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Interior Design by Jay Jeffers
This primary bedroom layers both patterns and textures including a custom hide wall by Kyle Bunting.
Hanging pendant lights by Apparatus.

## MATERIAL FUTURES



Cotton, linen, silk, wool... we know them well and can easily conjure images of their origins when we see them noted on a label. But what if that label informed of "leather" made from cactus, fabrics that use banana or pineapple as their base, bioengineered yarn made of corn, or carbon-negative pigment derived from algae? Such futuristic-sounding ideas were in the spotlight at the Future Materials exhibition at the recent Heimtextil fair in Frankfurt. Curated by design futures consultancy FranklinTill, the showcase put the spotlight on going beyond sustainability to design that is regenerative, that will restore or renew resources, leave only a positive impact on the environment and help global communities to thrive. Cactus leather club chair, anyone?

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## ARCHETYPES



Rydhima Brar Principle
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Textiles are like the secret spice in a recipe that makes a room come alive. It's all about mixing and matching textures and patterns to create a vibe that's both comfortable and stylish. I love incorporating luxurious materials like a good velvet – it adds depth and a tactile sense of luxury and is great for creating a warm and inviting atmosphere. And I love Baroques and textured fabrics; they bring a unique story, texture and rich color vibrancy to a space. For me, textiles aren't just décor, they're a way to tell a story and add a bit of magic to every corner."

- Rydhima Brar