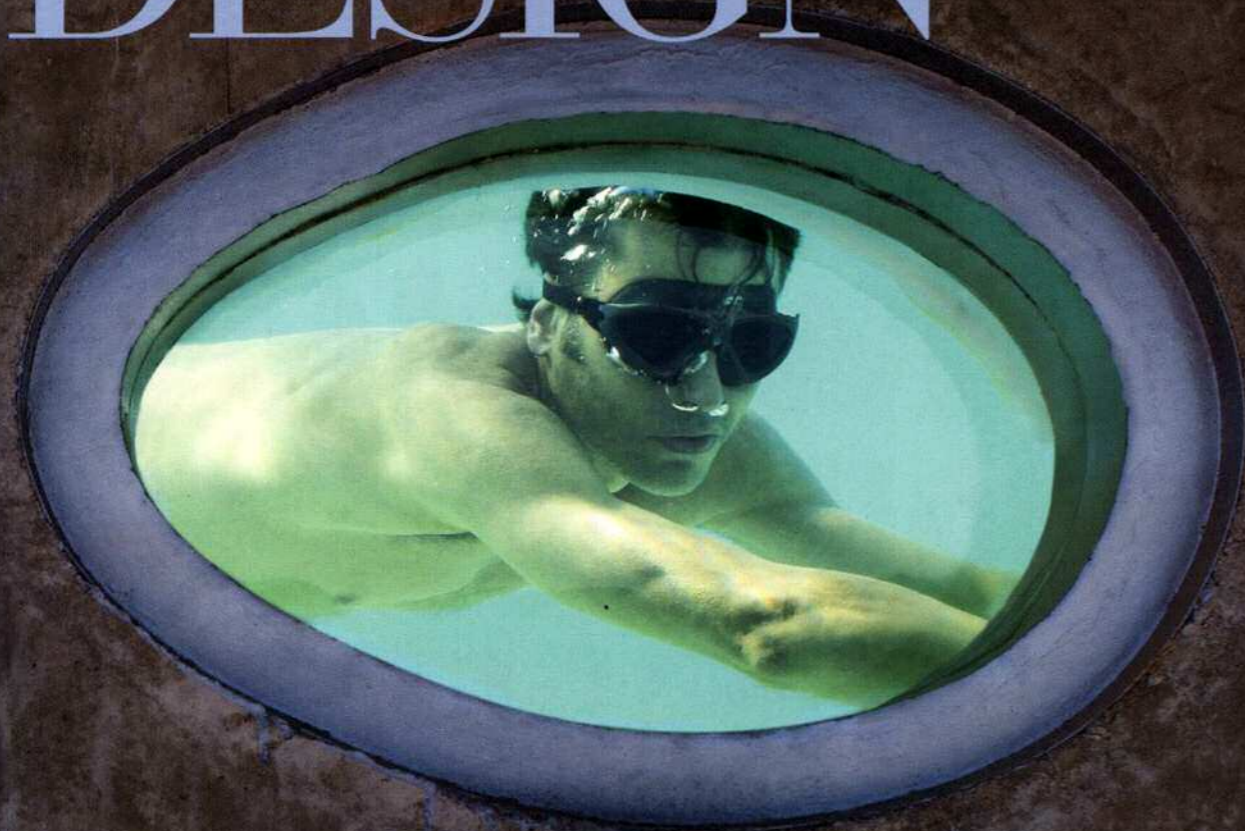


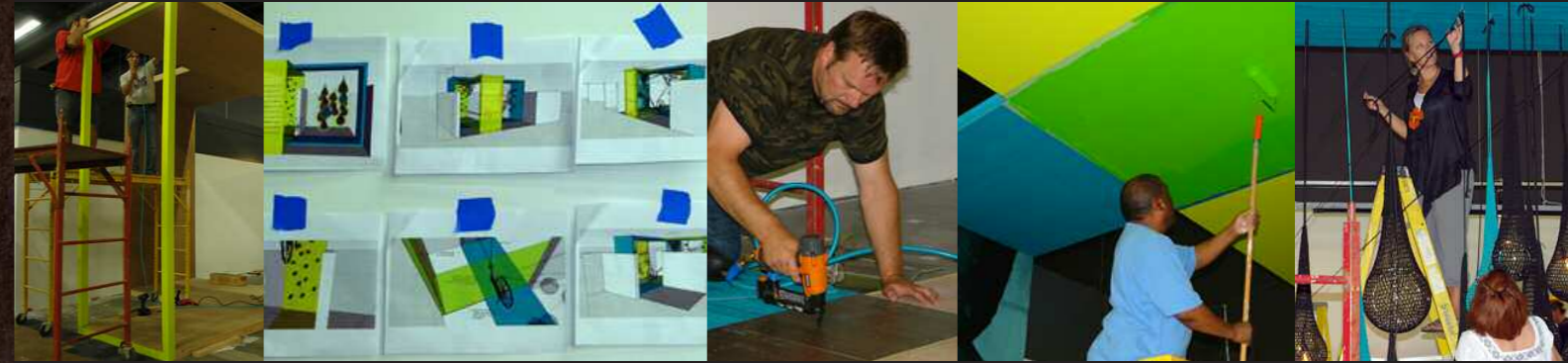
# INTERIOR DESIGN

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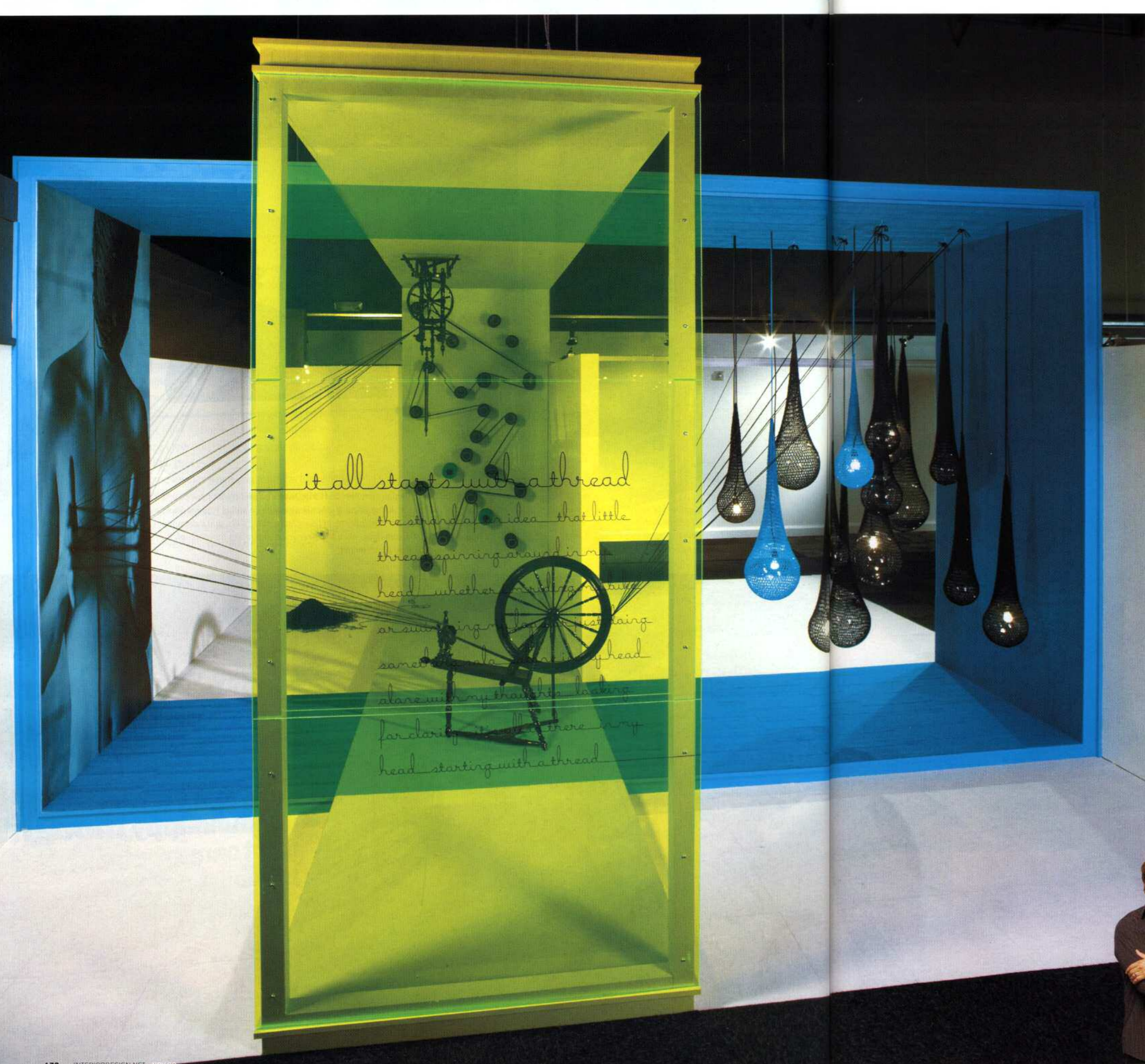
We were joined by five other talented firms, each with their own unique design, and the final installation was realized by 1 contractor, 15 architecture students from Auburn University and the manufacturer's own maintenance crew and marketing staff in a three-day construction process.

We were asked to re-think 'carpet' and think outside traditional boundaries. We worked over a period of months to refine and complete our concept. The following spread from the article is of the finished product.

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+ it started  
with a thread



## Ghislaine Viñas Interior Design

**materials** Nylon yarn, spools, wooden spinning wheels, crocheted bags, acrylic panels and fishbowls.

**concept** For Ghislaine Viñas, a thread connotes a narrative. However, her thread-inspired notions remained a bit threadbare until her graphic-designer husband, Viñas Design's Jaime Viñas, gave her an idea that led to the inclusion of a duo-tone image of a masked but otherwise naked woman playing cat's cradle. "It really completed the story, and things fell into place," he says. A photomural of the figure looms on one side of the installation, while nylon yarn seems to extend from her fingers to pass through spinning wheels and up to suspended crocheted bags, each weighted by a fishbowl containing an incandescent bulb. "The light," Ghislaine Viñas explains, "is the end of the story." Framing it are two open-sided boxes in turquoise, chartreuse, and grass green. Placed perpendicular to each other, the boxes are intersecting. Or interfacing. ➤

