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"Anson Ribbon Pendant," shown in Verditer Blue, is available in any Benjamin Moore color; The Urban Electric Co. (urbanelectricco.com), trade only. Wire chair, \$1,100, is by designer Patricia Urquiola for Emu (888/502-5749).

Fabrics from left: "Dellamae Sheer," Thomas O'Brien Textiles at Lee Jofa (800/453-3563); "Mappy," Kenzo Collection by Lelievre at Stark (212/752-9000); "Helix," Larsen at Cowtan & Tout (212/647-6900); "Lauder Sheer," Clarence House (clarencehouse.com). Fabrics trade only.



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WHEN IT'S HOT, CHILL OUT WITH WIREWORK, TRANSLUCENT CURTAINS, AND WICKER

Patricia Urquiola knows how to stay cool. The Spanish-born industrial designer, now based in Milan, has been riding a wave of accolades for home furnishings that tweak familiar techniques and motifs. But what really appeals about her wiry *Re-Trouvé* collection—which includes chairs, a table, and planters—is less the vintage look than the astonishing openness. ▶