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Mike Piazza's
Home Run Style

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Petite Versailles

Behind the Scenes
at *Top Design*



Ryan Humphrey, Elizabeth Moore, show host Todd Oldham, Carisa Perez-Fuentes, Gail Amornvivat, Michael Adams, John Gray, Lisa Turner, Matt Lorenz, Heather Ashton, Andrea Keller, Erik Kolacz, and Felicia Bushman. For more information, go to bravotv.com.

Show Time

Think decorating is pretty? Think again. A new reality show tests the talents (and tempers) of 12 designers

Interior design has always been about paint chips, furniture, and flair—but *Top Design* proves there's pain behind the elegance. The new Bravo reality show takes a dozen designers, from student to professional, and pushes their buttons with tough challenges that will separate the wheat from the chaff. **Ryan Humphrey** Ambitious and artistic, his rock-and-roll vision takes its cues from David Lee Roth and Evel Knievel. **Elizabeth Moore** Teacher, designer, photographer, and sculptor (what can't she do?), she got a career kick start when the performer Prince tapped her to create parties for his "Purple Rain" tour. **Carisa Perez-Fuentes** A design student with a modern sensibility and a tender approach (she believes design can change people's lives for the better). **Gail Amornvivat** Cerebral and determined, the Thai-born designer has a broad outlook grounded by a master's degree in architecture from Yale. **Michael Adams** A confident and opinionated designer with training

from FIT and Parsons, he has a chic-comfortable aesthetic—and a take-no-prisoners character. **John Gray** A self-taught Midwestern design consultant known for his outsize personality and open-minded approach. **Lisa Turner** A self-described workaholic, she has a handful of design awards under her belt and a passion for ethnic style. **Matt Lorenz** Design-obsessed since childhood, he has a contemporary take and a personal philosophy that trumpets easy living as the key to success. **Heather Ashton** She's got a degree in construction and is a firm advocate of design for the masses rather than just for the rich and famous. **Andrea Keller** Multilingual designer-instructor with punk-rock energy and a determination to be numero uno. **Erik Kolacz** A former set designer who wants to make a lasting impression. **Felicia Bushman** An avid athlete with A-list clients and 20 years' experience. Who will be your top designer? **MITCHELL OWENS**

