CHICAGO

luxe.
interiors + design®



GOLD LIST EDITIO

$ 9.95 A SANDOW PUBLICATION | LUXE SOURCE®
5 1>
0 09281 03334 9
VOLUME 13, ISSUE 1 | DISPLAY UNTIL 04/13/15

on the market.

WELL-KNOWN FOR ITS TOWERING SKYSCRAPERS, CHICAGO ALSO BOASTS VIBRANT NEIGHBORHOODS BRIMMING WITH A PLETHORA OF FIRST-CLASS SHOPPING SPOTS. ESCAPE THE CHILL THIS SEASON AND HEAD INSIDE TO EXPLORE OUR PICKS OF PROMISING SHOPS.



Illustrations by Stefanie Marello

GLOBE TROTTER

Situated on North Damen Avenue is a shop so noteworthy it takes owner Michael Del Piero trekking across five continents and countless countries combing through flea markets, street vendors and estate sales to find that perfect and rare piece to add to her store's collection. Filled with a variety of textiles, furniture and art, the Michael Del Piero Good Design studio and home furnishings boutique includes such jaw-droppers as ancient Han Dynasty pottery, mounted white marine animal bones and pots from France, just to name a few. Be on the lookout for Piero's new line of accessories, lighting and furniture—a perfect collection of well-curated pieces *michaeldelpiero.com*

DRAW THE LINE

You shouldn't follow your dreams; instead, you should follow your efforts: this statement motivated creative mind Phil Thompson along with his wife, Katie Lauffenburger, to create Cape Horn Illustration. The Ravenswood Corridor-based illustration shop prides itself on its sketches of city-focused prints, as well as famous landmarks and custom portraits of family homes. Influenced by local living, American architecture, antiques, and maps, a substantial amount of work goes into each and every piece. This season, we've got our eye on the new Chicago-themed prints featuring area landmarks and historical moments, focusing on everything from the city's discovery to Millennium Park. *capehorn-illustration.com*

MIXED BAG

Space519, a cultivated concept store located on the city's Magnificent Mile, is teeming with various offerings spanning the globe from such places as London, France and Italy. By not limiting themselves to just one or two shopping categories, owners Lance Lawson and Jim Wetzel instead focus on the customer's lifestyle as a whole. Pale walls and metallic shelving house the sophisticated goods at this one-of-a-kind emporium, where you can find everything from clothing and accessories to cosmetics, books and gifts. This season, stock up on new collections of Drake's ties, Buba bags and curios from Lily Kamper. Ask for the store director, Whitney, who is well-versed in all things related to the shop. *space519.com*

NESTLE DOWN

Noticing that there were very few options of distinctive furnishings for the design-conscious consumer, Rob Royer and Steve McClearn decided to launch Interior Define—a furniture shop offering lush sofas and accent chairs, all customized and made-to-order. Best sellers include the Sloan and Kelley collections, both encompassing over 60 sumptuous fabric options and in various sizes. Stop by the Wicker Park showroom and walk through a myriad of options with the owners themselves. This season, peruse the new accent pillow line, constructed from men's shirts. They're sure to be the perfect accessory for your home. *interiordefine.com*