

AUSTIN HOME

home & design awards



**architects, interior designers, artisans,
builders, and landscape artists—**

Submit your outstanding projects for a chance to be recognized among some of the leading names in the local design community.

CALL FOR ENTRIES

SEPTEMBER 1—OCTOBER 15



about



► the magazine

For 15 years, *Austin Home* magazine has gone inside the most extraordinary homes in Austin and the Hill Country, giving readers a look at the work of the region's most talented architects, interior designers, and landscape artists. In quarterly issues, the sister magazine to *Austin Monthly* dissects design trends, spotlights home retailers, and gives Austinites the chance to share their spaces. *Austin Home* is a longtime partner of American Institute of Architects (AIA) Austin, American Society of Interior Designers (ASID) Austin, and National Association of the Remodeling Industry (NARI) Austin.

► the awards

Austin Home proudly presents its annual Home & Design Awards, a local competition for residential and commercial architects, interior designers, artisans, builders, and landscape designers. A distinguished panel of nationally renowned professionals will judge entries in nearly 50 categories. Winners will be announced at a cocktail party and awards reception in February and featured in the Spring 2022 issue of *Austin Home*.



the categories

▶ exteriors

- Deck/Patio/Porch/Outdoor Kitchen
- Exterior Use of Color (Paint, Doors, Shutters, Etc.)
- Residential Landscape Design
- Residential Landscape Swimming Pool or Water Feature
- Curb Appeal

▶ interiors

- Children's Bedroom
- Dining Room
- Full Bath
- Guest Suite
- Kitchen
- Laundry Room/Mud Room
- Library/Study/Home Office
- Living Room/Great Room
- Powder Room Bath
- Primary Suite
- Specialty Room (Gym, Music, Billiards, Crafts, Playroom)
- Wine Room/Bar
- Use of Color
- Use of a Collection, Antiques, or Art

▶ details

- Custom Cabinetry
- Custom or Repurposed Furniture
- Accents/Decor
- Fireplace
- Flooring
- Lighting
- Millwork
- Accessibility
- Textiles
- Wall Treatment

▶ home

- ADU (Casita/Garage Apartment)
- Architecture
- Apartment/Loft/Condo
- Historic Renovation (50 Years and Older)
- Home in the Hill Country
- Interior Design
- Remodel

▶ commercial design

- Building Architecture
- Landscape Design
- Lobby
- Office
- Restaurants/Bars
- Retail Interior Design (Boutiques, Stores, Salons, Etc.)
- Community Project (Philanthropic)

▶ top awards

- General Excellence | Architecture
- General Excellence | Interior Design
- Rising Star Award | Less than 5 years
- Readers' Choice Best Overall Home

the judges



◀ ALLISON CRAWFORD

Allison Crawford is the founder of Allison Crawford Design and HOTElette. Allison's goal is to create beautiful and functional spaces that reflect the personality and passions of her clients. At the heart of Allison's process is the belief that design creates balance between comfort and luxury, integrating the practical with the desirable. Allison's work has been featured in *Architectural Digest*, *Forbes*, *Austin Monthly*, and *Domino*. Allison currently resides in Austin but is moving to Paris in September with her husband and daughter. [@allison.crawford](#)



◀ BRAD ENGELSMAN

Brad Engelsman is the founder of BEDA, an architecture and design practice based in Brooklyn whose work has been recognized internationally. Engelsman studied architecture at the Montana State University School of Architecture and the Columbia University Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation. He has served as full-time faculty at Montana State University and the New York Institute of Technology, where he is currently a visiting professor.



◀ BARRIE SPANG

Barrie Spang has been an interior designer for 25 years, working for a residential interior design firm in Cleveland for 22 years before starting her own firm and home decor store, Sapphire Pear, in 2015. Barrie is inspired by color and continually encourages her clients to go beyond their comfort zone with design. She has clients throughout Cleveland and beyond. Barrie has completed projects in New York, Michigan, Illinois, Kentucky, Virginia, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina, Colorado, Washington, D.C., and even a small seaside villa in Greece. She is currently working on homes in Charleston, SC, and Naples, FL.



◀ LEE STARKE

Lee Starke is a project manager and interior designer for Cline Design Associates in Raleigh, NC. Cline Design is an integrated firm offering architecture, interior design, and land-planning services. Lee leads and manages an expansive portfolio of projects from large-scale residential buildings to golf clubhouses and corporate office spaces. Her keen attention to detail, design know-how, and ability to gather consensus quickly among team members makes her an asset to any project. With nearly 10 years of experience working on complex projects, she is well versed in providing creative design solutions on time and within budget for her clients while fostering a collaborative environment for all team members. Lee has completed projects in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Georgia, Maryland, and Michigan.



◀ KINLEY C. PUZEY

Kinley C. Puzey, AIA, is a licensed architect and has spent the last 18 years in the design and construction industry. His project experience ranges from humanitarian efforts on the Navajo reservation to multimillion-dollar custom homes. Kinley holds a master's of architecture degree from the University of Utah, where he was awarded the College of Architecture's highest award, the AIA School Medal and Certificate for Merit and Excellence. In 2015 he founded Utah-based Onyx Design Collective, which specializes in high-end residential and one-of-a-kind commercial projects. His unique modern designs are conceived through a rigorous design process that mixes analog techniques and cutting edge software. Through these methodologies he's able to create a design that not only solves the client's needs but that stands as a lasting work of functional art. [@onyx_design_collective](#)



◀ KAYLA COOPER

From clothes to cars to spaces, Kayla Cooper has designed it all. Though her styles and practices have evolved over the years, her love for design and the creative process has not. Beginning her career in Washington, D.C., she now travels to create modern, minimalist spaces with sustainable influences. Based out of Pennsylvania, Kayla loves to design with clean lines and strong architecture. [kaylacooperdesign.com](#) | [@kaylacooperdesign](#)

the details

▶ eligibility

All projects must have been completed between September 1, 2019 and October 15, 2021 and must be located in Travis or Williamson counties (except for the Hill Country Home category). Both firms and individuals may submit projects.

▶ how to enter

Visit austinhomemag.com/designawards and click the Submit Now button.

▶ fee structure

\$100 for one entry; \$80 per entry for two to three entries; \$60 per entry for more than three entries. Fees are nonrefundable, even if an entry is determined to be ineligible. Fees must be paid through the online form.

▶ how to submit multiple entries

A single project may be entered in no more than five categories. If you submit the same project in multiple categories, please use the same project title. There is no limit to the number of projects that you may enter.

▶ project concept & description

In the online form, please provide a brief overview in paragraph form (300 words or less) detailing significant aspects of the project. The statement should discuss design challenges, design solutions, and all other pertinent aspects. Please write in complete sentences, and do not include the name of your company, designer, or architect in the description.

▶ project images

Each entry must be accompanied by at least one and no more than seven high-resolution images. Each image should be 300 dpi and at least 1,000 pixels wide. Please upload your appropriately named images via the online

submission form. Acceptable formats are JPEG, TIFF, EPS, or PSD with a size limitation of 30MB per image. Entries in the "Home" categories must include photos representing at least three distinct spaces. General Excellence and Rising Star submissions must include images from at least three different projects.

▶ photography terms

We strongly advise the photos be shot by a professional photographer. Entrants must secure and submit royalty/reuse-free photos from their photographer before submitting images. All photography submitted may be published free of charge in *Austin Home* and on austinhomemag.com. It's the entrant's responsibility to inform the photographer of these terms.

▶ judging

An independent panel is selected from professionals based outside of Travis and Williamson counties. Judges are nationally and internationally recognized names from the interior design and architecture industries. For the list of judges and bios, please visit austinhomemag.com/designawards. All judges' decisions are final.

▶ deadline

All entries must be submitted and paid in full by 11:59 p.m. Central time, Friday, October 15, 2021.

▶ guidelines & additional terms

Images and text from winning entries become the property of *Austin Home*, which retains legal/publishing rights from submission for one year.

▶ questions

For any questions, contact:
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dates to remember

► **October 15, 2021**

Deadline to submit entries

► **January 2022**

Finalists are notified, and tickets go on sale for the Home & Design Awards reception

► **February 2022**

Awards reception and Spring issue released

