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Trend Talk

BY ANNE FLYNN WEAR

A hot topic at the Las Vegas Market this week spotlights which trends retailers should incorporate into their assortments to make it more likely for consumers to part with their discretionary income.

Forecasters from across the spectrum say consumers are seeking connectedness and quiet at home, sustainability, Parisian design and hot metallics, among other trends.

In its Top Trends for 2024 report, the American Society of Interior Designers revealed several trends that can translate to what to focus on at retail.

One of the key social themes includes the desire for connectedness. With more people on their own, they are seeking connection in multiple ways including entertaining at home (think kitchen and party products), with their pets (cue the pet-friendly home accessories and fur baby gifts) and through recreation (focus on anything that supports games, fun activities and cozy indoor and outdoor living).

Here are what other trend forecasters are saying:

FS (formerly Fashion Snoops)

Kristen Moonjian, the director of home and lifestyle for global trends forecasting agency FS, said in a press

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Transpac Brands debuts new showroom, featuring all its brands in one space.

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Finishing Touches

Add the perfect final touch to an outfit with these chic jewelry finds.

BY ADELAIDE ELLIOTT



Goddess Collection. **SoulKu.**
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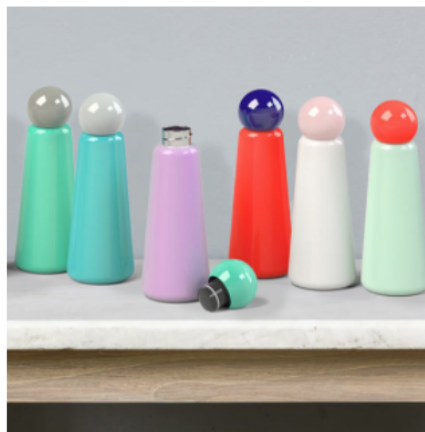


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Globally Inspired Gifts

When browsing the major gift markets, buyers don't have to look far to find gifts that have been shaped — literally and figuratively — by international cultures. From woven textures to sleek and rounded curves, the gifts below have unmistakably foreign aesthetics and engaging stories to boot. Sharing those maker stories along with their deeper cultural contexts with your customers can not only add a deeper level of interest to a purchase but also bring about new appreciation for different cultures and traditions.



Atlanta Market Honors 50 Market Snapshot Finalists

People's Choice voting is now open.



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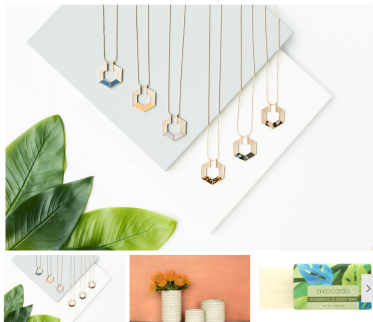


Dynasty Gallery is one of the 50 Market Snapshot Finalists.

Some 50 Atlanta Market brands are finalists in the Summer 2020 Market Snapshot, a program run by International Market Centers (IMC) that showcases exciting, new, innovative and trendsetting products from across Atlanta Market's home décor and gift collections. For the Summer 2020 Atlanta Market, Market Snapshot is showcasing products presented in showrooms and online-only by market exhibitors. The finalists represent new introductions and best sellers across the market's gift and home product categories.

"Even in uncertain times, we can always count on Atlanta Market exhibitors for product innovation and trendsetting as shown by these Market Snapshot finalists," said Dorothy Belshaw, IMC chief marketing and digital officer. "We congratulate the finalists and wish them success this market season."

Check out the 50 finalists' new introductions [here](#).



Three People's Choice winners will be announced on opening day of Atlanta Market (August 13-18, 2020). Online voting is open now at AmericasMart.com/MarketSnapshot.

The Summer 2020 Market Snapshot finalists are:

- A & B Home: Gold & Black Nickel Finish Console Table (B1 11-B2 / ShopZio)
- Baccarat: JCB Champagne Collection (Rosse & Associates B2 8-818)
- Bamboo Trading Co.: Beaded Cell Phone Bags (Wendy Babchin & Associates B3 8-N104A)
- Blue Ocean Traders: Parabola Dining Chair (B1 11-A4)
- Brackish: Claudia Guinea Feather Earring & Courtney Guinea Feather Cuff (Online Only)
- BS Trading: Rose Gold Metallic Cowhide Cube (Online Only)
- Bungalow 5: Pinfold Side Table (JDouglas B1 13-A1)
- John Richard: Crystal Martini Table (Charles Ray B1 14-F2)
- Classic Home: Paragon Pillow Collection (B1 12-D2)
- Coast & Cotton: Everyday & Entertaining Hand Towel Collection (Appelman Schauben B2 11-1127)
- Compendium: Good Night Monster Gift Set (Tango B2 10-1000B)
- Couture Lamps: Peacock Teal Floor Lamp (Online Only)
- Dillon Candy Company: Pecan Roll with fluffy, nougat center (Online Only / ShopZio)
- Dynasty Gallery: Glisten + Glass Galaxy Candle (Online Only)
- Elan International: Rock & Roll Jacket (Online Only)
- Emdee International: Rani Drapery Tie Back (B1 15-E13)
- Entryways: Peace on Earth Hand-Woven Doormat (B2 10-10A33)
- Fredrick Cooper: Chilton Grove Chandelier (Wildwood B1 14-E7)
- Ginger Fox: Carnovsky Ocean Jigsaw Puzzle (Anne McGilvray & Company B2 17-1718)
- Global Views: Matte Black Ellipse Vases & Oak Branch Bowl (B1 14-C15)
- GO Home: Benjamin Side Table (B1 15-D1)
- Greenwich Bay Trading Co.: Avocado Shampoo & Body Bar (Online Only)
- Haviland: Ocean Bleu Collection (D Gaber and Associates B2 8-829)
- HomArt: Peru Ceramic Vessels (B2 10-1040)
- Inge-Glas: French Coffee Ornament Collection (B1 20-C2)
- IVV: The Bartender's Signature Set (D Gaber and Associates B2 8-829)
- Jeffan International: Napali Rolling Barcart (B1 13-E13)
- JingleNog: Ming hand-blown blue and white chinoiserie ornaments (Online Only)
- Julie Vos: Gold Stacking Bracelets (Online Only)
- KEVA: Leather Apple Watch Bands (Fieldstone Marketing B2 9-912)
- Lands Downunder: Multi-Color Italian Cobblestone Jacquard Throw (Online Only / ShopZio)
- Leftbank Art: Foolish II 57X72 Dimensional Art (B1 13-F6)
- Lowcountry Originals: Bed Swing with Slanted Back (B1 15-E17)
- Lucy Grymes: Designs Rose Paper Vase Wrap (Online Only)
- Maison Maison Design: Handwoven Lampshade Collection (Online only)
- Matouk: Seashells Beach Towels (Online Only)
- Melrose International: Hammered Copper Vase (B1 17-C11 / ShopZio)
- Michelle McDowell: Harlow Necklace Collection (OneCoast Online Only)
- **Mud Pie**: Thanksgiving Collection (B2 6-680 / ShopZio)
- Pink Picasso: Paint-by-Number Kit (Tango B2 10-1000B)
- Pottery Pots: Oyster Collection (B2 9-9A17)
- RAZ Imports: Cherry Blossoms in Blue & White Vase (B1 18-C2)
- Revelation by Uttermost: Tambour Cabinet in Black Ceruse (B1 12-G7)
- Sagebrook Home: Bird's Nest Lamps in Gold (B1 13-E7 / ShopZio)
- Smeg: Pastel Green Retro-Style Toaster (Kitchen 2 Table B2 8-891A)
- Swanky Baby Vintage: Fall 2020 Collection (Online Only)
- TradeCie: Christmas Mouse (Online Only)
- Transpac: Happy Camper Dog Bandana (B2 18-1803)
- Walton Wood Farm: Nurse's Rescue Trio (Road Runners B2 15-1500)
- WorldFinds: Fractal Kantha Spiral Bracelet (Online Only / ShopZio)

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Market Debuts



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Tasseled Up

Boho chic is coming on strong for fall 2015. These tasseled accessories are the perfect complement to the carefree styles of flowing dresses and printed fabrics making their way into women's closets. —B.N.K.



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