

**LAYER UP**

The best way to zhuzh up a streamlined colour palette? Adding layers of texture and pattern, achieved here with the geometric wallpaper, tiger-print throw pillow and ribbed upholstered headboard.

**KEEP A LOW PROFILE**

The one thing this small condo had going for it? "Tall ceilings!" says Lui. To exaggerate this height—and make the bedroom appear larger—the designer opted for a low, unobtrusive headboard.

**GET THE SKINNY**

Lui selected these table lamps for their sleek and narrow profile. The barely there base frees up space, allowing more room for plants and decor (along with bedtime reads).

**MODERN MASTERS**

Three stylish bedroom looks from three Vancouver designers.

**THE LOOK: SWEET SUITE**

When it came time to design this 130-square-foot bedroom, Phyllis Lui and Aleem Kassam of **Kalu Interiors** turned to luxury hotels for inspiration.

**TAKE TIME TO REFLECT**

Mirrored Willow nightstands from Mobilia do double duty: "They offer an illusion of space and light in otherwise dark corners and edges of the room, while providing ample storage," says Lui.

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### THE LOOK: QUIET QUARTERS

A neutral colour palette and luxe linens helped Stephanie Vogler of **The Cross Decor and Design** transform her master bedroom into a peaceful retreat.

#### RAISE THE ROOF

Vogler was hesitant about the four-poster bed, but now it's her favourite thing in the home. Made with whitewashed distressed oak, it lends warmth to the space while drawing the eye up: "It's unexpected and dramatic without being a show-off."

#### TAKE A (NIGHT)STAND

With a limited amount of closet space, two dressers—including one Hessa dresser, complete with iridescent shell inlay—act as bedside tables. "Beauty is always my first inspiration, but necessity is a great driving force," says the designer.

#### MAKE IT COZY

To make the room as comfortable as possible, Vogler layered super-soft pillows and throws on the bed—and added an ultra-plush Scandinavian-inspired shag rug underfoot.



**HANG IN THERE**

Lin replaced the flush-mounted frosted-glass ceiling fixture (a builder's special) with two hanging pendants. Suspended from a canopy of black rope, the bedside lighting gives the room a relaxed feel.

**TIE UP LOOSE ENDS**

Adding a touch of macramé was critical for the boho aesthetic, but it also lends texture and light to what would have been a dark tunnel of a hallway.



**THE LOOK: BOHO BEAUTY**

Wall-to-wall windows and odd angles required designer **Kathleen Lin** to get creative in this False Creek condo.

**EMBRACE THE GREY AREA**

The charcoal feature wall adds some much-needed contrast to the room, and makes the linen bedding and natural wood bedframe pop.



**SAVE A SEAT**

Not only does this custom-made bed offer a spot to sit window-side, the bench also opens up for storage—and there are four drawers at the foot. “We didn’t want a standard headboard,” says Lin of its many functions. **CONDO**

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