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A SALUTE TO **20 DESIGN VISIONARIES,** RECIPIENTS OF THE 2009 TRADITIONAL HOME **ICONS OF DESIGN** AWARDS

As a part of *Thaditional Home* magazine's yearlong 20th anniversary celebration, we're introducing a very special awards program to recognize and honor 20 extraordinary designers and architects who have influenced not only the design world, but also the homes we live in and the beauty and quality of our lives. Nominated by their colleagues in the design industry, our Icons of Design have—through their exceptional vision, creativity, and innovation—made lasting contributions to design over the past two decades, from rooms created with imaginative color and verve to the architecture of structures that equally honor history, the environment, and contemporary life. Since 1989, *Thaditional Home* has been a place where the familiar is renewed, rediscovered, and reborn. Classic designs and customs are adapted through fresh interpretations or new frames of reference. Join us in honoring these 20 Icons of Design who have provided the insight and the references—and who will continue to help us blend classic taste with modern life for another 20 years. (For more on the work of our Icons, visit traditionalhome.com.) >



A doyenne of English decor, Nina Campbell started at Colefax and Fowler, eventually making her name synonymous with British style by infusing traditional interiors with wit and verve. She has masterminded such projects as The Savoy Lobby and created a number of inimitable product collections.



A mainstay of Atlanta's design community for 30 years, Dan Carithers is an ambassador of Southern style with hallmark interiors as comfortable as they are elegant. This master of juxtaposing the humble with the fine lends an intuitive touch when mixing palette and fabric as a consultant to furniture companies—and in his own collections.



The peripatetic Clodagh grew up in the Irish countryside, which imbued her with a respect for tranquil spaces that are inspired by nature. A leader in the eco-design movement, this slightly irreverent individualist taps into cultures around the world to create rooms and furnishings that are at once simple, luxurious, and attuned to the environment.











ÓSCAR DE LA RENTA

A fixture among the fashion elite, Oscar de la Renta's residential environments deserve their own red carpets. This Dominican fashionisto studied painting in Spain, designed apparel, and then began creating super-refined furniture and accessories. His company recently opened its first international stores in Athens and Madrid.

JOHN SALADINO

John Saladino's training at Yale and in Rome sparked a career that treats interiors as still lifes. Advocating "visual education," where people learn to appreciate the beauty of their surroundings, his not-quite-finished style breathes a sublime classicism that is "more like a drawing and less like a completed painting."

Traditional Home celebrates these 20 visionary