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working for change, voting, and reaching out to our representatives, buying from black-owned businesses is one way to take action. Put your purchasing power to use by supporting some of the talented black designers, ceramicists, artists, and business owners on this list. Here are black-owned home decor brands to shop right now, and for years to come.

Looking for a little design inspiration before you start shopping? Follow these 35 Black interior designers and stylist on Instagram.

Home Decor Shops

These online home decor shops have it all, from area rugs, to wallpaper, to storage baskets.

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nd blogger online decor You'll find rotating artists.

AphroChic

Curated by the husband-and-wife design duo behind the AphroChic interior design firm, Jeanine Hays and Bryan Mason, this online home decor shop is bursting with eye-catching patterns and luxe designs you won't find anywhere else. Look for chic floor lamps, patterned wallpaper, poufs, and rugs.

Domain

You will want every single piece in this collection of ceramics, throw pillows, dish towels, and display-worthy dishwashing supplies curated by Laura Hodges Design Studio. Don't miss the "sundries" section for candies, tea, and a selection of beautiful note cards.

Dressing Rooms Interiors Studio

When you're looking for a focal point or a conversation piece for your home, make this online vintage home decor shop by Ariene Bethea your first stop. Every carefully chosen item, from Florentine bowls to Art Deco vases, is a conversation piece.

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BLK MKT Vintage

With a brick-and-mortar shop in Brooklyn as well as an online store, BLK MKT Vintage by Jannah Handy and Kiyanna Stewart is a go-to for vintage wares, collectibles, and artifacts that represent black history. You'll find a selection of film posters, art, vintage photographs, historic event flyers, and more.

2 Paint

Clare

In 2018, interior designer Nicole

Gibbons decided to launch a paint clare

startup that would disrupt the

traditional paint industry. Instead of hundreds of paint chips to sort

through, she narrowed down the selection to 56 designer-curated colors.

And rather than paint swatches, Clare sends repositionable adhesive swatches so you can test the color in several spots. Did we mention each can of paint (plus brushes and trays) is shipped right to your door? You'll never go to the paint store again.

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3 Ceramics

Tracie Hervy Ceramics

Elegant and minimalist, the clay cylinders, vases, and dishware ceramicist Tracie Hervy creates are stripped of superfluities to reveal the essence of each vessel. Her stunning works are available at

Bloomist

several retailers, including online at Bloomist.

YOWIE

Founded by Shannon Maldonado, YOWIE is a Philadelphia-based home shop with a small, curated selection of products from independent artists and designers. You'll find candles, tote bags, and T-shirts, along with quirky ceramic planters, tumblers, and even a bowl with legs. This is the ultimate shop for memorable birthday gifts.



pottery. Her work taps into traditional techniques, such as hand building, coiling, and carving. During her artist-in-residence program at Greenwich House Pottery, Barnett made 25 pieces inspired by mud house designs in West Africa. Find her available works here.

Osa Atoe

Working from her at-home studio in Baton Rogue, Osa Atoe uses red stoneware clay to create pottery that is meant to express a multiculturalism and human universality (watch her video on this here). Follow her on Instagram to learn about her latest work.

Lolly Ceramics

Lalese Stamps is a Columbus, Ohio-based ceramicists best known for her stylish, modern mugs and dishware. While you wait for updates to her web shop, admire her 100 Day Project here.

Decor and Accessories

Ronni Nicole

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Marabou Design

Shop stylist and graphic designer Brandy Brown's smart yet playful designs. Her cheerful art prints and party decor are available in her Minted shop.

Don't Sleep Interiors

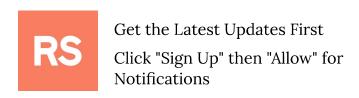
If you've ever wanted a Toni Morrison mug or a James Baldwin pillow, check out Don't Sleep Interiors. Their website explains that the brand "started from a desire to combine interior decor & culture from the African Diaspora with social & political consciousness." This is home decor that's meant to spark a meaningful conversation.

Black Pepper Paperie Co.

This Washington DC-based design studio creates one-of-a-kind home accessories, wearable art, and paper goods. Get ready for the most stylish handmade soap dishes you have ever seen.

Tactile Matter

Shop the art of Kenesha Sneed in various forms, from ceramics to wall art to throw blankets. The bursts of color will wake up your space.



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Rather than name each candle by scent, The 125 Collection gives each candle a quote. To make finding the right vibe easier, choose from "sweet," "spicy," or "spirit" quotes. Bookmark this shop

The 125 Collection

for when you need just the right present for your best friend's birthday.

Kintsugi Candle Co.

Named for the Japanese art of repairing broken pottery with golden lacquer, Kintsugi Candle Co.'s mission is to embrace so-called imperfections. When the company's founder, Allison Jones, was diagnosed with a brain tumor in 2018, aromatherapy became an important part of her healing, and eventually led her to start her own candle company. Choose from scents like "Heroine," "Grow," and "Invincible" to set the mood for your day.

Goodnight Darling Co.

Besides producing luxurious scented soy candles with wooden wicks, Goodnight Darling Co. has a mission: to encourage you to get some sleep. Their soothing candles, bath soaks, and herbal teas are all meant to help you towards that goal.





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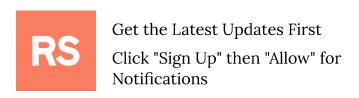
Linoto

Still looking for your dream bedding? You just found it. Linoto, founded by Jason Evege, creates beautiful, soft linen bedding, all sewn in a New York workshop.

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Robin Wilson Home

For high thread count bed sheets in the dreamiest hues possible, shop the curated collection from Robin Wilson Home. After struggling with allergies and asthma, Wilson decided to build a home line focused on "Clean Design," so you can rest assured these sheets are non-toxic and hypoallergenic.



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Lichen

This NYC-based homewares company collects, sells, and trades designer furniture, as well as mugs

and glassware. The furniture selection is always changing, so check back often.

8 Pillows (and Textiles)

Bolé Road Textiles

Born in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, designer Hana Getachew started Bolé Road Textiles as an homage to her love for handwoven Ethiopian fabrics. Shop the beautiful pillows, but also don't miss the colorful bathmats, rugs, and towels.

Rochelle Porter

Calling all fans of color and pattern, Rochelle Porter's vibrant pillows are guaranteed to perk up your sad sofa.



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Famed designer Sheila Bridges is the creator of Harlem Toile, an iconic wallpaper pattern that reimagines traditional French toile, replacing the typical pastoral scenes with scenes satirizing stereotypes of the African American experience. In addition to the wallpaper, the pattern is also

Sheila Bridges Design

available on fabric, umbrellas, bags, and more.