

## HOMES

## This London Penthouse Is a Well-Curated Gallery of the Best of British Craftsmanship

Designed by Studio Atkinson, this sprawling two-floor residence seamlessly blends modernity, culture, and craftsmanship into a warm and inviting family home.

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The formal living room of this 6,029 square foot penthouse takes its nature-inspired decor cues from the uninterrupted outdoor view the property offers. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson

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At this chic London Penthouse in **Chelsea Barracks** in Belgravia, a microcosm of the best of British design exists as a curated and thoughtfully crafted cabinet de curiosités. It features top-tier brands like Kvadrat, Rogers & Goffigon, Dedar, Pierre Frey, and Zimmer + Rohde, sourced from nearby design districts such as Pimlico Road, alongside Soane Britain, Colefax & Fowler, Collier Webb, Jamb, and de Le Cuona. Culture and artisanship converge effortlessly, resulting in a sophisticated, timeless residence imbued with modern aesthetics and classic influences.



The interior scheme throughout this London Penthouse was curated to connect with nature outside. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The home office with a striped wallpaper that gives it a member's club-esque feel. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson

Designed by Susie Atkinson of the British firm Studio Atkinson, this is their first ever collaboration with Qatari Diar, the developer behind Chelsea Barracks. Interestingly, the home's aesthetic draws inspiration from Belgravia's vibrant artistic and cultural community and the visible London skyline. "And, we were greatly inspired by the significant outdoor terrace; we brought the outside in through our bespoke interiors and sourced antiques and artwork," says Atkinson. "We've used local and British suppliers throughout, reflecting Chelsea Barracks' championing of artisanship and British talent." The 6,029 square feet penthouse includes a formal and informal living room, a family room, kitchen, dining area, study, entrance hall, terrace, and five bedrooms.



The formal living room is anchored by a custom brass coffee table is by Studio Atkinson Collection. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The wall colour, Farrow and Ball Chappell Green, wraps around the space. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The custom Weekender Sofa is upholstered in Jean Monro fabric by Turnell & Gigon. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson

## **Shop this London Penthouse's chic style**

The living rooms exude charm with their harmonious balance of colours, prints and patterns, that range from botanical and geometric to textural plains. “Overlooking the terrace, I aimed to create a space that feels part of the garden,” explains Atkinson. The Jean Monro fabric on the Studio Atkinson Weekender Sofa, a whimsical yet classic touch, anchors the informal sitting room alongside modern accents. By contrast, the family room is a cosier evening retreat, centred on a Studio Atkinson L-shaped sofa upholstered in Nobilis’s Oia fabric.

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A mix of vintage pieces, such as the gilded mirror, and examples of bespoke craftsmanship are dotted throughout this London penthouse. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



In the family lounge, corner sofa is made by the Studio Atkinson workshop and is upholstered in a fabric from Nobilis. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The wall fabric is Amour Libre Wall by Dedar, and the artwork is by Tom Hammick. A Noughts and Crosses dining table, part of the Studio Atkinson furniture collection and antique plates sourced from Chorley's auction house dot the room. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson

Unlike the calm living rooms, the dining room exudes glamour, with Dedar's Amoir Libre silk moiré wall fabric adding warmth and reflection. Chairs upholstered in Studio Ashby fabric balance cool greens and blues with the warm palette. Glamour extends to the staircase, with rich brown marble floors, blackened steel balustrades, and deep red walls complementing gilded artworks. The kitchen, sporting wood and marble is a calming retreat flooded in natural light during the day – it also opens to an outdoor kitchenette and herb garden.



A deep red wall paint, Beresford Red by Sibyl Colefax & John Fowler Paints, lends a moody character and richness to the central stairwell. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The wall lights are from Jamb. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The landing creates a gallery-like atmosphere from where one can enjoy the curated art selection. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The breakfast nook in the kitchen. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The kitchen in a timeless combination of light marble and wood is grounded by a dark floor. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson

The bedrooms evoke a cocooning, homely feel. “I wanted to counter the simplicity of the rooms with textural fabrics, antiques, and layered elements that make the space feel evolved over time,” says Atkinson. The bathrooms follow a serene, understated aesthetic and the large glass windows shine light on the colours and quirky marble patterns inside, highlighting warmth and character.



All the headboards across the bedrooms are bespoke, upholstered in fabrics from Kvadrat, Rogers & Goffigon, Claremont and de Le Cuona. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson





A marble-lined ensuite with a stand-alone bathtub. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The guest bedroom. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson

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The terrace, the penthouse's crowning feature, serves as an extension of the interior. Adjacent to the wellness zone, it includes a sauna, ice bath, sunbathing area, bar, lounge, and dining table with a corten steel frame. "Hortus Loci's planting softens the angles with grasses and evergreen foliage that sway in the breeze, inviting wildlife and filling the air with delicate scents," concludes Atkinson.



The terrace offers uninterrupted views across the London. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



With a lush planting scheme, it feels like a garden in the sky. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The terrace also features a hot tub and sauna. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson



The terrace is anchored by a tile-clad planter that layers the space with tall shrubs. Photo courtesy of Studio Atkinson