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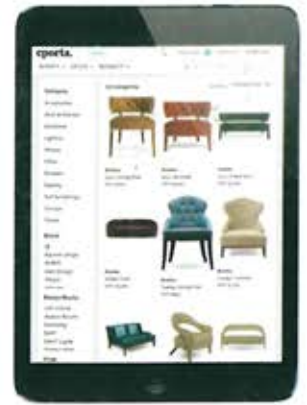
1 'Natalia Contemporary White Grid' armoire, by Seletti, £1,495, Out There Interiors. 2 'Paper Patchwork', by Studio Job, £4,087, Moooi. 3 'Salon' cabinet, by Bernhardt, £4,200, Paolo Moschino for Nicholas Haslam. 4 'Floral', £6,950, And So To Bed. 5 'Extended Cigar Box', by Studio Wieki Somers, £17,025 approx, Droog. 6 'Diliana', £32,550, Francis Sultana. 7 'Alba', £5,925, Pinch. 8 Tarnished-steel cupboard, £7,362, Ochre. All prices include VAT. For suppliers' details see Address Book ▷



From top: screenshot from eporta.com; sofa by Eric Kuster; hardware from PE Guerin;



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■ The website Eporta can be used by interior designers, architects and other trade operators to find and buy furniture, lighting and accessories directly from some 750 suppliers by setting up a personal account. The company was launched by Aneeqa Khan in 2015, and is already being used by 200 professional buyers. Eporta boasts a diverse range of the best emerging talent, highly skilled craftspeople and top brands. Membership is free for verified buyers. Visit [eporta.com](http://eporta.com).

■ PE Guerin has been creating hardware in New York City since 1857. This January, the company will be celebrating 160 years of business with the launch of an anniversary collection, combining new stock with over 100 designs from the archives. The range is available with a shorter lead time and at a lower price point but will still be finished by hand at its foundry in Greenwich Village. The company can make anything to a client's specifications. PE Guerin, 23 Jane St, New York, NY 10014 (001 212 243 5270; [peguerin.com](http://peguerin.com)).

■ Evitavonni's 'Tour' fabric collection is partly inspired by the classic 1942 film *Now, Voyager*, starring Bette Davis. Here, the old-world glamour of travel meets geometric patterns. The range features Evitavonni's signature 'chic with an edge' as well as a neutral palette, but also features some more colourful elements drawn from nature. The new palette features orange, indigo, sky, jade and olive shades in linens, wools and silks. Evitavonni, Design Centre Chelsea Harbour, London SW10 (0800 130 3180; [evitavonni.com](http://evitavonni.com)).

■ The Soho House group has created a range of homewares called 'Soho Home'. The collection features furniture, lighting, tableware, textiles and accessories with an emphasis on quality and attention to detail. Some pieces, such as the sofas and armchairs, are made by George Smith in its workshop in the north of England. They are made using traditional craft techniques, so you can have the same quality in your home as Soho House has in its elegant hotels. For details, ring 020 3819 8199, or visit [sohohome.com](http://sohohome.com).



■ Eric Kuster began his career two decades ago, capturing the perfect balance between classic and modern design. To date, he has designed a collection of fabrics and furniture, as well as stand-alone interiors around the world. Kuster's passion for colour has gained him an international following and enabled him to open his first showroom in Amsterdam, rapidly becoming a design destination. His 'Metropolitan Luxury' collection is now available in a pop-up shop at 30 Pimlico Rd, London SW1 ([erickuster.com](http://erickuster.com)).

■ *Signature Spaces* is a book by Paolo Moschino, along with Phillip Vergeylen. The designers created a coffee-table volume that features snapshots of their travels around the world. Both of them take inspiration from their peregrinations abroad. Readers will therefore be able to follow them on their journeys as well as at the creation of their various projects. *Signature Spaces* is available through Vendome Press. Ring 001 212 737 1857, or visit [vendomepress.com](http://vendomepress.com).

■ New to the New York hotel scene is 11 Howard in vibrant SoHo. The team behind it are interior designers Signe Blindslev Henriksen and Peter Bundgaard Rützou. Both are part of the studio Space Copenhagen, and have infused Danish design tradition with the raw, industrial feel of the city. The duo have selected objects such as paintings, sculpture and bespoke pieces of furniture, so guests feel like they are walking through a gallery. The result is a warm, light and open environment, where you immediately feel welcome. Eleven Howard, 11 Howard St, New York, NY 10013 (001 212 235 1111; [11howard.com](http://11howard.com)).

■ Tim Gosling has worked with Chesneys to create two timeless fireplaces. The interior designer was inspired by the architectural treasures he discovered while visiting Pompeii. For both designs Gosling has used Italian statuary marble for the decorative elements against panels of black and gold Portoro marble. The 'Pompeii' is a robust and dramatic composition featuring monopedic lions with an ornate register grate, while the 'Rome' features a brass register grate, decorative detailing and classical jamb panels. Chesneys, 194-200 Battersea Park Rd, London SW11 (020 7627 1410; [chesneys.com](http://chesneys.com)) ■



'Soho Home' furniture and accessories; roof terrace at 11 Howard; fabrics from Evitavonni's 'Tour' collection; fireplace by Tim Gosling for Chesneys