Move over man caves. The female-friendly “she shack” trend has taken over and is here to stay.

**THE CONCEPT**
“A she shack is a modern-day retreat for today’s renaissance woman and a trend that isn’t going away. In this space, unique lines and soft and saturated colors play off of fun and unusual pieces, giving the space feminine whimsy. I believe a well-balanced room takes into account all materials and shapes and mixes in unexpected finds to express one’s self.”

**THE CHALLENGE**
Design a “she shack,” a decidedly feminine space for someone to gather with friends on the weekend or just wind down after a busy week.

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Allison Jaffe, Allison Jaffe Interior Design

1. **MULTI-FACE STOOL BY NOIR**
Objets, Ltd., $594
“Charming, funny and unexpected, this side table is the perfect touch of humor and because it is made out of concrete. It can stand the test of time.”

2. **NEW FRANCO FLOOR LAMP BY JAMIE YOUNG**
Collectic Home, $675
“Antique brass has had a strong presence in the last couple years, and this lamp is the perfect accompaniment to create a soft environment for reading or entertaining friends.”

3. **MASTERS CHAIR**
Kartell, starting at $300
“Bringing in a pop of color to the she shack is a must. Most people would think of adding color through a pillow, but why not use this chair to do that? It is a classic piece.”

4. **NIGHT FLOWERS RUG**
Black Sheep Unique, $8,585 (for 8x10)
“A good rug is a piece of art for the floor. This rug, with its floral print, pulls out the soft calming colors of the sofa and the saturated peacock blue color of the chair, grounding the space.”

5. **CUSTOM SOFA**
Mitchell Gold + Bob Williams, starting at $3,190
“I picked this sofa for its classic and strong lines and paired it with a dusty rose fabric to juxtapose those lines. Nothing says ‘I’m a powerhouse’ like a mix of strong-yet-feminine features in furniture.”

6. **D.156.2 ARMCHAIR BY MOLTENI & C**
UrbanSpace/Interiors, starting at $3,580
“Featuring a classic modern form and feminine curves, this chair is perfect for any modern space and lends itself to curling up and reading a book on a Sunday afternoon.”

7. **HOLLAND DESK BY JOYBIRD**
joybird.com, $1,849
“I love this desk with its strong form and vintage lines, making it a nice settling piece for the space.”

8. **QS LE MAIN CHAIR BY NOIR**
Objets, Ltd., $1,930
“A room is not complete without a unique piece that gets everyone talking. This side chair does just that. Its soft wood tones play well with its organic nature.”

9. **IRWIN COCKTAIL TABLE BY ARTERIORS**
Objets, Ltd., $1,500
“The tiered heights of this table make it easy for our Renaissance woman to pop her feet up after a long day. The organic curves of the light and dark stone allow for a visual sense of openness and airiness for the space.”

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