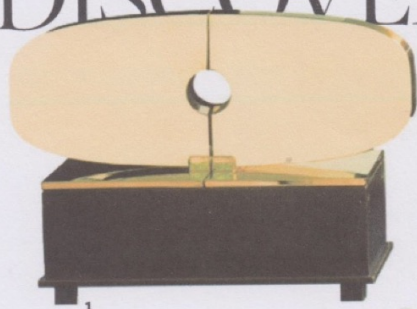




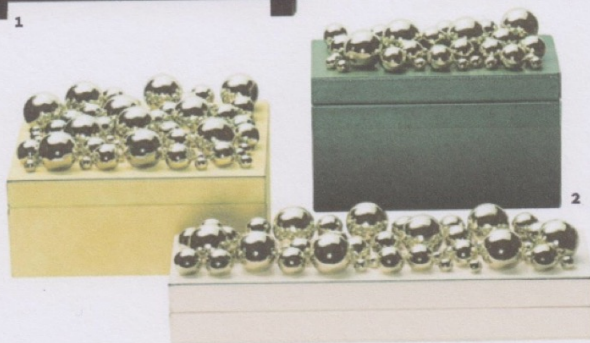
# DESIGNERS AT HOME

FRANK GEHRY BUILDS HIS DREAM HOUSE

# DISCOVERIES



1. STÉPHANE PARMENTIER VERVLOET BOX (\$13,000).
2. GIOBAGNARA CHAMPAGNE SPHÉRADES BOXES (FROM \$2,059).
3. LAURE HERIARD DUBREUIL WITH PARMENTIER.
4. ATELIER BUFFILE VASE (\$1,443).
5. ATELIER SAINT DIDIER DRAGONFLY TRAYS (\$3,789/SET).
6. HARVEY BOUTERSE VASE (\$1,650).



DEBUT

## A Fashionable Home

*Laure Heriard Dubreuil partners with designer Stéphane Parmentier to bring whimsically refined furnishings to The Webster*

**W**hen Laure Heriard Dubreuil first opened the boutique The Webster in Miami Beach a decade ago, she did something almost unthinkable at the time. Displaying Chanel alongside Superga, she curated the clothes as if they were her personal wardrobe. Out went snobbish head-to-toe looks. In came the mix—all filtered through the French expat's refined eye.

The Webster has since expanded to five boutiques across the U.S., each brimming with design gems such as Pierre Paulin Elysée chairs or a Gaetano Pesce cabinet. Understandably, her loyal clientele has come to crave more than just a fashion fix. "The problem is, I get attached," Heriard Dubreuil says of the statement furniture. "It becomes part of the DNA."

With the help of interior designer Stéphane Parmentier, she is now launching The Webster Home—an array of objects, tableware, and furnishings that embrace her international, high-low aesthetic. "We're trying to bring a new flavor that represents the way we live today," says Parmentier, the project's creative director. "Every object, regardless of price, will have its own strong identity."

In March, the ground floors of the New York and Miami Beach stores will be transformed to highlight the rotating home collection. Expect beaded chairs from Africa, porcelain plates from Japan, and vintage ceramics. In quite the coup, a rare 1960s Gio Ponti lamp is being reissued exclusively for The Webster. Sometimes their finds are almost too good. When Parmentier proposed a pair of antique ceramic lions, Heriard Dubreuil texted back: "Very good news: I love them. Very bad news: You have to find others..." Those lions now live in her East Village townhouse. [thewebster.us](http://thewebster.us) —JANE KELTNER DE VALLE



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