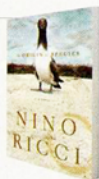




"Locally based **The Natural Textile Company** has an extensive range of beautiful fabrics. We ordered a silver-coloured dupioni silk for a project and it was less than wholesale pricing from another supplier"



"My favourite book that I've read in the past year? **Nino Ricci's The Origin of Species** \$21"



"**Keilhauer Celia lounge chairs** \$949 are elegant, comfortable, and have a small eco-footprint. I have two in my house"



**P+A's Platform beds** \$1,872 have been a runaway hit—Penner thinks **Amenity Cove's duvet covers** \$350 are the perfect mate

**Etcetera Goods felt pieces** \$25-\$250

"These are about the most popular thing we sell, I think because they're modern but totally tactile. The 6-Pack wine rack fits perfectly in the Common tote bag for discreet transport of wine to beach"



"My clients demanded we bring in **Pangea Organics** \$21 skincare line—it has such a cult following. Now I'm in love too, especially with the Egyptian basil and mint shower gel"

**Dirt soy candles**

\$31.50 "give off a very soft scent, nothing heavily perfumed or overpowering. And they use a unique combination of essences"



"I have a particular love affair with throws, especially our own line of **alpaca and mohair throws** from \$179. They soften a modern space without compromising the aesthetic"



"When the **Zenzulu Lace handwoven telephone wire bowls** \$275 for set of 3 arrived from South Africa they still had a campfire smell from where the women sat to weave them. A designer worked with the co-op to use colours in a concise way"



**P+A Furniture**

SHELLEY PENNER  
director of practice, Penner & Associates

Half design studio, half home décor shop hawking sustainable products, P+A Furniture in Gastown's historic Flack Block redefines eco-chic. Each item in the store is first and foremost a work of beautiful design, but all undergo a rigorous investigation for greenness, the results of which are printed on a scorecard and displayed in the shop. Penner's concept for P+A Furniture is live/work/play—all the products nod to global design trends but are built to last.—*Rebecca Philips*

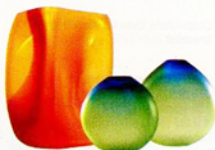
159 W. Hastings St., 604-255-2089. [Pafurniture.ca](http://Pafurniture.ca)

**Haworth LIM LED lights** \$425

"These are award-winning LED lights that are elegant but super functional. They pivot and rotate on their platforms"



"**Ulla Clark's pillows** \$50 are a great example of how sustainable can be beautiful and affordable"



**Tsunami Glassworks** from \$180

"The designer creates beautiful pieces that should cost three times as much, but they are accessible because she can do volume. I love the new strawberry/saffron colourway"



"I love pieces like this **J Persing Arborline side chair** \$610. It's striking, and it's only later that you realize it's made with seatbelts. How clever!"

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