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Blurring the lines between inside and out, these stunning spaces offer the perfect blend of beauty and function. **BY JENN ANDRLIK**

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Indoor/ Outdoor Oasis

This gorgeous space is the perfect reprieve from the hot sun to watch a movie or grab a cold drink and relax. Tara Kantor, who designed the space for her own Scarsdale home, says her favorite part is the flow. “The pool is really close to the house, which makes it feel inviting,” says Kantor. “You can move easily from one area to the next, and everyone stays connected rather than spread out.”

She was inspired by the layout of a friend’s home in the Hamptons. “They had a pool house with a couch facing the pool and doors that opened fully to the pool area—we took that idea and made it our own by creating a bar instead.”

With the kitchen right next door, hosting is a no-brainer. There’s also an adjacent bathroom, and the stairs to the laundry room are right there as well making cleanup a breeze.

As for the palette and décor, Kantor wanted the whole area to feel like a vacation. “I always envisioned this space being white,” she says. The room features reclaimed wood beams which give it an organic touch

plus plastered walls. “It has a Greek villa feel, mixed with a Miami-Hamptons vibe,” she adds. Completing the look are lights from Allied Maker, stone from Marble America, and stools from Thomas Hayes.

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Kantor relied on indoor/outdoor fabrics throughout—including terry and boucle—to withstand wet bathing suits. “They’re spill-resistant and perfect for wet bodies straight from the pool!” she says.