

## design board



## DON RICARDO *Massenburg*

Inspiration comes in many forms for Don Ricardo Massenburg, the versatile creative force behind Durham's Design Inkredible. "My love for textiles, art, furniture, culture, and anything bold and creative fuels my passion for interior design," Massenburg says. "I look to nature, art, and the energy of the home for design inspiration."

Known for his classic, modern, luxury-design aesthetic and his use of lush and sumptuous fabrics, Massenburg begins every project with his client in mind. "Each project is a reflection of the homeowner's personal style and desires. I spend time listening to the client and building a trusting professional relationship," Massenburg says.

This client-focused approach was evident in a recent home-office project for an expectant father. "He had his heart set on working from home for a couple of months after the delivery, but there was no dedicated workspace," explains Massenburg, who expertly tailored the space to fit his client's tastes and lifestyle. "The client is a lover of tailored suits and sport coats, so I knew that dark, bold, and masculine was going to be the way to go in this space."

- 1. Pinstripe White/Black Curtain Panel / \$50-\$80 / cb2.com
- 2. Curvilinear Mid-Century Chandelier / \$499 / westelm.com
- 3. Jacob Swivel Chair / to the trade / fourhands.com
- 4. City Rug / to the trade / jaipurliving.com
- 5. Foundry Iron Rivet Round Mirror / \$596-\$1,195 / restorationhardware.com

