

## INTERIOR DESIGNERS



# HUMA SULAIMAN DESIGN

Huma Sulaiman considers herself a citizen of the world. She was born in Dhaka, Bangladesh, raised in Europe and has lived most of her adulthood thus far in the United States. Sulaiman grew up in a household where world affairs, history, architecture and art were daily topics of discussion, and as the daughter of a diplomat, spent many hours within the grounds of Bangladesh's National Parliament House, designed by none other than the legendary architect Louis Kahn. As one can imagine, the designer pulls inspiration from the wealth of her personal experiences. But that isn't where she starts. At her namesake firm, Huma Sulaiman Design, a project begins in close talks with the client. The design process relies on helping the client zero in on what they are ultimately trying to achieve, from specific details to the home's overall feel—like the owner of HSD's RED Award-winning project, who wanted the spaces to evoke her native Argentina. "This is my favorite part of the entire journey," Sulaiman says. "We explore possibilities, create stories and themes, and educate our clients to ensure they can make informed decisions." The cherry on top, for Sulaiman, is when she can encourage clients to push their boundaries, clearing room for innovative, unusual, surprising and delightful results.



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## INSIDE THE AWARD-WINNING PROJECT:

**Project location:** Marbella Country Club in San Juan Capistrano, California

**Collaborators on this project:**

PHDesign (custom cabinetmaker);

Jill's Paint Studio (custom cabinet finisher);

Posner Fine Art (art curator)

**Qualities that make this project an award-winner:**

The combination of an inviting feel, intricate craftsmanship and classic European charm with a modern flair

**Noteworthy manufacturers/artists/designers used in the design:**

Donald Sultan; Alexander AD; Gino Sarfatti; Victoria + Albert

**1.** The arch detail carves out an intimate bathing nook where one can relax at the end of the day. Work by artists Donald Sultan and Alexander AD, sourced by Posner Fine Art, makes the space feel like a refined parlor.

**Headshot** Photography by Vanessa Brooke

**1.** Photography by Chad Mellon



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