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Bamboo Dinner
Plates in Planes and
Chips, \$48, set of 4;
pokefo.com. Tennis
Napkins in Pool,
\$12 each; [blockshop
textiles.com](http://blockshop
textiles.com)

On Trend

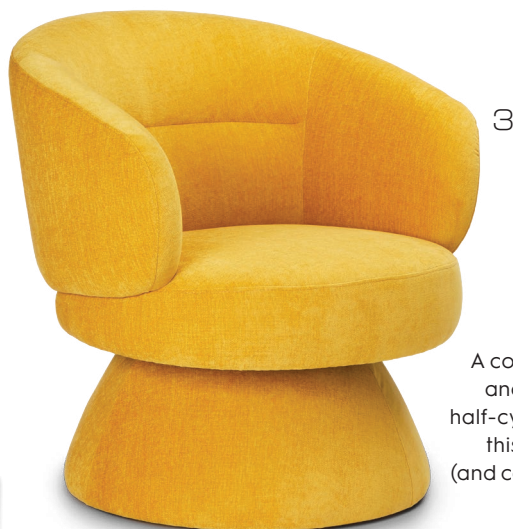
New Geometrics

Strong shapes in bold blocks of color exude an energetic cheerfulness, echoing the lively designs of the '80s Memphis movement—a style founded by Italian design firm The Memphis Group. This bright, graphic look was born to reject minimalism and the prevailing idea of “good taste” and later became a visual shorthand for the decade.



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A cone, circle, and hollow half-cylinder form this playful (and comfy) chair.



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An unusual conical base and saffron color make this chair a showstopper. Makeva Marigold Yellow Swivel Chair,

\$599; article.com



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Ettore Sottsass, shown with his Carlton bookshelf, cofounded The Memphis Group in 1980.



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Try one of these conversation pieces as a plant stand or side table. Bit Stool, \$320 each; danishdesignstore.com

Steel bookends can be used separately or layered to create an abstract composition. Fenestra Bookends, set of 4, \$60; store.moma.org

Filled with flowers or not, the vase's rich colors and curved edges are bound to make a statement. Vase in Pink/Orange, \$48; luciekaas.com

How would we use this standout wallpaper? For a powder room that wows guests. Paris, \$194 for a roll; jupiter10.com

The light doubles as modern sculpture. Kin Sconce in Mustard/Hydrangea Blue/Cream, \$160; sazeracstitches.com ■



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DID YOU KNOW?

THIS LOOK WAS POPULARIZED IN THE MEDIA. MTV LOGOS AND MIAMI VICE, SAVED BY THE BELL, AND OTHER SHOWS DREW INSPIRATION FROM THE MEMPHIS MOVEMENT.