

# california

HOME+DESIGN

THE PROS SHARE SUCCESS  
STORIES FOR OUTDOOR LIVING  
IN THEIR OWN  
BACKYARD



Gracie finds her  
desert getaway  
surprisingly  
cool, p. 102

**SAN FRANCISCO**  
2008 AIA SF  
DESIGN AWARDS

**SANTA MONICA**  
A LUXURY LOFT'S  
ROOFTOP DECK

**PALM SPRINGS**  
THE PERFECT  
POOL PARTY





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5. Los Angeles textile designer Paula Smail's 18-inch-square sage **Fleur pillow** is made of cotton (\$75; [henryroad.com](http://henryroad.com)). 6. Romo Fabrics' **Seraphine wallpaper** with metallic accents is available at Thomas Lavin in Los Angeles (\$37 per roll; [thomaslavin.com](http://thomaslavin.com)). 7. Inspired by Danish design, Violet's **Happy Hour carafe and glasses** are silk-screened with a graphic pattern (\$32 for carafe; \$32 for set of four glasses; [violet.com](http://violet.com)). 8. For his new outdoor seating collection, Richard Schultz created the **Swell single-seat club chair** with a vinyl-coated polyester mesh seat and powder-finished aluminum frame (\$2,290; [richardschultz.com](http://richardschultz.com)).