



SPACE OF THE MONTH

# Rainbow Room

A home office with cheery hues radiates happiness.

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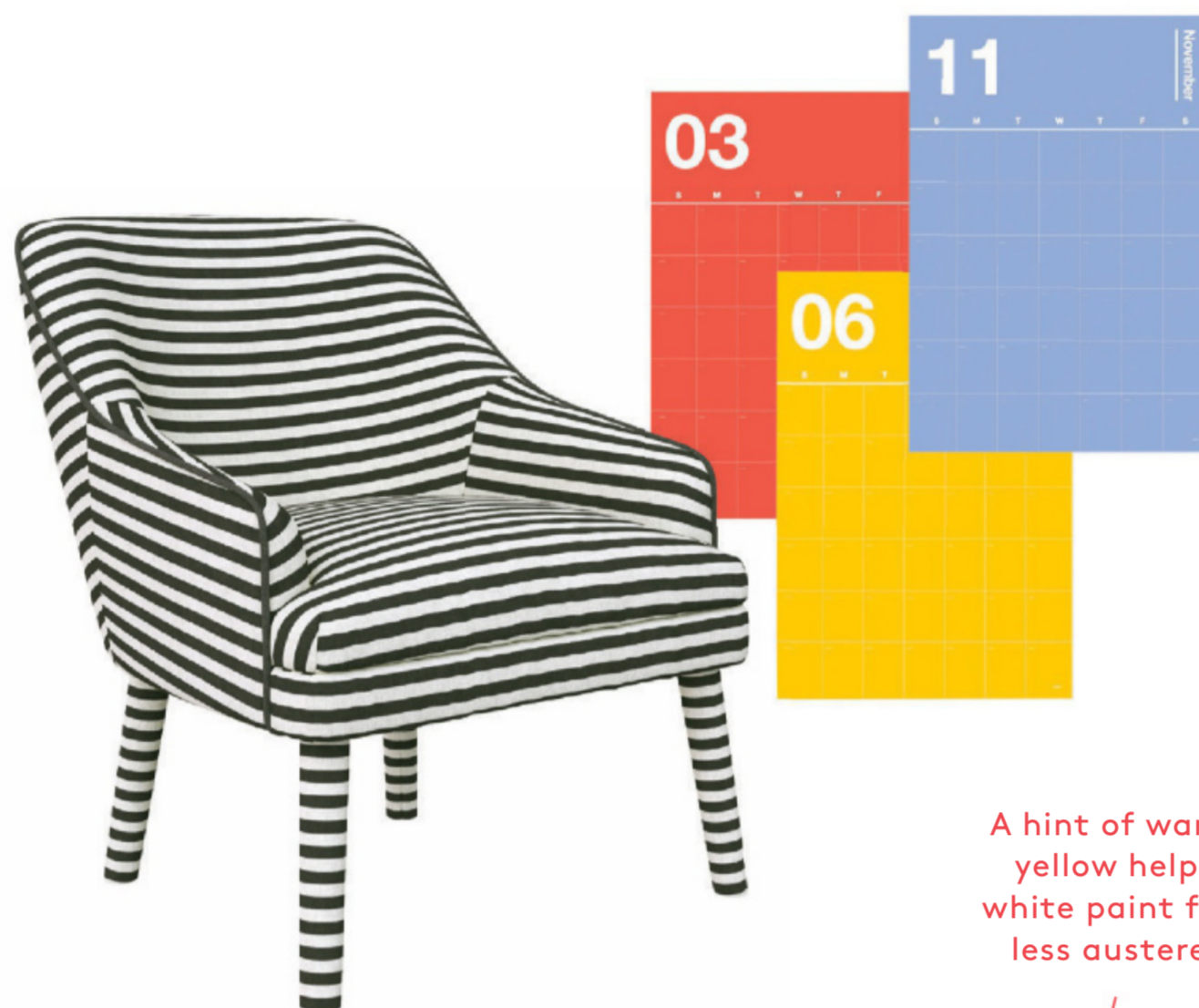




## Meet the Owner

### BRITTANY WATSON JEPSEN

When Brittany was decorating her work space, she knew she wanted it to reflect the clean, colorful aesthetic of her lifestyle blog, *The House That Lars Built*. She also knew she didn't want to spend a fortune; her family had just moved into their new home in Provo, Utah, and other rooms were hitting her budget hard. Sure enough, the inspiration for the entire office was a \$48 Poketo calendar, which she rounded out with other rainbow accents.



A hint of warm yellow helps white paint feel less austere.



This stylish sofa is really a futon—perfect for overnight guests or an afternoon nap.

## Get the Look

### BE CREATIVE WITH ART

A multicolor calendar that fills an entire wall can function as art, a Zoom background, or wallpaper (though *much* easier to hang). “I put sticky notes on it instead of writing on it, so I can reuse it year after year,” Brittany says.

### KEEP IT SIMPLE

Brittany went with white walls (we like the shade Pale Bloom by Valspar) because everything else in the room has so much color.

### PICK PLAYFUL LIGHTS

A floral brass light fixture gives the room more character and offsets the rectangular design of the calendar and striped rug.

### STRATEGIZE SEATING

Even though it's her home office, Brittany wanted comfortable seating for visitors. A striped armchair serves as the guest chair at her desk. She can reorient it toward the sofa to create a sitting area when she's off the clock.

**TO BUY:** Spectrum Wall Planner, \$48; poketo.com. Mr. Kate Effie Upholstered Accent Chair, \$230; amazon.com. Handwoven Maximus Rug, \$698 (5 by 8 ft.); anthropologie.com. Small Pitcher, \$95; pomelocasa.com. Lush Velvet Pillow Covers, from \$33; westelm.com. Mr. Kate Stella Convertible Sofa Bed, \$570; homedepot.com.