#### **Caribbean Calling**

Looking for a low-key and luxurious Caribbean escape? Head to Anguilla, where you'll find the island's most exclusive resort, Cap Juluca (PICTURED ABOVE). More than a dozen white Moorish-style beachfront villas—some with private pools—dot the scenic landscape, and five-star dining adds to the ambience, making Cap Juluca a vacationer's dream come true. 888-858-5822; capujuluca.com



#### What's Old Is New Again

The W Washington DC has opened on the site of the former Hotel Washington. Revamped by acclaimed designer Dianna Wong, the property has undergone a modern makeover while maintaining many of its original Beaux-Arts architectural elements. This buzzworthy addition to the District's hotel scene features a J&G Steakhouse by chef Jean-Georges Vongerichten, a Bliss spa and a Moderninspired rooftop terrace with sweeping views of the city skyline. 515 15th St. NW, 202-661-2400; starwoodhotels.com

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With a fleet of 4,000 planes available worldwide at just four hours notice (and no membership fees), Blue Star Jets offers flexibility and accessibility like no other air service can. "We can fly in and out of 5,000 airports-ten times the number commercial planes have access to," says Todd Rome, the company's president. Blue Star is also able to arrange nanny services, catering and spa treatments for passengers in-flight. Take advantage of the DC to New York package, which includes 10 same-day round-trips on a seven-passenger light jet for \$90,000. 866-538-8463; bluestarjets.com



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#### **Hot Wheels**

This fall EuroMotorcars Bethesda introduces Mercedes-Benz's newly redesigned E-Class and hybrid S-Class vehicles. It will also launch Bentley's much-anticipated FlexFueled Continental Supersports with a 621-horsepower engine that can go from zero to 60 in 3.7 seconds. EuroMotorcars has been the Mid-Atlantic's largest Rolls-Royce, Bentley, Maybach and Mercedes-Benz dealership for more than 35 years and prides itself on its charitable involvement with YouthAIDS, the Cystic Fybrosis Foundation, the Congressional Black Caucus and the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. 7020 Arlington Rd., Bethesda, MD, 301-986-8800; euromotorcars.com



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#### **GET GLOWING**

Promising top-notch skincare "for all skin colors," Cultura Cosmetic Dermatology & Laser Center has become a world-renowned practice. The group, which specializes in antiaging treatments, begins each client consultation with a computerized facial analysis to accurately determine skin type. Cultura's patented Complexion Blending technology employs two different lasers as well as a hydrafacial microdermabrasion procedure to even out skin tone, smooth texture and create a gorgeous glow. 5301 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202-237-9292; culturamed.com

#### **NOSING AROUND**

Did you know that one of the world's preeminent specialists in rhinoplasty is located just next door in Herndon, Virginia? Patients have flown in from across the globe to see Dr. Shervin Naderi because of his calming demeanor and commitment to natural-looking results, which clients can preview with Dr. Naderi's advanced computer-imaging technology. 703-481-0002; nadericenter.com

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## Designer Digs

Everything you need to overhaul your home (or find a new one!) By Lisa Horten



#### **Real-time Renovations**

If you're thinking of remodeling your home, start by calling Mina and Mark Fies, the founders of Synergy D&C. The company's unique concierge service provides multiple design options and 3-D imaging technology that can help you visualize your new space. And because their renovation plans include your actual selections instead of contractor allowances, you get exactly what you want with a firm price and a smooth process from start to finish. Already have your contractor? Synergy offers design-only services as well. 703-766-6333; synergydandc.com

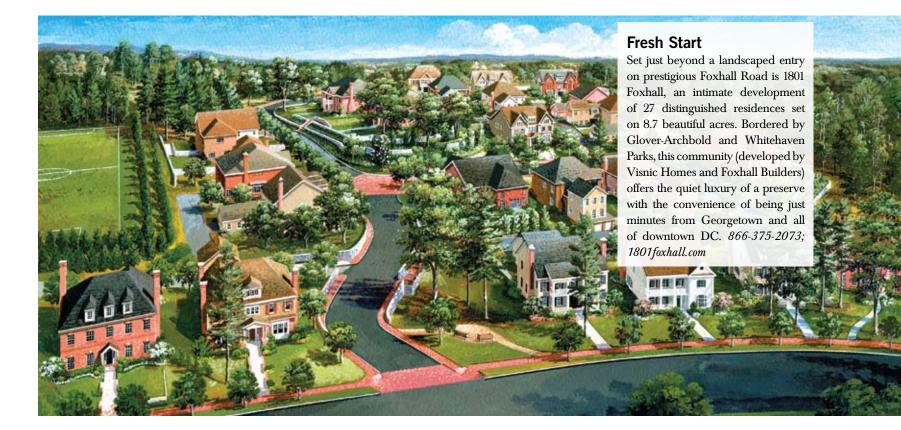
#### Off the Wall

Founded in 2007, Sands Artwork is an online marketplace for contemporary framed finds. Browse a beautiful selection of paintings by skilled artists. Get up close and personal with the "Detail View" feature. Prefer to buy in person? Sands recently celebrated the grand opening of its new brick-and-mortar space in Rockville Town Square. 888-441-0278; sandsartwork.com



#### **Online Antiques**

Calling "dibs" may sound like something your kids would do, but when it comes to antiques it's nothing to scoff at. 1stdibs.com, the world's premier online marketplace for antiques, 20th century design and fine and estate jewelry, has added 12 local dealers—Darrell Dean Antiques and Red Barn Mercantile among them-to its base of more than 600 resources throughout the US and Europe. Founded by Michael Bruno in 2001, 1stdibs was inspired by legendary Parisian flea market the Marché aux Puces. "I run 1stdibs like Bergdorf's runs their Fifth Avenue store-highly edited," says Bruno of his wildly successful site, which will soon expand to include vintage couture and designer fashion. 1stdibs.com



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