





PURPLE RAIN The designers wanted the media room to have the dark luxury of a movie theater. The walls are papered in La Nuit Du Guépard, from the Precious Walls collection by Élitis, and the custom sofa and pillows are covered in Sahco fabric, through Donghia. The Baker Fonthill ceiling light from the Bill Sofield collection illuminates a painting by Pieter Schoolwerth, Portrait of the Mystic Marriage of Saint Catherine (after Lotto). Coffee Table with Shelf from Antoine Proulx

## FASHION STATEMENT

A STYLISH NEW JERSEY COUPLE EMBRACES A NEW PALETTE ON THE UPPER WEST SIDE, WITH THE HELP OF WHITE WEBB

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**DESIGN TEAM** Matthew White and Frank Webb are opposites: Webb is a modernist and White has a passion for the classics. This convergence of styles has become their signature, and is one reason a fashion-savvy New Jersey couple reached out to the design team. "[The wife] saw our bedroom suite in the 2008 Kips Bay Decorator Show House and remembered it when they were ready to hire a designer for their new apartment," says White.

The designers felt that the couple appreciated their combination of wit and sophistication, as well as their blend of modern and traditional elements. The clients, who both work in the fashion industry, are very knowledgeable about design. CONTINUED