's tranquil atmosphere, the Small Luxury Hotels of the World Member has incorporated high design into its interiors for an experience that truly reflects the mood of this fascinating paradise.

The interiors are designed by the internationally renowned designer Sybille de Margerie. Drawing inspiration from the sea and the beauty of St. Barth, Le Barthélemy's interiors are stylishly furnished with natural materials, in line with the essence of the island.

The hotel offers 46 rooms and suites, many of which include a heated dive pool, all featuring invisible panels that transform exterior terraces into private enclosures.

In collaboration with the well-known La Mer Skincare, the Spa in Le Barthélemy is a holistic haven that awakens the senses and gives vigor to the body and mind. Along with Michelin's award-winning French chef Guy Martin, guests can enjoy a pool by the sea and a 24-hour fitness facility.

Reflective of this scheme, the hotel's bathing spaces are equipped with GRAFF's contemporary faucet collections, SADE and PHASE, creating a luxurious, architectural focal point in each suite.

Designed internally by the G+Design Studio, SADE's distinct, minimalistic design is made complete by a curved, flat spout enriched by a pair of handles that recall the spout's gentle inclination. The element's silhouette emulates the natural gushing of water, providing a connection to the natural environment of St. Barths and the modern design needs of today.

With a full range of deck-mounted and wall-mounted shower and bath elements, SADE is available in more than ten finishes, including Gunmetal, a "living" finish made smooth to the touch thanks to an industrial waxing treatment and Steelnox®, the special GRAFF patented brushed nickel finish, 100% fingerprint resistant.

PHASE similarly exudes an unmistakable shape, donning a contemporary style that embodies nature's soft undulating curves. Created to meet any design needs, Phase offers wall-mounted, floor-mounted and free-standing installations with single and double handle applications. PHASE is available in several contemporary finishes including black and white, two powder coating finishes with a matte effect and extraordinary resistance to scratches, abrasions and wear over time.

For more information, visit www.graff-designs.com





American Standard Expands its Studio S Bath Collection for a Full-Suite Solution

Text by American Standard

American Standard is expanding the Studio S collection to offer its sleek, contemporary, customizable design across a complete suite of products, making it simple to remodel or refresh any bathroom. With the addition of coordinating furniture and chinaware pieces, the striking Studio S line is now a one-stop shop for creating the modern bathroom that dreams are made of.

The Studio S collection was inspired by the cool, modern look of urban spaces. Its details and modern silhouettes are designed to stand out, creating interest and a striking aesthetic that's sure to impress while remaining comfortable. From keeping everything organized for the morning routine to relaxing after a long day, each piece is built to reflect how people truly live. The high-quality materials ensure lasting, reliable products in both form and function, backed with the industry-leading performance homeowners have come to expect from American Standard. With more than 140 years of experience improving life in the bathroom, American Standard designs each product and detail to make life easier and more enjoyable.

The new additions to the Studio S bath collection include:

- Studio S Low-Profile One-Piece Toilet and Two-Piece Toilets
- Studio S Single and Double Configuration Modular Vanities



- Studio S Above Counter Sinks
- Studio S Freestanding Soaking Tub

Studio S is beautifully crafted and competitively priced. It offers fully customizable modular versatility, ensuring lasting value for projects big and small, from a quick swap to a master bath overhaul. From the double drawer vanity and coordinating sinks to the eye-

catching, freestanding oval tub and sleek toilets, every piece in this curated collection is designed to refresh and rejuvenate. Studio S simplifies the bathroom remodel process by offering coordinating products across multiple categories for an easier shopping experience. American Standard knows every family's day begins and ends in the bathroom and aims to bring a feeling of

comfort and security home, day after day.

"Studio S was designed to catch your eye and offer the everyday functionality consumers need for life's busy bathroom, which is seeing more activity than ever these days," said Gene Barbato, vice president of American Standard brand marketing at LIXIL Americas, under which American Standard operates. "Now that we are all spending so much time at home, we are seeing a desire to make upgrades that are long overdue and turn the bathroom into a haven, a place where you can escape for five minutes of 'me time.' The expanded collection allows homeowners to mix and match pieces to fit any style and space, making it easy to find the right products for everything from a full remodel to a quick refresh."

Designed for Comfort and Ease of Use

New to Studio S are two-piece toilets and a one-of-a-kind tankless, low-profile unit toilet featuring American Standard's PowerFlo™ technology, which results in a quieter, more powerful flush. Clean, minimalist lines and a modern silhouette define the eye-grabbing low-profile toilet. Featuring sleek, skirted sides, it delivers on both high performance and water efficiency, without requiring electrical power or batteries. Designed with comfort in mind, it features a chair height elongated and slow-close seat.

The most popular seat in the house is working overtime these days, and Studio S's new additions mix beautiful design with optimal function. American Standard makes it easier to fulfill everyone's least favorite task – cleaning the toilet – with slab-sided construction and features like PowerWash® and EverClean®. This technology scrubs the bowl with every flush and inhibits the growth of stain and odor causing mildew.

Modularity in Mind

The Studio S vanities and sinks are modular and come in multiple finishes and configurations, allowing for a truly customized experience. Featuring a beautiful clean, contemporary design available in white and gray, each vanity fits seamlessly in any bathroom. Generous storage space easily accommodates everything from hot tools and hair ties to hand soap, and slow-close drawers never make a jarring, slamming sound in the home.

The Ultimate Bathing Experience

Contemporary design meets unparalleled comfort in the Studio S bathtub. Soft



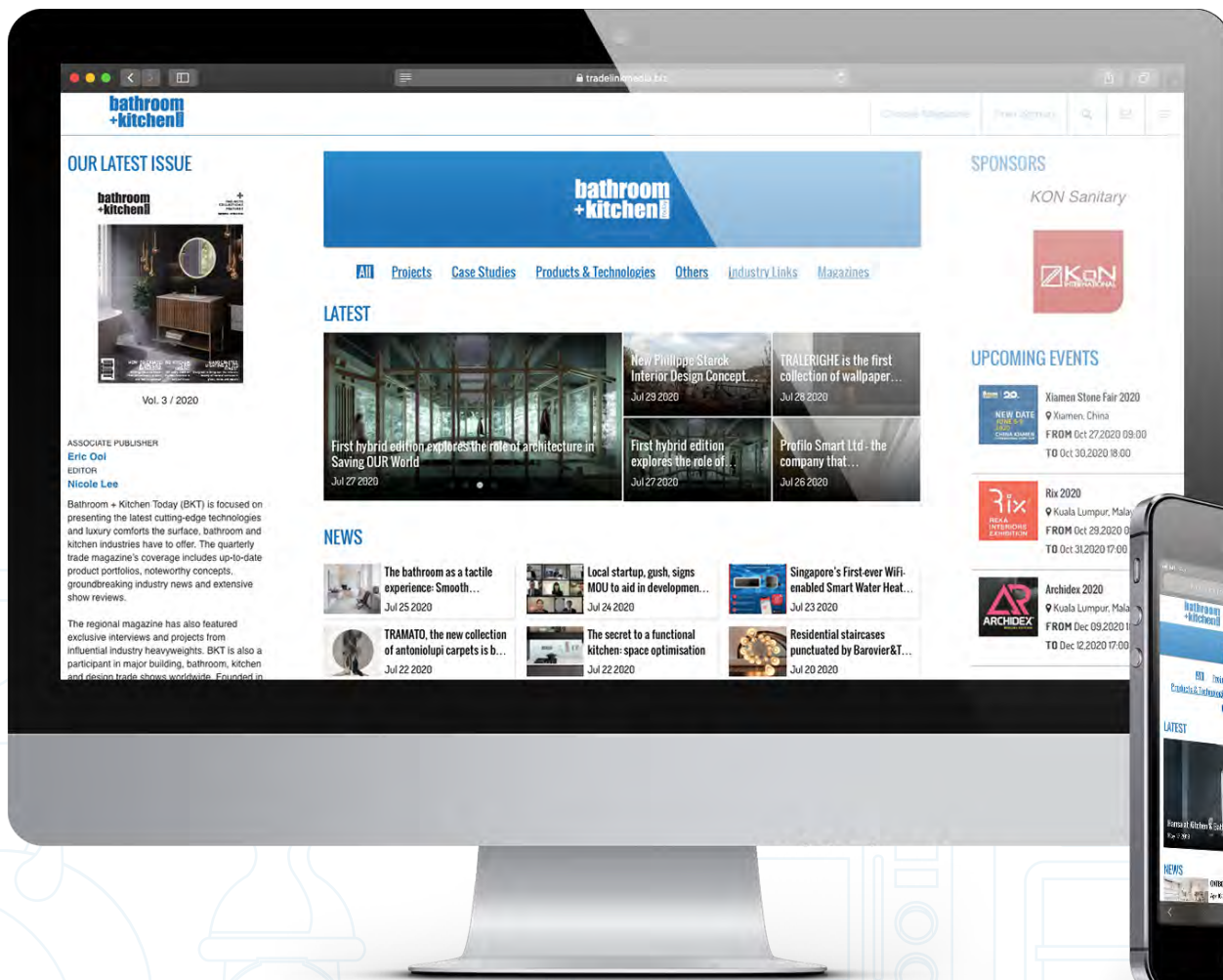
rounded lines and deep soaking depth allow users to unwind in the gorgeously crafted freestanding tub. It features a high-gloss finish for easy cleaning and a center drain to allow for a relaxing soak from either end.

These pieces coordinate with the existing Studio S lineup for bath and kitchen, including contemporary faucets, showerheads and accessories. The European-inspired silhouettes juxtaposed with smooth, softer surface details offer a variety of design

options to refresh spaces of all sizes.

The Studio S collection for the bathroom is priced from \$278 to \$3,140 and comes in trending finishes of matte black, polished chrome and brushed nickel. Studio S is available via online retailers and at kitchen and bath showrooms nationwide. To learn more, visit americanstandard.com.

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Rigid-Tile Firm Premier



TORLYS smart floors is once again combining expertise and know-how to enhance its luxury vinyl flooring offering with RigidTile™ Firm Premier, the first collection of solid polymer core (SPC) vinyl in the appearance of tiles. It is offered in five superb designs in 12" x 24" format and completed by "grout effect" joints; a perfect alternative to porcelain or stone tiles.

Stable and Flexible Construction

RigidTile Firm Premier is a continuously compressed five (5) ply premium SPC vinyl resistant to temperature variations from -20 to +50 ° C and with all the benefits of a TORLYS smart floors.

Dimensions: 12 in x 24 in
 Thickness: 3/16" (5mm)
 Edges: Joints painted "grout effect"

To complete your floor, TORLYS also offers moldings, including recessed stair nosings, reducers and T-moldings, to match the complete sober and contemporary color range of the RigidTile Firm Premier.

Quick and Easy Installation

Thanks to the patented UNICLIC seal (the strongest and tightest on the market), this flooring can be disassembled and reinstalled in another room or other home. A seal resistant to breaches guaranteed even during marked changes in temperature. Using the TORLYS Bulldog Tool, a plank can be replaced in the middle of the room without having to dismantle the entire floor.

Like other smart floor vinyl collections, the installation methods for RigidTile Firm Premier are floating or glue down. 100% waterproof product suitable for any type of space including seasonal chalets and solariums, and all residential areas including basements, kitchens and bathrooms, this type of coating can even be installed on radiant heating and requires no transition molding on surfaces up to 70' x 70'.

Comfortable, Hygienic and Quiet

Another advantage of RigidTile Firm Premier vinyl; it is composed of a fixed FoamPlus BLUE underlay with Microban antimicrobial protection; this repels moisture and the growth of mold and mildew that cause stains, odors and deterioration of floors.

Note that this underlay also uses PFT ("Progression Foam Technology"), which enhances the heat and sound insulation of the product - attenuating and reducing sound in the room itself and the room below. Then, TORLYS's durable Maxx finish, also incorporating Microban protection, provides superior resistance to surface stains and scratches.

Ecological Choice

The RigidTile Firm Premier collection carries FloorScore certification attesting to the safety of these products for your home in relation to air quality. In addition, this flooring can also be disassembled and reinstalled once under warranty.

Easy to Maintain

To keep TORLYS smart floors vinyl looking good, simply vacuum or dry mop it regularly, and use the Natural Glow eco-friendly cleaning kit if needed.

Strong Protection

Synonymous with peace of mind, the RigidTile Firm Premier has several guarantees, either against floods and pets (proven against animal urine), in addition to a 25-year residential warranty against wear and tear, stains and water. And like all other TORLYS smart floors, this type of vinyl comes with a lifetime warranty on structure and gaps (joint opening) for residential use.

About TORLYS

Great floors today, great always. For more than 32 years, TORLYS has been a flooring company specializing in high-performance, environmentally friendly, ingenious and easy-to-maintain flooring. TORLYS offers vinyl, laminate, engineered hardwood, cork and leather floors through a global network of retailers and specialty contractors.

For more information, visit <https://residential.torlys.com/fr/collections/rigidwood-fr/rigidtile-firm-premier-fr/>





Onism Mallard

by **Woodchip and Magnolia**

For 2021 British design house Woodchip & Magnolia is launching a carefully curated paint collection in conjunction with five new wallpaper designs. The Petrichor collection boasts fearless botanical pattern coupled with an earthy paint palette made up of fourteen new hues, all designed to complement their growing range of wallpaper and fabric. Inspired by the landscapes of the Lancashire moors and the transition of the Seasons, this new collection explores the beauty of traditional heritage with a modern twist.

www.woodchipandmagnolia.co.uk





The 'Final Frontier'

by **Lime Lace**

The 'Final Frontier' Wallpaper by PaperBoy is perfect for your little space explorers' bedroom! A super fun outer space wallpaper design that will add bags of character to any child's bedroom, playroom or nursery. Spaceships, laser guns, the moon & alien invasion... it's all here! Inspiring the Tim Peake's of the future! This cool space themed wallpaper is available in 4 stylish colourways; Blue, Yellow, Cream & Green and Stone & Aubergine.

www.limelace.co.uk





Takeda Snow

by **Feathr**

A calming and romantic cream and white cherry blossom wallpaper mural, that brings a touch of winter peace into the home. Branches and white blossoms intertwine to create a beautiful chinoiserie wall mural that is particularly suited to the bedroom or living room.

www.feathr.com

Catherine Rowe Designs

by **Charlton Island**

A luxurious wallpaper - thick, durable and with a beautiful fabric-like texture. Featuring an original Catherine Rowe Designs, expertly printed with beautiful, vibrant colours. All wallpaper is printed digitally in the UK using ecological inks and responsible printing methods.

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Marble Wallpaper

by **NAT MAK**S

The MARBLE mural is hand printed by way of the traditional Japanese Art of Suminagashi - meaning 'floating ink'. This piece is unique. There are no pattern repeats - we create individual rolls of paintings. The process of Suminagashi involves colours being placed on the water surface, which then begin to expand on the water. They are only encouraged to move by air, nothing else disturbs the surface. The colours move in an organic way - when a dynamic pattern has been shaped, Natascha makes a print by placing and moving the paper on the water.

www.natmaks.com



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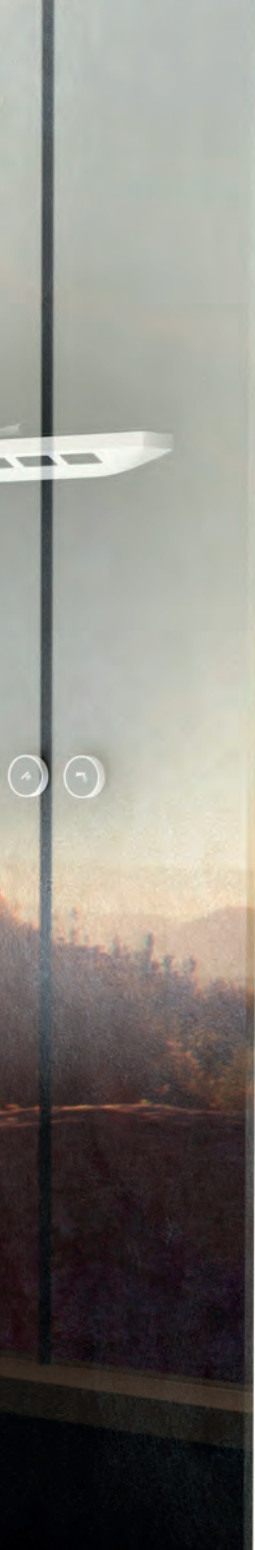
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The Evolving Bathroom by Econflo



Staying home for prolonged periods of time can be difficult for every one of us. If you dream of a luxury bathroom that's indulgent and relaxing where you can unwind after a long day? (ahem, don't we all?) At the end of a long day, the only space for uninterrupted exclusivity within the home is, ultimately, the bathroom. While there may have been a time where we looked to the bathroom as a simple wet space, changing lifestyles, habits and approaches to design have seen it transform to an extension of living spaces, a haven of luxury, solitude and refined self-expression. Of

course, you can make it a whole lot easier with a house that exactly meet your needs and also wraps you in a bit of luxury!

Designing your private sanctuary can be mind-boggling when faced with a myriad of choices in the market. Unlike furniture that have distinct styles and characteristics, bathroom fittings and wares often comes in similar designs and functions and more often than not, we leave it up to the price to decide.

If that 5-star shower experience is the

dream, you can't go wrong with Hansgrohe, a premium bathroom fittings company – they've got the latest tech when it comes to bathroom fixtures. Whether you live in a 40



square foot studio or a country estate, one aspect of a bathroom that doesn't discriminate when it comes to space is shower heads. Investing in a rainfall shower that has a filter to activate different pressures can turn your mundane before-work shower into a resort-like sensory experience. Keep things simple with a combined rainfall and handheld shower head combination like in the image below (Hansgrohe Rainfinity overhead shower 360 3 jet 26234700 & Hansgrohe Rainfinity hand shower 130 3 jet 26864700) so that you can alternate between the two, according to your desired pressure.



Having the handheld shower device also makes cleaning the recess easier. The Hansgrohe Rainfinity design is an optical extravagance. The large overhead and hand showers add extra cosiness to the bathroom with modern colourful finishes and the subtly structured spray disc. The matt white of the showers stands in elegant contrast to the graphite-coloured spray discs. The new showerpipe (Rainfinity Showerpipe 360 1jet for concealed installation 26842000) is also a head-turner in your living space. Its overhead shower, hand shower, shelves and separate concealed controls all add modern touches to the bathroom. You can switch between jet types simply and intuitively

with Select. A sleek shower thermostat that's always set at the right temperature. Just like Hansgrohe RainSelect series (Thermostat for concealed installation for 4 functions 15382700). It's been a long day: There's nothing you want more than a comfortingly warm shower before crawling into bed. Even better still if it's a shower with just the right temperature and feel on your skin which will finally whisk you away into a much-needed state of zen!

Through these unprecedented times, while we all may be living in uncertainty across the globe, there is one thing we all have in common in every home right now—being mindful of washing our hands. Whether this is a habit some of us follow all the while or it is something that others have only recently cultivated, one thing is certain — the bathroom wash basin is a space being used a lot right now. With ample time on our hands these days, many of us have turned to spring cleaning or home-improving projects in our homes. Remember when a basin was simply a recessed porcelain square with a plughole? Those days are gone. Nowadays, the basin is the centrepiece of the bathroom.

Today, bathroom basins come in a multitude of shapes, materials and sizes. Sculptural countertop basins that sit on a vanity or wash-

stand are the most popular choice among new homeowners, followed by pedestal basins and wall-mounted designs. Inset basins, recessed into a countertop have drifted out of favour, but have their distinct advantages when space is tight. Black is a classic luxurious colour and always a good decor idea when it comes to your bathroom interior design.

From minimalist designs to contemporary bathrooms with the best furniture brand - German manufacturer Duravit presents Happy D.2 Plus in expressive black. Their typical washbasins with flattened edges have a completely new and striking individuality. Striking originality is provided by new colour variations in anthracite matt or two-tone contrasting, white glossy inside. The consistent colour concept of Happy D.2 Plus also includes toilets and bidets, whereby the toilets are designed for optimal hygiene in the interior in anthracite gloss. 'C-shaped' builds on Duravit's 'C-bonded' technology - which bonds ceramic basins to their vanity units and consoles seamlessly, that is to create elegant, streamlined bathroom furniture with no protrusions or recesses.

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Black Series

by **BRAVAT**

With sleek edges and a contemporary aesthetic, the Bravat Black Series adds a touch of elegance to your bathroom ensemble. The Bravat Black series features the incredible Air Mix technology and an integrated aerator, merging air and water in a seamless combination, ensuring the water produced is soft and gentle to the touch.

For ease of water flow and temperature regulation, the shower mixer comes equipped with a stylish paddle level handle, labelled clearly with hot/ hot indicators. The series utilises PVD coating technology for quality longevity and a touch of sleek simplicity.

The signature black finish lends an undeniably classy touch to the faucet's design, accentuated further by the details running along the side edges, a famed design helmed by Bravat's design team.

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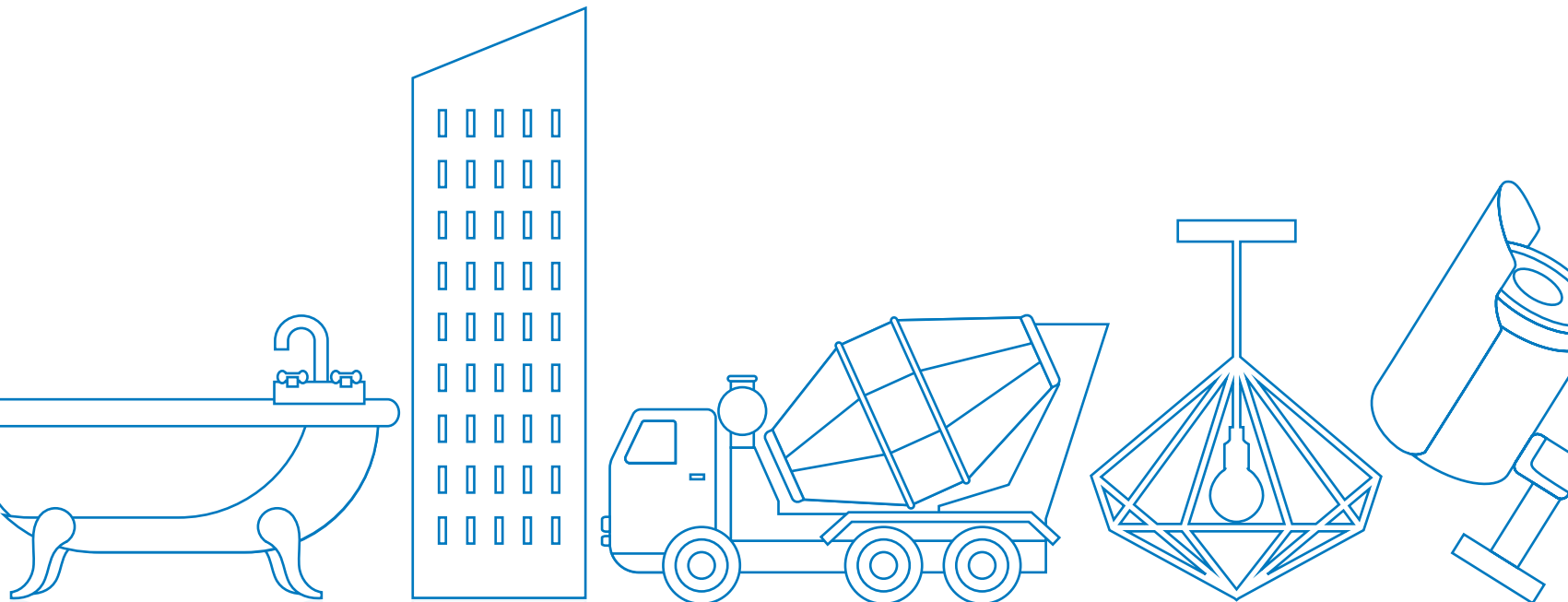
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KITCHENS OF THE FUTURE

by Econflo



Kitchens are one of the biggest investments made in the home and consequently everyone wants to know that they are getting something that last – not just robust and easy to maintain, but timeless in design and incorporating technology that will not become obsolete. Simply put, a well-designed kitchen ensures a return on your investment.

Whenever we decide and design a kitchen, we assume that it will surely last for a lifetime. The average span of a kitchen is 20 years. But we usually do not consider a kitchen design impact for the years to come. As we grow older, movements and motions become more difficult and restricted. Therefore, while considering your kitchen design, future proof it to have the best design for the years to come.

Surveys show that nearly half of all homeowners today store their kitchen things in other rooms such as the dining room, laundry area and even basement. Part of the problem is that kitchens today use many more gadgets and gewgaws than kitchens of old and the space





complete cleanliness: the bowls are easy to clean and all removable compartments can simply be taken out and washed ready to use again! With accessories such as a colander, a triple knife set, a sanitised chopping board and a drying rack, the only thing the Box Centre can't do is cook your meal. Do away with clutter and discover a workstation that will make your heart flutter.

Choosing the right kitchen tap is essential as it is the hardest working appliance in your kitchen. A good quality tap should last a lifetime so it is worth opting for a tap that offers a timeless appeal. Drinking at least eight glasses of aqua water is one of the most natural and inexpensive things you could do to lead a healthy life. Thus, it's only right to invest in a filtration system that supplies you with pure and delicious drinking water. By incorporating Franke's Vital Tap (sink mixer) into your home, you will see how a seemingly small upgrade in the kitchen can vastly improve your daily routine and well-being. Effortlessly installed like any standard tap, the Vital Capsule is a space-saving kitchen accessory for the practical homeowner. The remarkably compact body is not only well-fitting to any countertop but it also does not require massive cabinet space under the sink. Changing the filters takes only a few seconds!

are simply not available to store them in a typical kitchen. If you are planning to remodel your kitchen, one of the best decisions you will make is planning for smart storage.

The ultimate kitchen workspace, Franke Box Centre sink will allow you to achieve more while occupying less space in your kitchen. Subverting the traditional sink-and-drainer setup, Franke Box Centre transforms your kitchen sink into a culinary workspace with all your essentials for meal prep living in the smaller bowl of your sink. It is a fully accessorised Stainless Steel Work centre with Slim-Top edge profile. The second bowl serves as storage location for accessories.

With the Box Center, the sink and accessories belong together. During the day, the elegant accessories are easily accessible for food preparation because they are completely integrated in the main bowl. At night, the accessories can be safely stored in the compartment bowl and will dry entirely overnight. The new double bowls provide for an optimum kitchen workflow because everything is within reach. They also offer





Once the device's green LED light turns red, simply unscrew the elegant casing, extract the current cartridge, replace it with a refill kit and then twist the cap back in place. It's the unpretentious, sophisticated and fully rotatable filter tap you need for an enhanced and healthy home life. The Red Dot Award is one of the most coveted quality seals for good design and Franke recently snagged not one, but two of these internationally recognised distinctions.

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Leicht Brings (Black) Beauty Back

With the 2021 collection, LEICHT invites you to view the kitchen and cross-room living as an entity. And in doing so, the kitchen manufacturer from Waldstetten takes all conceivable individual wishes and needs into consideration. The focus is on design solutions for a wide range of room sizes, for areas with challenging structural conditions, but also for the diverse demands placed on kitchens. Primarily the function or the combination of function and architectural representation plays a decisive role. As a logical continuation of past collections with which the architectural brand positioned itself in the interior design sector, this year's product concepts and new products also open up more possibilities in the living space – with an impressively calm, timeless charisma, which is also conveyed by the use of high-quality materials such as real wood and ceramics.

BOSSA. Skilfully architectural, modern, bold – the real wood surface programme for interior design. With the BOSSA programme, the new





real wood surface, LEICHT is breaking new ground in the premium kitchen market – BOSSA polarises, impresses, catches the eye. Available in oak or walnut veneer, it is the vertically lined surface structure of the front that is particularly expressive: protruding, linear ridges, 7.5 mm wide with a gap of 5

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Whether in the cooking, dining or living area, in the entrée or hallway: with BOSSA, surfaces can be designed, structured and combined to form an overall uniform architectural structure. BOSSA lays the foundation for a new type of room concept, a new furnishing aesthetic principle that will shape the style of future planning. With this real wood surface, LEICHT offers a comprehensive range of products for all representative kitchen design as well as the directly adjacent living areas, and once again positions itself in future-oriented interior design.

New-look carcass: extension of the carcass height and colour in carbon grey

Along with the heights of 73 cm and 80 cm, LEICHT has now added a third carcass height of 86 cm to its product range. The lower plinth of 7 cm subtly influences the effect of the kitchen. The new dimension creates a cubic, poised and architecturally clear look, which reflects the reduced design language of the kitchen manufacturer and is available for the PRIMO, EVO and CONTINO lines. This new carcass height also provides additional functional storage space. Another new feature of the carcass is the choice of colour for the interior. In addition to light platinum grey, LEICHT is now expanding this range with an extremely elegant dark carbon grey.

The high-quality aura of this dark colour scheme satisfies the demand for more emotionality, whether in the classic kitchen or in the adjoining dining and living area. While the carcass in platinum has a clear, technically objective look, the carcass in carbon grey appeals directly to the senses. In keeping with this aesthetic principle, all interior features are consequently adapted to the new colour: cutlery trays, waste systems, pullouts and the powder-coated frames appear in carbon grey with a delicate shimmer, while the glass elements of the pullouts are slightly tinted with a chamfered edge. LEICHT thus offers a colour-homogeneous look both inside and out – because the desire for kitchen designs in dark, emotionally luxurious shades is increasing.

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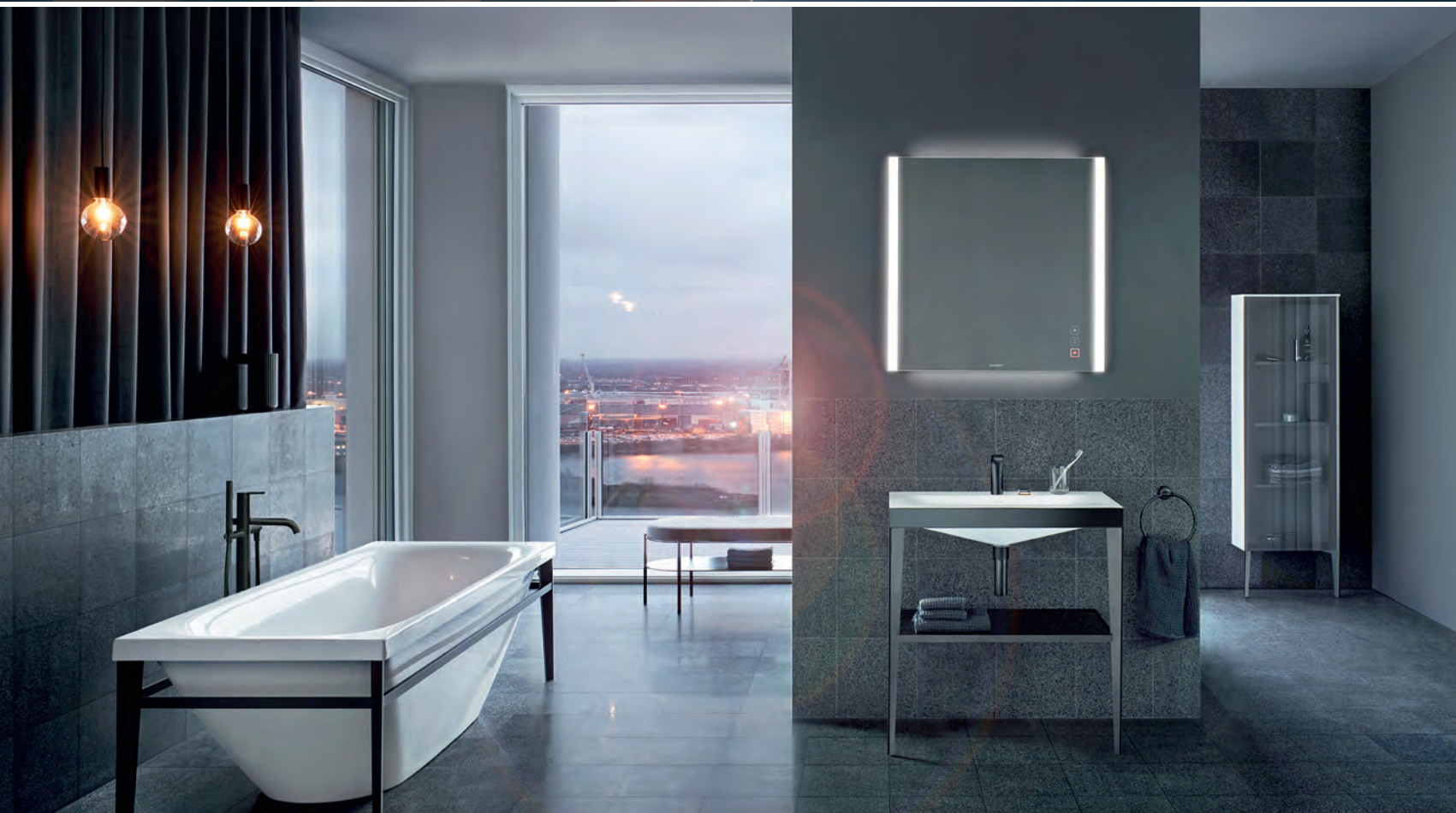
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