

Animal Magnetism



FURNITURE At Axis Decorative Arts, Vancouver furniture designer Lech Podgorski brings his collection, formerly the insider secret of in-the-know interior decorators, to all. His art deco-influenced furniture designs start with unusual materials (think: goat parchment, mammoth tusk, linen or salmon skin) layered on classic styles. Our favourite: telephone tables (left) covered in a rich charcoal-stained snake skin.—*Anicka Quin*
938 Howe St., Vancouver, 604-642-2288, axis-arts.com; lechdesign.com



EDITOR'S CHOICE Vancouver artisans Mizzonk have crafted the perfect hostess gift: Pancake, a set of handmade coasters that replicate the look of fossilized wood (\$14). Find Mizzonk, and more than 200 other artisans, at this year's **One of a Kind Show** at the Vancouver Convention Centre, October 8 to 11. oneofakindvancouver.com



Wall Candy

DECOR Barbara Hulanicki, founder of the iconic 1960s London store Biba, has designed three metallic wallpapers for Graham & Brown's fall collection. Hula shimmers in pale green or charcoal and gold; Diva is oyster-coloured with intricate metallic curves; Viva is a large-scale contemporary print on a turquoise or black gloss background.—*Nori Sinclair*
Crown Wallpaper & Fabrics, 306-611 Alexander St., Vancouver, 604-215-1149, crownwallpaper.com

Teak and Ye Shall Find

DECOR By Design, the mid-century modern division of Vancouver's Sugar Barrel Antiques, has opened a second outlet in Victoria's Design District. The vast showroom features exquisite teak and rosewood pieces from Denmark and classic looks from noted designers such as Hans J. Werner, Grete Jalk and Peter Hvidt. Cool Elfo Rya shag rugs make great period accent pieces.—*Shelora Sheldon*
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