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Top 50 Rooms

The finalists

Last month, we revealed our Top 50 Rooms, drawn from a vast field of entries nationwide. This month, we bring you the finalists in each category, showcasing the wondrous breadth, originality and design excellence of Australian interiors today. Check out the full showcase and vote for your favourite room at homestolove.com.au/top50vote.

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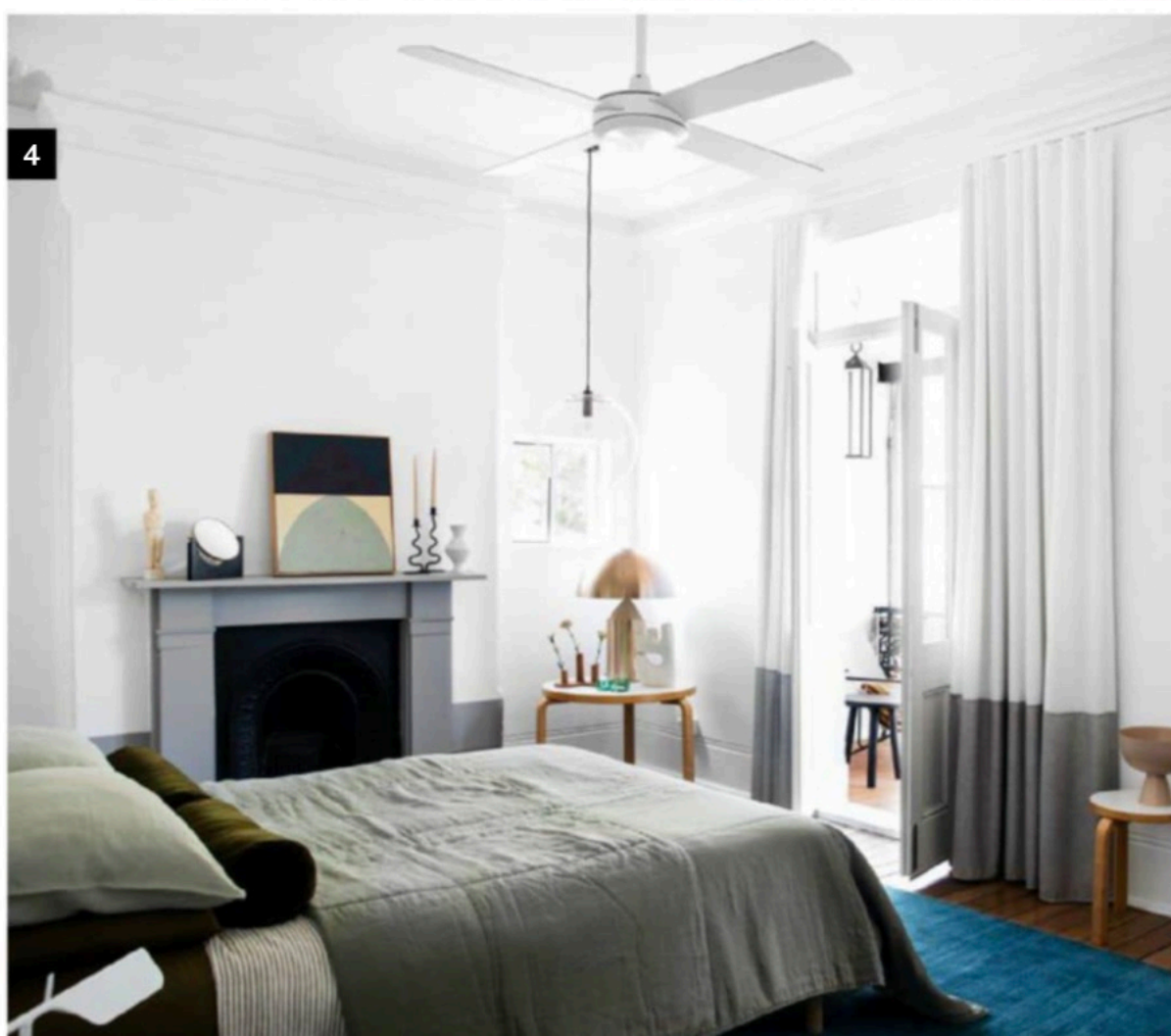
FINALISTS



Bedrooms

Designing a bedroom is all about creating and expressing a sense of personal sanctuary. As each of the finalists here demonstrate, beautiful bedrooms are serene, inviting sleeping zones that also contain autobiographical elements, reflecting the lives of their inhabitants. Dreamy soft furnishings are the finishing touch.

1 A hot-pink acrylic door pops at the entrance to this main bedroom by Doherty Design Studio; dohertydesignstudio.com.au. **2** Louise Walsh Interior Design devised this minimalist room in muted tones; louisewalsh.com.au. **3** Mint-green heron-print wallpaper and a red velvet bedhead are among the rich layers in this design by Greg Natale Design; gregnatale.com. **4** Light, space and respect for original features achieve an elegant, hotel-suite feel by Studio Prineas; studioprineas.com.au.



Bedroom styling by Samantha Deacon (1) & Greg Natale (3). Photography by Derek Swalwell (1), Anson Smart (2, 3) & Chris Warnes (4). Artwork by Bec Smith, Saint Cloche (4).