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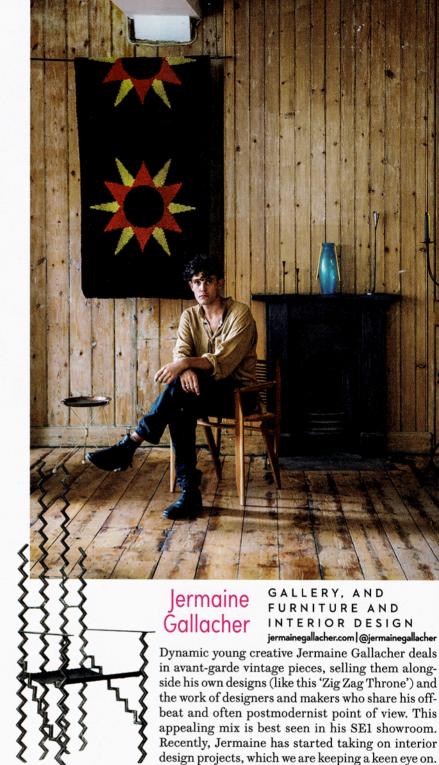
This designer is not afraid to be bold – a trait she learned from her mentor Martin Brudnizki during the decade she spent working for his design studio. Stephanie Barba Mendoza's attention to detail and bold use of colour results in distinctive yet inviting spaces. Established in 2020, her studio has gone from strength to strength and she now oversees a team of five. This year brings a variety of projects – from a chintzy, maximalist interior in Antwerp to a modern penthouse in London.

## Christian Bense

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South Africa-born designer Christian Bense worked for Turner Pocock for five years before setting up on his own. 'He is an absolute superstar,' raves Bunny Turner, while Christian says there is rarely a day in which he does not ask himself, 'What would Bunny and Emma do?'. Things are going well and he enjoys the diversity of his work: 'Currently it's all things Regency, but the last project was very much an Asian meets Danish mid-century mash-up.'





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The amount of waste

in the interiors industry is not discussed enough, but after a decade of first-hand experience, Jules Haines decided to do something about it. In 2020, she set up Haines Collection, an online platform through which

interiors businesses (mostly fabric houses) can sell remnants, ends of line and seconds – resulting in a reduction in landfill and lower prices for customers. Haines Collection also supports environmental charities such as WasteAid.