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Good Providence

因為只是偶爾回來，戶主希望這兒的裝潢像酒店一樣，讓自己跟家人每次「入住」都能換個心情，有個度假的感覺。For most families, the thought of living in a hotel seems like the ultimate luxury, however this mainland China couple decided to make their dream resort-style vacation home a reality.

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1. 從客廳、飯廳到放置鋼琴的三個區域，在設計上各有特色。由於不用刻意劃分空間，讓設計部有更多發揮空間。
1. Above the piano, a round ceiling with champagne gold leaf creates an inviting glimmer when the lights reflect from it.
2. 戶主愛品酒，設計師運用圓台設計成小花園，讓他隨時享受美酒。Because the owner enjoys a glass of wine in the evening, a miniature garden has been created on the balcony, which offers spectacular views over Tolo Harbour.
3. 在圓頂透光天花映照下，演奏鋼琴時，有著在台上表演般的感覺。琴後方的弧形牆身其實是LED燈，有著在台上表演般的感覺。Nestled behind the piano, a curved horsehair leather wall with LED lights was constructed, serving as a cabinet and echoing the curvaceous theme.
4. 利用玻璃天花將海景盡收眼底，同時令天花看起來更高。Above the simple glass dining table, a one-of-a-kind chandelier hangs gracefully, reminding guests of champagne flutes.





When it comes to going on holiday, there are few more divine indulgences than staying in a sleek, stylish hotel, but all too soon you have to go home. However, for those fortunate few who are lucky enough to have a private vacation house, wouldn't it be wonderful to have the same level of sophistication in your part-time abode?

Having listened to the design aspirations of the owners of this property, Danny Chiu of Danny Chiu Interior Designs Limited made their dreams come true by transforming this 2,025 square foot apartment in Hong Kong's Providence Bay into a veritable suite of hotel decadence. The owners spend most of their time in mainland China, and so the property is used mostly by friends and family when they are visiting the territory, so they wanted it to be really special. Aside from the obvious sumptuous furnishings, Chiu has cleverly used atmospheric lighting and careful spatial planning to maximise the effect. And because this home is a temporary dwelling, storage is not so important, which meant that the designer literally

had the entire run of the apartment to play with. The enormous living and dining room was created by knocking through one of the bedrooms in the original layout, ensuring the beautiful Tolo Harbour can be viewed easily from anywhere in the room. Fine polished marble runs throughout, perfectly offsetting the tones of the natural maple burl wooden wall panels in the corridor and flannel TV wall. Behind the simple dining table, horsehair wallpaper framed in bronze steel adds glamour and reflects the shine of the truly amazing bespoke chandelier that hangs decadently above. The finishing touches were added in the form of a ceiling mirror, which draws in the views of the seascape outside.

The couple love to entertain, so over in the far corner lies a piano that reigns over the entire scene.

Above the piano, a round false ceiling has been created, featuring champagne gold leaf, which creates a warm glow around the room. Behind the piano, a curved horsehair leather wall with LED lights has been installed, which can be used as a cabinet. And simply because who doesn't enjoy watching the sun go down with a glass of wine in hand, the narrow balcony was transformed into a miniature garden, complete with grass wall and wooden floors.

The master bedroom is equally lavish, featuring warm neutral tones with rich materials. Separated from the study by the TV partition wall, the space has retained an open, airy feel, devoid of clutter. In the study, horsehair fabric again lines the walls, this time with a stainless steel frame, and the cabinets are embedded with hotel-style atmospheric lighting that can be easily adjusted to suit the mood. Moving into the en suite bathroom, and the floors and walls are decked in a beautiful striped marble.

The kitchen also features marble walls, while a grey-tinted mirror has been installed on the ceiling, creating the illusion of space. A simple breakfast table extends from the Corian countertop, catering to morning coffee for guests.

1. 女娃嫌屋少了亮麗，設計師遂以奶白色為主調，配合柔和燈光，營造舒適氛圍。 Neutral tones in the bedroom make for an extremely inviting space, perfectly offset by the trough ceiling lights.

2. 廚廁牆身鋪了雲石，天花則鋪了灰鏡，高貴時尚。 Again, marble has been used to line the walls of the state-of-the-art kitchen, which also features a grey-tinted ceiling mirror.

3. 客飯室雖不寬大，選用鏡櫃來拉大空間感。 The guest bathroom has been laid with apulent marble and clean white porcelain.



1. 優雅的燈光效果令主人房名添浪漫氣息。• A walk-in closet has been cleverly crafted with a partition wall, and a small study desk has been added at the far end.

2. 主人房利用電視牆作間隔，劃分出睡區和工作區，以維持空間感。• Because everybody loves a lazy Sunday in bed, a flatscreen TV has been hung neatly on the partition wall.

3. 套房以雲石為主建材，格調上呼應了整體設計主題。• Set off from the master bedroom by a simple glass door, the en suite featured the same warm striped marble evidenced throughout the property.



project review

Project Review

1. 將其中一臥房設計拆並改作飯廳，令動區更顯開闊寬敞。• One of the bedrooms is knocked down to make room for the dining room and a bigger living area.
2. 打通另一房間以加大主人房面積，並以電視牆作為間隔，造成半開放的套房。• Another room is removed to form a larger master bedroom, with a TV partition wall to create a semi-open study.
3. 將小兩房面積保留之改為女兒房的套房，雙相形成一間特大套房。• The guest bathroom is downsized and turned into an en-suite of the daughter's bedroom, forming a larger suite.



Before



After

Data
Location: Providence Bay 天賦海灣
Size: 2,025 sq.ft.