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# The Edge of Style

OCEAN HOME INTERIORS EXPERTS JEFFREY AND DEBORAH FISHER UNCOVER FIVE TOP FINDS FROM WESTEDGE DESIGN FAIR



### Fluid And Functional

Does form follow function or vice versa? Michael d'Amato created the stylish and functional Fluid Ribbon chair to help ease his brother's chronic back pain. As opposed to static chairs that resist movement while sitting, the central split in d'Amato's aluminum ribbon seat encourages activity with biomechanically accurate movements. Sculpturally aesthetic, the chair is also stackable and suitable for indoors and out. The chair was a big hit with everyone who sat in it at WestEdge. [lambertidecor.com](http://lambertidecor.com)



### Turning The Table

I love a back-story as much as I love great design and this has both. When Brandon Morrison set out from rural Louisiana for Los Angeles to pursue a career in acting, fate intervened. After a few twists and turns, Brandon founded whyrHymer, his custom handmade furniture and lighting company. The No. 2 table from his Atomik Series was originally designed to complement his No.1 chair but I think it would be knockout as a stand-alone center hall table. End of story. [whyryhymer.com](http://whyryhymer.com)



### A Waterfall Of Light

Deb fell in love with this exquisite fixture from the Astele collection and suggested we hang it in a client's powder room. Aptly named Waterfall, her favorite chandelier is made of more than a thousand tiny glass beads that cascade in a liquid-like motion. A modern take on a classic shape, Waterfall comes in three sizes or can be ordered custom, and is available in a multitude of colors. What can I say? Deb has a great eye. [astele.com](http://astele.com)



### To Have And To Holder

Deb is forever surprising friends and family with a thoughtful gift. When we joined the editorial team at Ocean Home, she sent me the fabulous Walnut Magazine Holder from Moore and Giles with a note telling me I'd need this to store all of our editions. Hand crafted in Lynchburg, Va. from handsome Virginia Black Walnut and the finest Italian leather, it's the only magazine rack I've ever owned and now it's my favorite. [mooreandgiles.com](http://mooreandgiles.com)



### Art For The Floor

One of my favorite meditative moments is sitting near the ocean's edge and watching breaking waves ebb and flow on the sand. Fort Street Studio captures this memory perfectly for me with their luxurious hand-knotted wild silk carpets like this one in teal, titled Edge. Husband and wife team, Janis Provisor and Brad Davis fashion their undoubted art and design talents for the floor with one-of-a-kind creations, each more beautiful than the next. [fortstreetstudio.com](http://fortstreetstudio.com)

## From the Editor



Left, me with WestEdge founders Megan Reilly and Troy Hanson. Above, top designers Kathryn M. Inland and Martyn Lawrence Bullard.

### LIVING ON THE EDGE

I'm so excited to return from the recent inaugural WestEdge Design Fair in Santa Monica, brimming with ideas for this special Ocean Home Design Issue. Held over four days and attended by 6,300 top interior designers and industry leaders, the fair showcased a treasure trove of award-winning talents, many of which are featured in this issue. On the subject of award-winning design, Ocean Home was honored with a Best Magazine Redesign Award at the min Editorial Design Awards 2013 in New York City, beating The Wall Street Journal's WSJ, Southern Living and Redbook magazines to the gong. It's a feather in the cap for our talented Art Director Ryan Jolley and the entire Ocean Home team who work hard to produce a world-class magazine that we hope you will enjoy long into the future.

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