



## THE CLIENT

Some client relationships are transactional, while others evolve to become forever friends. That was the case with a stunning recent project by interior designer Brianne Bishop, who had grown close with the client over the course of two previous projects when the client approached her in 2022 for a third as she and her husband prepared to become empty nesters in Bishop's favorite building: new West Loop development The Hayden. "We were all elated," notes Bishop, the founder of Brianne Bishop Design, "and she emphasized she wanted it in 'true BBD style'-what an honor!"

### THE PRIORITY

First and foremost, the client wanted exactly what she came to Brianne Bishop Design for: the firm's signature style of mixing various textures, contrast and scale. "She wanted the elevator vestibule to be a dramatic foreshadowing of what was to come," notes Bishop, "and of course [she also wanted] textural wallpaper in almost every room. Their beloved English cream dog was also a topic of conversation, and she set the palette for all upholstery in soft off-whites to mask any shedding." Perhaps most







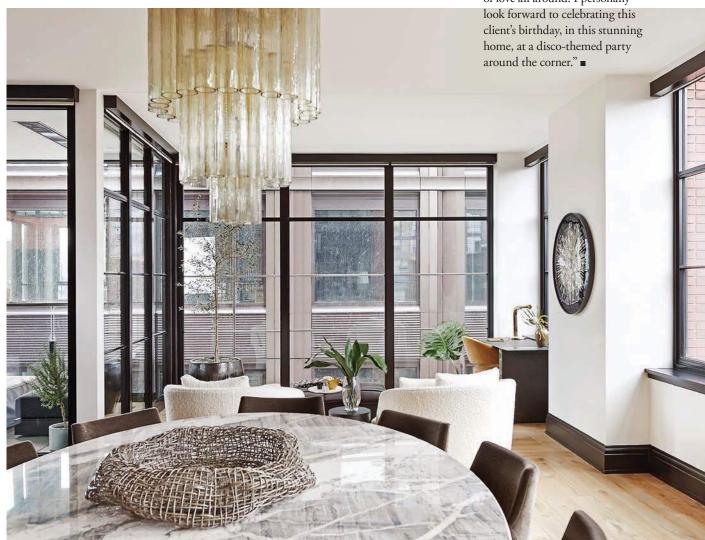
From top: The moody powder room seduces with Studio BK linen metallic gold wallcovering and Visual Comfort Avant linear sconces by Kelly Wearstler; a stunning RH Serenella chandelier stars in the dining room along with a custom-designed table by Brianne Bishop Design featuring top by Chicago Granite Guys and wood base from Hogan Millwork. Opposite page: CB2 Azalea counter stools in champagne pop in the kitchen.

## THE DETAILS

"Providing this deserving client all of the drama, mood and wallpapers she has dreamt of since I've known her is a proud moment. We splurged where it mattered and saved when needed, and all of that balance left this home with texture, style and soul. Getting to curate every accessory and piece of art is such a treat for designers, but also somewhat rare; we know this client so well we nailed it right off the bat. We are also very proud to have been able to incorporate local artisans in this project that our client has admired for years, such as Cleveland Dean and Studio BK. To have their talents adorn the walls of someone who will love and appreciate it every day makes us as designers feel complete."

#### THE OUTCOME

"They're beyond thrilled with the outcome and love living in this space, as well as exploring their new neighborhood," sums up Bishop. "They have loved everything from casual evenings in the oversize swivel chairs by Modern Love to entertaining friends on their terrace and hosting large dinner parties at their custom table. We were even able to squeeze in a wellness room in the primary bathroom by removing their large free-standing tub and filler and adding in an infrared sauna, a Peloton and a spot for their rebounder. This lovely client knew I was shopping for a tub and filler for my new home, and gave me these never-used beautiful fixtures—a true gift of love all around. I personally





#### **BUILDERS**

Macon Construction macongroup.com

#### INTERIOR DESIGN

Brianne Bishop Design briannebishopdesign.com

#### MILLWORK

Bentwood of Chicago bentwoodluxurykitchens.com

#### **PAINTERS**

Next Painting 847.476.2873

## RESOURCES

#### ARTERIORS

Living room chairs and various lighting arteriorshome.com

#### CHICAGO'S GRANITE GUYS

Custom dining table fabrication 773.401.4929

#### **FORSYTH**

Living room coffee table forsythart.com

#### **FOUR HANDS**

Bedroom nightstands fourhands.com

#### JAYSON HOME

Pendant lights in kitchen jaysonhome.com

#### MODERN LOVE

Living room sectional, bedroom swivel chairs modernlovefurniture.com

#### NGALA TRADING

Various accessories, lighting in elevator entry vestibule ngalatrading.com

#### SOUTH LOOP LOFT

Various accessories thesouthlooploft.com

#### STUDIO BK

Entry gallery art, various wallpaper studiobkinc.com

# TERRAZZO & MARBLE SUPPLY COMPANIES

Stone for custom dining table tmsupply.com

#### ZIRLIN INTERIORS INC.

Window coverings/treatments throughout zirlininteriorsinc.com

