

## Additions to the Suzanne Duin Collection | French Twist

Paris is famous for its café life in the Latin Quarter: Les Deux Magots with its tall ceilings and layers of pale paneling that rise toward a tray ceiling ringed in illumination feels welcoming whether the wood tables are bare during the daytime or covered in crisp white tablecloths at night. There is a long list of other hot spots that echo the panache on display on the Boulevard Saint-Germain des Prés. New releases by Suzanne Duin, inspired by her travels in France, reflect the chic sophistication for which the French are lauded, and not simply in the capital city: the Monte Carlo pavilions; the promenade at the Battle of Flowers in Nice; Avignon, once the papal city; and Deauville in Normandy where France meets the English Channel have stylish personalities that resonate in the profiles of these new fixtures.

Houston-based interior designer and antiques dealer, Suzanne Duin, debuts 11 new lighting designs at October High Point Market. The Avignon Pendant is made of a woven black paper shade and steel in a polished brass finish. This chic pendant suspended from a gold rod with a matching circlet at the narrowest point on the shade will bring both texture and French flair to any interior. The Avignon Desk Lamp follows the same design concept but with a double light for added illumination. Ms. Duin shares about the Avignon series, "a sophisticated, modern design and wickedly handsome."



Avignon Desk Lamp & Pendant



Avignon Shade Detail

The Deauville Desk Lamp was created by Ms. Duin, who is known for a keen eye in sourcing authentic French antiques and home accessories from around the globe. Each piece in her line of woven light fixtures is handmade by artisans in Southeast Asia—the Deauville series is made of natural seagrass and steel in a polished brass finish. This tailored desk lamp will add texture to any room with the beautiful contrast of the brass-plated steel and the natural sea grass – a French twist worthy of today's design aesthetic.



Deauville Desk Lamp &  
Pendant

Suzanne Duin

When Suzanne is not on a buying trip to France, Italy, England or stateside at Brimfield or Round Top, you will find her at her jewel-box shop in Houston's River Oaks, Maison Maison. The shop has been featured in numerous design and lifestyle publications including *Luxe Interiors + Design*, *PaperCity*, *Milieu*, *AD* and more.