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The Designer: **CHARLOTTE MUNDER**

Raised in Palm Beach, Charlotte Munder, 29, grew up immersed in design as her parents worked on a number of renovation and building projects. Inspired, she headed to the University of Michigan to earn a bachelor's degree in art history and communications, then to New York City to work in the fashion industry and pursue a graduate degree in interior design and architecture from Parsons School of Design. She also spent time working for the esteemed interior design firms Pembroke & Ives and David Scott Interiors before returning to settle in West Palm Beach, where she opened an eponymous multidisciplinary interiors and design studio. The interior designer's next big project is the historic renovation of a colonial home in El Cid.



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The Artist: **BEN LEONE**

Ben Leone, 29, was born and raised in Palm Beach. He spent much of his childhood around large construction projects during the decades-long, property-wide renovations and restorations of The Breakers, where his father is the longtime CEO. But the experience led him not to hospitality nor construction—but to art. “My father would take me out on construction sites almost every day after school; I spent hours upon hours checking out every detail,” Leone shares. “Early on, I developed a deep appreciation for the physical nature involved with the process of design and fabrication, the synthesis of art and construction.” Leone received his bachelor's degree in studio art, then spent five years under the tutelage of renowned artist Nathan Slate Joseph. He has since been developing his own body of work, focused on bridging the gap between art and architecture. His first large-scale public art installation—a five-story sculpture on two building elevations of the upcoming 345 Banyan residential high-rise—will be unveiled in West Palm Beach by the end of 2022. “I love and cherish the act of constructing itself and embrace my urge to take standard practices and materials and give them new meaning,” he says.

The Stylist: **HOLLAND PATERNO**

Most of her followers on Instagram and TikTok know Tequesta-based Holland Paterno, 27, as a stylist and social media influencer specializing in attainable style and affordable everyday fashion finds. For more than a decade, Paterno has honed her skills, offering tasteful wardrobe styling and personal shopping services. While her weekly “Amazon Must-Have Mondays” series is popular on Instagram Stories, she also spends time off-screen curating wardrobe capsule collections for discerning clientele around the country.



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