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COLOR STORY

FROM FAÇADE TO LANAI, A HOMEOWNER'S FAVORITE PALETTE IMPARTS UNDENIABLE PERSONALITY IN A NAPLES RESIDENCE

RIGHT: In the great room, the wife's chosen shades of blue and green echo the outdoors in the Manuel Canovas drapes and Hickory sofas and armchairs. The patterned Kravet area rug pulls the room's colors together.

BELOW: Designer Lisa Kahn designed the wood buffet with lattice detail for a touch of classicism in the dining room. The crystal chandelier by Kelly Wearstler was chosen for its shape and the way it drapes down. "The look is clean and transitional, which works perfectly," says Kahn.





WHEN INTERIOR DESIGNER LISA KAHN first met Tina Pregont, the homeowner was wearing a blue cardigan that would soon tell the story of their work relationship.

"Tina loves her hues," says Kahn. "She wore the blue sweater to let us know the exact color we needed to capture when we designed certain rooms in her new house."

Said house is a 7,000-square-foot residence (with five bedrooms and eight baths) that backs up to a golf course and which Tina shares with her husband and their two chocolate Labrador Retrievers.

The designer/client meeting was a success. "I was impressed with Lisa right away," says Pregont. "She is bohemian and color-oriented, which I loved, and she knew what I wanted. I told her about my

love for bright blues and greens with mixed patterns, which give me a feeling of calm. Everything Lisa suggested back was happy and fresh."

Kahn made a case for a symbiosis between indoors and out by creating a flow of energy, light, and color: "I love to blur interior design with exterior natural surroundings, which brings healing energy into the house. The colors Tina chose were ideal. We were thrilled to bring her vision to life."

In the great room, which overlooks the golf course through large glass windows, that vision is honest to Pregont's color directives. From flora-themed Manuel Canovas drapes to Hickory sofas and armchairs upholstered in green and blue fabrics, the room happily says no to neutrals.





Blue wins again in the dining room, where the Pierre Frey fabric on the dining chairs is the exact tone as Pregont's aforementioned sweater.

The kitchen is a showplace of finishes, from walnut to riftcut oak, that work effortlessly together. To satisfy the couple's gourmet inclinations, there are two island countertops made of quartz. One is surrounded with Thibaut stools for family dinners; the other is strictly for food preparation. "We entertain often," says Pregont, "and I like to cook for guests when we don't use catering."

The homeowner's preferred color scheme also makes an appearance in the primary bedroom, most noticeably in the form of Kravet's leaf-themed wallpaper. Once again, Kahn blurred the lines of inside and outside in a satisfying way.

"Tina was willing to be bold, so everything in this commission worked together really well," says Kahn. "The whole experience was marvelous."

ABOVE: A breakfast nook repeats the kitchen's colors, which blend easily with the Indonesian abstract artwork on the wall.

LEFT: The kitchen boasts a tropical vibe imparted by the colors chosen. "I wanted something layered and collected here," says Kahn. "We used metal finishes like brass, silver, and gold as the space unfolds. It's a room that gets people talking."



 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{ABOVE}}\xspace$. Quality textures in the powder room include a grass-cloth wallcovering from Phillip Jeffries and a vanity with raffia doors topped by a marble countertop.

BELOW: The primary bathroom's undeniable focal points are the Murano glass chandelier above the tub and the Schumacher draperies over the windows.





ABOVE: The idea for the periwinkle palette of the VIP guest room was based on a showhouse room the homeowner loved. The mural featuring topiary trees from the Italian countryside is another nod to the outdoors.

BELOW: Patterned wallpaper from Thibaut echoes the desired tangerine shades that dominate this guest room.







ABOVE: "Tina is fearless when it comes to patterns and textures," says Kahn of the homeowner. Case in point: the ivy-themed wallpaper above the bed in the primary suite.

SOURCES

DINING ROOM

Table – Alfonso Marina, High Point, NC Host/hostess chairs – Highland House, High Point, NC Fabric – Old World Weavers, Jim Thompson, Clarence House,

New York, NY

Buffet – Ruffino, Fort Myers, FL Vintage Chanel scarf – Owner's collection Chandelier – Visual Comfort, High Point, NC

LIVING ROOM

Sofa – Hickory Chair, Hickory, NC Fabric – Perennials Fabric, Dallas, TX Green chairs - Hickory Chair, Hickory, NC Fabric - Thibaut, thibautdesign.com

Table lamps – Bay Design, Naples, FL Drapery fabric – Cowtan & Tout, cowtan.com Area rug – Kravet Fabrics, Naples, FL **KITCHEN** Cabinetry and bar designed and fabricated by Ruffino

Console – International Design Source, Naples, FL

Cocktail table designed by Lisa Kahn Designs, Naples, FL, and fabricated by Creative Metal & Wood, Thomasville, NC

Cabinetry, Fort Myers, FL Hood – Ruffino Cabinetry, Fort Myers, FL

Backsplash – Ruben Sorhegui, Naples, FL Island counter designed by Finding Sanctuary by Lisa Kahn Designs, Naples, FL, and fabricated by Naples Stoneworks, Naples, FL

Stools - Thibaut, thibautdesign.com Lighting – Urban Electric, North Charleston, SC BREAKFAST NOOK

Tulip table - CUO Modern, Crate and Barrel, crateandbarrel.com

Chairs - Woven, High Point, NC

POWDER ROOM Cabinetry – Ruffino Cabinetry, Fort Myers, FL Mirror - Wilson Lighting of Naples, Naples, FL

Wall covering - Flight, Phillip Jeffries, phillipjeffries.com GUEST BEDROOM-BLUE

Bed - Thibaut, thibautdesign.com Bench - Made Goods, High Point, NC Wall covering – Scalamandré, Hollywood, FL



GUEST BEDROOM-ORANGE

Bed – Redford House, *redfordhouse.com* Night table – Made Goods, High Point, NC Bench – Century Furniture, centuryfurniture.com Wall covering – Thibaut, thibautdesign.com
PRIMARY BATHROOM
Tub – Kallista, kallista.com

Chandelier – Louise Gaskill Company, High Point, NC Drapery fabric – Schumacher & Co., Dania Beach, FL

PRIMARY BEDROOM

Bed and headboard – Chaddock, Morganton, NC

Bench – Brownstone Furniture, Richmond, CA Occasional chairs – Highland House, High Point, NC Side table – Century Furniture, centuryfurniture.com

Mirror – Carvers Guild, carversguild.com Wall covering – Kravet Fabrics, Naples, FL Area rug – Kravet Fabrics, Naples, FL

LANAI

Dining table – Cassoni LLC, Miami, FL

Stripped grouping and chairs – Pavilion Furniture, pavilion-furniture.com Fabric – Perennials Fabric, Dallas, TX

THROUGHOUT

Ceiling details designed by Santuary by Lisa Kahn Designs, Naples, FL

LEFT: The back lanai offers spectacular views of the golf course the home backs onto. The sliding glass doors here are framed in the same color blue as the shutters and planters at the front of the house.

BELOW: Mahogany shutters enclose the poolside shower for privacy and some Bali-inspired style.

