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innovative vision for today's hotel

“EACH WEEK, I FIND **INSPIRATION**
TENDING TO MY **ORCHIDS**,
WATCHING THEM
BLOOM AND THRIVE.”

— LESLIE SCHULTZ

COOL

New & Noteworthy

Engaging all of the senses is such an important part of design. And when you can engage a couple with one product or element, even better. Two of the products here provide an auditory experience in addition to the look and feel. And the other, well, who doesn't want a pretty way to cover a ceiling fan?



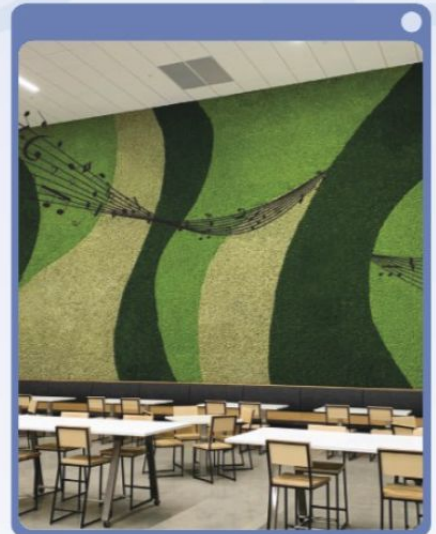
LOOK & LISTEN

Sometimes, you just want to be comfy and be enveloped by your favorite music or a great audiobook. Samuelson Furniture's Sound by Samuelson line allows users to do just that by turning the chair into the speaker. Through the use of Bluetooth technology, guests are immersed in the comforts of sound with the option to privately enjoy their favorite song, audiobook, TV show or game system without turning the volume up to an uncomfortable level for those nearby. "Our Sound by Samuelson chair first and foremost reads as a beautiful piece of furniture," said Michael Chafin, EVP, Samuelson Furniture. "It is both therapeutic and empowering to have control over your immediate environment, even if you're out in the open, such as a hotel lobby, restaurant or spa."



UNDER COVER

Designer Annie Kantor of Modern Metal said her company is all about bringing design to unexpected places. Elevate is a ceiling fan covering that does this. "I felt I could 'elevate' one's everyday experience by designing an elegant covering that is universal to most bathroom fan models on the market," she said. The powder-coated cover—which comes in a crisp, clean white, but can be painted—is offered in two patterns: Square Squared honors the studied simplicity of American mid-century tile work, while Simple Bend is an abstract Möbius strip ebbing and flowing. "I think it's ideal for hotels because it shows the guest that every detail matters...and it does! This little uplift makes a huge difference, elevating the mundane to make it extraordinary."



SOUND GARDEN

Is that a garden on the wall? Is that music coming from it? If the BenettiSound from Italian manufacturer Benetti Home has been installed, then the answer is a definitive "yes!" The maintenance-free vertical sound garden for interiors is made with a 100% natural and stabilized lichen in a rainbow of available colors, equipped with a sophisticated acoustic sound system. "Benetti Home brings to the world the 'Italian design emotions' through the creation of amazing green, scenic effects to lend a unique and special touch to any indoor design space," said Stevens Benetti, CEO, Benetti Home. "It can be customized for any space, and the panels are equipped with an external amplifier that is controlled by an app."