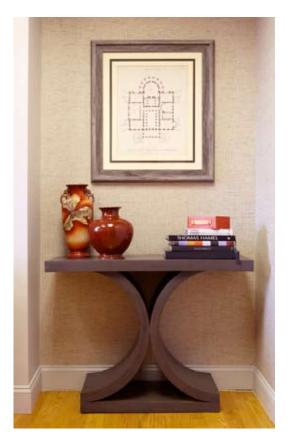


"It's contemporary in terms of the color, with an unusual interplay of materials, but it's comfortable. I want people to feel at home when they come in."

PAULA DAHER DAHER INTERIOR DESIGN; DAHERINTERIORDESIGN.COM.







A 1920s office building on Boylston Street, mere blocks from Boston Common, houses interior designer Paula Daher's new office. The rich tones and textures of her personal space balance the rest of the unit, which is open and white, an ideal backdrop for endless shelves of fabric books (as seen on Page 37) and samples.

WALLPAPER Grass cloth, Phillip Jeffries; phillipjeffries.com. PRINT Brimfield; brimfield.com. FRAME Stanhope Framers; stanhopeframers.com. SOLID-RED VASE (RIGHT) Diseño Boston; disenobos.com. ORANGE BOX Dammann tea shop, Paris; dammann.fr. TABLE Mid-Century Modern Console, Wisteria; wisteria.com. CURTAINS Madura; madurahome.com. DESK Blox Mango Dining Table, CB2; cb2.com. CHAIR Kravet; kravet. com. VINTAGE CABINET Antiques on Nine; 207-967-0626.