



Design, landscaping, Katherine Newman
Design; **pink chair,** Summit; **barstools,**
 Holly Hunt; **chaise longues, blue-grey**
armchairs, DelGreco & Company; **table**
 (between chaise longues), McKinnon and
 Harris; **basket** (on dining table), Snob.



InsideOUT

THREE FRESH TAKES ON INDOOR-OUTDOOR LIVING, NO MATTER WHAT YOUR DECORATING STYLE

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Look No. 1

Traditional GLAMOUR

A TIERED DESIGN BREAKS this large back garden into zones, creating intimacy in an expansive space. Traditional stone walls double as both planters and textured backdrops for the lower levels, while a graceful staircase is the unifying factor. A pretty palette that includes soft pink and purple blooms softens the effect of the stone and puts a glamorous spin on the otherwise formal aesthetic. On the bottom tier, relaxed living reigns: a barbecue and bar area feel casual, while minimalist chaises are the perfect spot for poolside lounging. The second tier is devoted to outdoor entertaining; guests can linger over dessert at the elegant dining table, or move to the cocktail-ready sitting area, which is outfitted with low-slung armchairs for maximum comfort. At the top, a pagoda-like gazebo acts as a destination in the space — a landscape design trick that adds drama. The fireplace, ceiling-mounted heaters and glass doors means it's welcoming year-round, strengthening the connection between indoors and out.

Photography by Alex Lukey



The home's façade, made of Indiana cut limestone and rubble stone, is a cohesive backdrop for elegant patios and paths, which lead to various french doors across the back of the house.



"My goal was to create a series of outdoor 'rooms' – spaces defined by architectural stone, including planter boxes and integrated benches"

— KATHERINE NEWMAN, DESIGNER

BELOW: The gazebo's large glass doors can be left open to enjoy warm summer breezes, or closed to protect guests from rain or cool weather. Weighty furniture feels both welcoming and sophisticated, while throw pillows pick up on the pretty hues of the surrounding flowers. **Sofa, ottoman, Jardin de Ville; lilac pillow, Perennials; patterned pillow, Fresh Home & Garden.**



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AN OPEN ARMCHAIR
Chelsea club chair, \$2,008.
At Hauser.



EXOTIC PATTERN AND COLOUR
Kaleidoscope outdoor pillow (left), \$70, Crate & Barrel; Sunbrella Solid indoor/outdoor pillow in Hot Pink, from approx. \$53, Pottery Barn.



A CLASSIC PEDESTAL TABLE
Cyril Round Concrete dining table by Made Goods, \$4,785.
At Celadon.



A LOUVRED LANTERN
Night On The Dock lantern, \$26. At Simons.



ABOVE: The side terrace houses the most formal of the garden's zones, a sophisticated area that evokes the feel of a traditional dining room. A round pedestal table that seats six is an elegant take on outdoor dining, while the weathered teak chair backs keep it from feeling fussy. The narrow slats of the wooden fencing are reminiscent of a decorative screen, and a small stool adds extra seating and does double duty as a cocktail table.

Dining table, McKinnon and Harris; **stool**, Holly Hunt; **large bowl** (on dining table), Snob.

LEFT: A custom limestone sofa with a romantic patinated base frames the intimate dining area. Topped with plush cushions and throw pillows, it's both comfortable and supremely practical. Pale pink piping is a subtle finishing touch that picks up on nearby blooms, elevating the vignette. **Limestone sofa**, Katherine Newman Design; **sofa upholstery**, throw pillows, Perennials.

California Cool

A SOOTHING NEUTRAL PALETTE and abundant natural textures add warmth to the open architecture of this home, and underline the connection between indoors and out. Moss tops the mantel, massive jute rugs lay underfoot, and a trio of tree stump-inspired occasional tables are a sculptural alternative to a coffee table. Fabrics appear in colours pulled from nature. Floor-to-ceiling pocket doors, which are slid fully open in warmer weather, offer vistas from the living room to the covered porch and its handsome exposed wood ceiling. A sleek concrete floor runs between both spaces, amplifying the flow.



Top Textures



Wide-weave faux wicker allows light to shine through the large-scale outdoor seating, adding visual interest without overwhelming the sleek patio.



A jute rug lends understated pattern and warmth to the concrete floors, and marries perfectly with the rope accents outdoors.



The sofa's soft linen upholstery brings a touch of organic texture to the all-neutral room for a casual, deliberately undone look.



The nature-inspired palette extends to the exterior living area, too. Practical faux-wicker seating is low-slung to leave sight lines clear and maximize the view. In a subtle nod to coastal style, thick rope tiebacks with oil-rubbed bronze-finished hardware wrangle creamy Sunbrella drapes.

Get the Look



BOXY SILHOUETTES
Canvas Somerset patio armchair,
\$400. At Canadian Tire.



ROPE ACCENTS
Rope door bumper, \$36.
At Zara Home.



OUTDOOR DRAPERY
Outdoor Perennials canvas
drapery, from approx.
\$294 to \$374. At RH
Restoration Hardware.



**NATURE-INSPIRED
FURNITURE**
Maram Natural Tree Stump
accent table, \$260.
At Pier 1 Imports.

Modern Boho

WHEN SPACE IS TIGHT, as in this urban home with a compact back garden and side yard, flexible architecture is a smart way to expand living space. Here, large glass doors allow interior and exterior spaces to fully blend into one another when open. Clean-lined furniture, like a simple picnic-style dining table and minimalist outdoor seating, both in weathered wood, is paired with global accents, like Moroccan lanterns, patchwork poufs and a colourful hammam throw.





The outdoor living area has a transitional aesthetic thanks to its mix of mod furniture and bohemian accents. A loose, asymmetrical furniture plan contributes to the relaxed feel, and wide stairs span the width of the yard, adding a sense of drama. Towering bamboo creates a lush, tropical flavour, while rusted steel panels and a rough-hewn stone wall add visual interest. Black and white cabana striped cushions add graphic impact.

Get the Look



PUNCHED METAL LANTERN
Metal and Jute lantern,
\$70. At Zara Home.



MIX & MATCH POUFS
Moroccan Leather pouf by
DwellStudio (left), \$260;
Tribal pouf ottoman, \$210.
Through Wayfair.



GRAPHIC CABANA STRIPES
Grasshopper sunbed with cushion in
Sunbrella Yacht Black by Karpenter,
\$1,999. Through Ion Design.

COLOURFUL HAMMAM TOWEL
Ibiza Summer hammam towel in
Lime, approx. \$45. Through
Bohemia Design.