

## *Transforming* a House into a “Home”

*Founder of her eponymous design firm, Jessica Margot takes a collaborative and holistic approach to interior design, where clients' personality, taste, and functional needs are incorporated to create unique and memorable living spaces. Among other style influences, she and her team creatively mix classic pieces, custom furniture, and unexpected finds to create surroundings that are attuned to each client's individuality.*

**Why do you love what you do?** I receive great joy in connecting with my clients on an intimate level and helping them transform their house into a home. Each project is a new and different challenge; I like to think I have a natural instinct for creating beautiful environments for each client.

**What sets you apart from your competition?** My passion and adaptability allow me to consider the architectural style of the home and my client's needs, then tailor the design accordingly.

**Past trends you'd like to see return?** I would like to see the integration of more pops of color throughout the home.

**Trends on the horizon?** Clients want spaces that express who they are, and often they cannot be defined by one category. Juxtaposing styles, such as minimalistic with a touch of classic detailed elements, is on the rise.

**Where do you draw inspiration from?** Everywhere! Whether it's at a restaurant, destination, or in nature, I am always inspired by the elements and people around me.

**Favorite mantra?** “Love what you do,” because, if you love what you do, you're going to do it well!

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