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His career hits a turning point

A CERTAIN SHADE OF HOUSTON

James Burnett at Rice University

WHAT, INTERN, TO DO?

Recession woes at the entry level

OVER THE ROAD

A stunning competition for animal crossings

An aerial photograph of a road with a landscaped median. The median is filled with green and yellow plants. The road has several cars and a truck. The image is split diagonally by a white band containing text.

FOREGROUND

NOTES AND REPORTS FROM THE FIELD

Plans for small vacant spaces in Philadelphia and Baltimore could have a big impact, an unstoppable train meets an unmovable tree, and people in Cleveland can now see what they're breathing in **NOW**. A competition calls for easier road crossings for animals in **IDEAS**. We cover swamp oaks, the sage that would be Russian, and mean baby beetles in **SPECIES**. A Vermont firm is planning to grow crops like there's no oil tomorrow in **FOOD**. Check out the tyke-friendly outdoor furnishings in **GOODS**. And a spent industrial complex in Oakland becomes a new neighborhood in **HOUSE CALL**.

IMAGE CREDIT

OLIN, Courtesy ARC Competition



PINT-SIZED CLIENTS

BY LISA SPECKHARDT

TRIOLI CHAIR

The Finnish designer Eero Aarnio is one of the pioneers in using plastic in industrial design, and he brings that creativity to furniture for children with the Trioli chair, made in Italy by Magis. The chair height can change by flipping it on its ends, or children can knock it on its side and use it as a rocker.

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IMAGE CREDIT
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FURNISHING KIDS' SPACES

Adults want an attractive yard, a usable outdoor living space, a meditative garden; they can have a long list of ideas for their landscapes. Kids pretty much have one idea—they want a cool place to play that's just for them. The Trioli chair doubles as a rocker for kids who'd rather not sit still (\$286 at Hive); the Loll Designs BBO2 chair (\$190), designed by a team that includes a landscape architect, is ready for when they do want to sit and draw or join their parents for a snack; and the Piedras Children's Collection from Hive will blend into a flagstone patio and give kids their own space (\$251 for the bench, \$75 for the low chair, and \$219 for the table). But children will only sit still for so long, and the Rainbow Castle Package III Loaded (contact Rainbow Play Systems for pricing) will be the envy of all their neighborhood friends, while the Fun Station 5-Activity Panel Cluster gives the littlest children their own playground (contact Earthscapes for pricing).



LOLL DESIGNS' BBO2 CHAIR

Loll Designs' BBO2 collection, made from durable, recycled plastic, has been listed in *TIME* magazine's Top 100 Green Products. Designed in collaboration with the Los Angeles designers Mark Rios, FASLA, Julie Smith-Clementi, and Frank Clementi of notNeutral, the BBO2 chair comes in solid colors; for the two-tone look seen here, simply order one or two of each desired color and assemble with the color combination of your choice.

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WWW.LOLLDISIGNS.COM.

IMAGE CREDIT
Loll Designs