

# BOSTON DESIGN

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# TAKE IT OUTSIDE

Whether it's in the city, suburbs or on the coast, we all long to be outdoors after this historic New England winter.

It seems the very definition of "home" has changed. Homeowners and architects alike are thinking beyond the traditional four walls to boundary-pushing designs that consider terrain, stonework and starlight just as surely as tile, stucco and vaulted ceilings. This don't-fence-me-in philosophy has resulted in beautiful outdoor programs that maximize and prolong the high season.

Here follows a glimpse into some of the stunning outdoor spaces Boston Design Guide's architects and landscape architects have created. As you can see, the sky's the limit.



**Richard J. Bertman**

CBT ARCHITECTS

At the luxury condominium Folio Boston, designed by CBT, urbanites can look over the city lights and rooftops to rare views of the water from stunning modern roof decks. While private, residents soon get to know their neighbors quite well, as these slivers of heaven hold quite an allure and are perfect for entertaining.



# ENTERTAINING



**Kim Turner**  
KDTURNER



**Kent Duckham**  
DUCKHAM ARCHITECTURE & INTERIORS

For a lively Newton home, Duckham Architecture & Interiors and kdtuner fashioned a backyard design where fun was the program. Indoor-outdoor connections, like striking French doors that swing out to the patio and covered porch, link the setting to the living and dining rooms. The thoughtful placement and flow of its amenities make for easy entertaining, as meals can be prepared in the outdoor kitchen and plated either on the porch or in the dining room. The space was meant for the enjoyment of the entire family—children can be on the swings, while others relax in the hot tub or sit by the fire.



**Paul Weber**  
PAUL WEBER ARCHITECT

Paul Weber Architect takes hospitality to a higher level for visitors of this idyllic guesthouse. Here, the Newport architect renovated an existing barn, reusing existing framing lumber and beadboard, to create a natural lair for layovers. It has a full-purpose apartment upstairs, and a garage and a large, social game room downstairs. The game room spills out to the grounds thanks to a trifold door.



**Adolfo Perez**  
ADOLFO PEREZ ARCHITECT

There is a divine alchemy to the immaculate grounds and linear hardscape of a contemporary open-air lounge designed by Adolfo Perez. Strong and true to site, a towering fireplace and pergola anchor the space against a leafy backdrop of trees, mirroring the architectural sensibilities of the main house. Bright, bold furnishings electrify the vista's pewter tones.

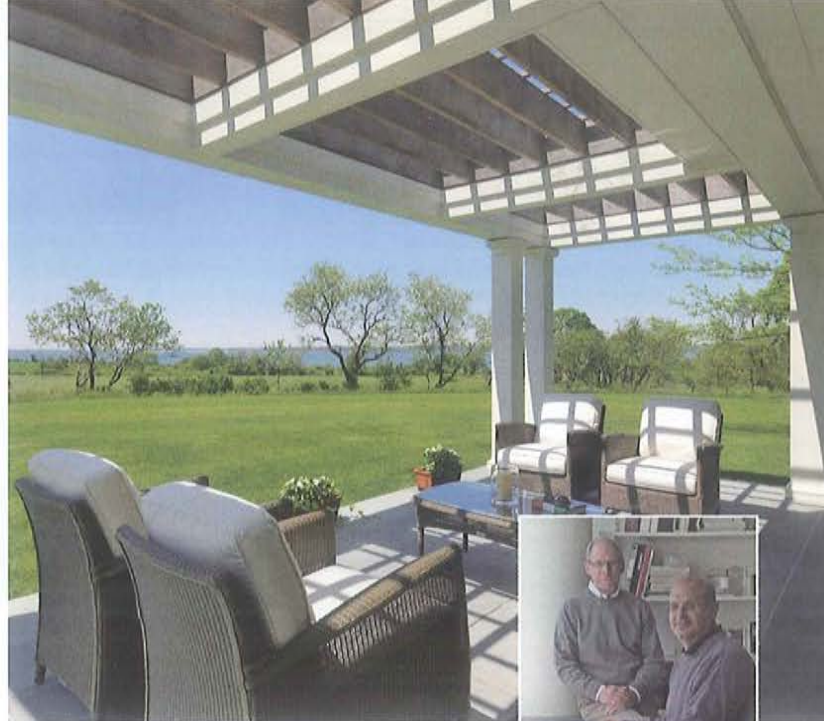






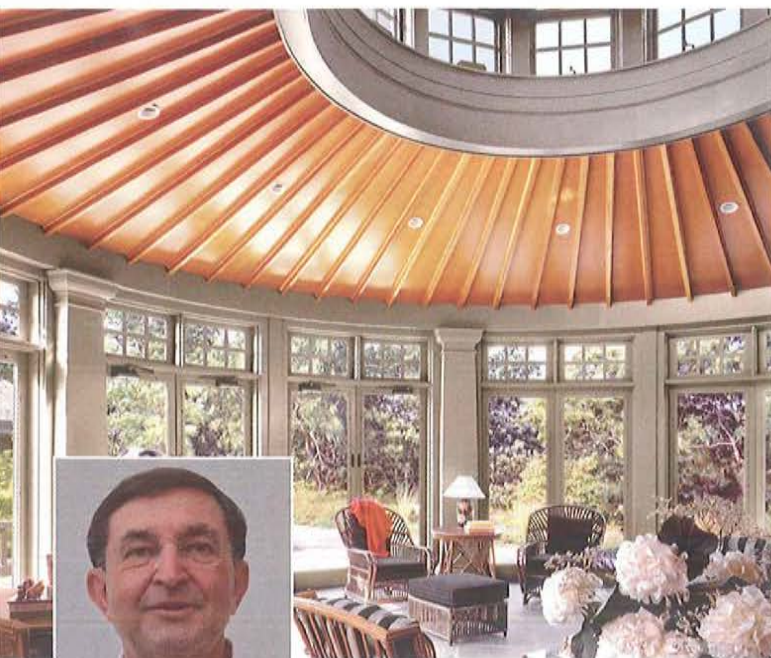
**Paul Fiore & David Foley**  
FOLEY FIORE ARCHITECTURE

This striking modern home with views of Lake Ontario to the north and Irondequoit Bay to the south was made for entertaining. Designed by Foley Fiore Architecture, a clean-lined living room continues seamlessly to the deck via oversized sliding doors. The minimalist outdoor space maximizes the area for mingling and features an outdoor kitchen carved into the wood for alfresco meals.



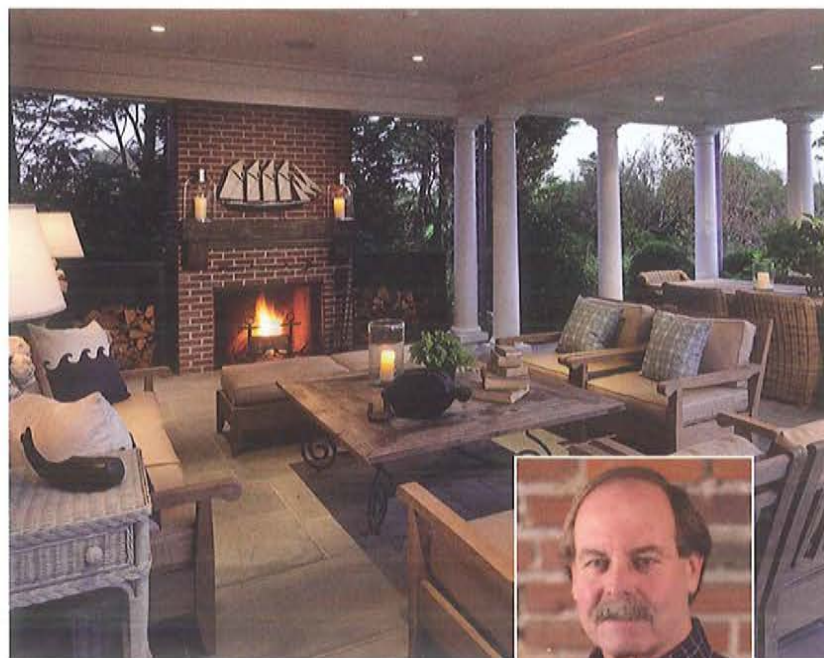
**Robert Paladino & Jim Mellowes**  
MELLOWES & PALADINO ARCHITECTS

Nestled in the rural village of Little Compton, R.I., a shingle style residence designed by Mellowes & Paladino Architects provides a welcome respite from the city. As a counterpoint to the broad vista across a saltwater farm to the Sakonnet River, an open pergola provides an enclosed space for family and friends to reconnect.



**Ivan Bereznicki**  
BEREZNICKI ARCHITECTS

The Great Hall of an island escape off the coast of New England, culminates in an equally grand space conceived by Bereznicki Architects. The perimeter of doors and fixed panels and clerestory above, with windows that open electrically, bathe the horseshoe-shaped screened porch in light. The semicircular space leads out to a bluestone terrace and swimming pool and pool house.



**Patrick Ahearn**  
PATRICK AHEARN ARCHITECT

A rural gambrel shingle style residence on Martha's Vineyard by Patrick Ahearn brings out the best of island living. All of the home's spaces were conceived to address long views of the water and relish the outdoors, but this beach-style patio is particularly welcoming, and where you want to be after a day of sun. Its plush furnishings and fireside invite friends and family to gather 'round.