## Inside Out

For this LaRue Architects-designed house in Austin's Barton Creek area, it was a group effort to create the property's grand outdoor living spaces. Along with the LaRue team, builder Brian Long of Brian Long Custom Homes, landscape architect Curt Arnette of Sitio Design and Ebbn Milks, president and founder of Aqua Builders, lent their expertise to the outdoor environments. "The goal was to carry the elements of the indoor living areas to the outdoors seamlessly," says Milks, who designed the backyard's water features. For example, the Cor-Ten steel around the perimeter of the pool and the surrounding white limestone steps echo the color palette of the interior. Those design elements also carry over from the front of the house, creating a cohesive look throughout the contemporary-style property. And thanks to the design professionals' teamwork, the pool and spa, which are the backyard's crown jewels, offer spectacular views, whether you're looking toward the property's exquisitely landscaped grounds or its gracefully edgy architecture. Aqua Builders, 512.804.8361, aquabuilders.com; Brian Long Custom Homes, 512.264.9095, brianlongcustomhomes.com; LaRue Architects, 512.347.1688, larue-architects.com; Sitio Design, 512.415.2097, sitiodesign.com

SOAK UP THE SUN The pool and spa feature recycled glass tile from Materials Marketing and a substantial tanning ledge.

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