

MARGARET RUSSELL
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For two decades, Margaret Russell has infused ELLE DECOR with a singular sense of sophistication while helping to preserve its mission to inspire designers, architects, and homeowners with the best in interior and product design. In July 2000, Margaret was promoted to editor in chief of the magazine she helped found, which is the largest of 25 ELLE DECO editions published around the world.

In addition to overseeing ELLE DECOR, elledecor.com, and the ELLE DECOR series of books, Margaret is committed to promoting the design community through charitable work both locally and nationally and she serves on the boards of God's Love We Deliver and the Alpha Workshops.

Margaret lectures frequently on interior decoration, and has been a guest on numerous television programs to discuss design-related topics; she was also a featured judge on both seasons of Bravo's hit reality-television show, *Top Design*, where she reviewed the work of 13 aspiring interior design contestants.

Stewart, Tabori & Chang published Margaret's first book, *Designing Women: Interiors by Leading Style Makers*, and *So Chic: Glamorous Lives, Stylish Spaces* was released by Filipacchi Publishing in 2007. *Style & Substance: The Best of ELLE DECOR*, a book celebrating the 20th anniversary of the magazine, will be published in November. A graduate of Brown University, Margaret began her career at *Glamour* magazine, and was named a vice president of Hachette Filipacchi Media in 2003.