

## SPACE OF THE MONTH

# A Studio That Inspires

Her bright and poppy office helps this artsy entrepreneur get her work done.

BY LESLIE CORONA



## **Meet the Owner DANIELLE NAGEL**

Bold colors don't intimidate Danielle, who founded the clothing line Dazey LA and the interior design firm Dazey Den. While some creatives prefer to work in a white box for its lack of visual noise, Danielle has painted her entire Los Angeles apartment—including her home office—in cheery hues. All that color fills her space with energy, she says, and she feeds off it as she sits at her easel. She also gets inspiration from meaningful art, including her grandmother's pastels and some vintage finds. To set up your own little happy place for working or making, try Danielle's best tips.



## **Get the Look**

#### HANG ECLECTIC ART

For an interesting gallery wall, include different media, like framed prints, macramé, and canvases. Select an anchor piece, lay it on the floor, and arrange the others around it. After settling on a combo that feels right, snap a photo so you can refer to it as you hang.

### TRY A TWO-TONE SCHEME

Choosing a color doesn't have to be hard: Danielle recommends picking a couple you love and layering in two or three shades of each. Don't overthink—turn to other areas of your life for ideas. Danielle went with pink and blue simply because she was using those colors in her clothing line at the time.

## **BRING IN PLANTS**

Foliage makes a work space homey and adds more color (green) without clashing.

TO BUY: Paint: Ice Cold; dunnedwards.com for info. Reims Velvet Tufted Round Storage Ottoman, \$126; wayfair.com. Chelsea Daybed, \$2,279; joybird.com. Amee Chandelier, \$924; mitzi.com. Kahlo Woven Wall Hanging, \$45; burkedecor .com. Pink Rose Canvas Threaded Artwork by Emily Keating Snyder, from \$110; dazeyla.com. Dara Indigo Pillow, \$155; the-citizenry.com.