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Woven Horse Hair

FIBER ARTIST WEAVES EQUINE-INSPIRED TEXTILES

Intricate craftsmanship and innovative blending of organic materials earned Alexandra Kohl a place on **Architectural Digest's** watch-list of "*17 On-the-Rise Designers You Should Know Now.*" The young artist has made a strong appearance in the market as a contemporary maker of horsehair fiber art and accessories. An accomplished equestrian, Alexandra was naturally drawn to working with horsehair. Her pieces, which are woven with cotton, imbue a quiet, meditative and healing quality.

Alexandra has been working with interior designers as well as selling to retailers in major cities throughout the United States. "About sixty percent of my sales are private commissions," she says. "I have clients that buy purely for the art of the work, and other that give me their own horse's hair to honor their animals."

The process of weaving involves many hours of preparation. Dressing the loom takes up to ten hours before the weaving even begins. Alexandra sources, designs and weaves every piece herself.

Each textile is framed in natural wood tones that complement the colors and textures of the animal fiber.



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