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Furniture That Fits

HAVE A SPATIALLY
CHALLENGED ROOM?
TRY THESE INGENUOUS
SOLUTIONS.
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1. The slim tufted back of the *Mayfair chair*, dressed in silk, fits into awkward corners on ebonized mahogany legs (\$2,475; RalphLaurenHome.com).

2. Two upended wood veneer *Expando 230 storage units* provide access from all sides and work as a room divider (28" x 60" x 18"/ea, \$313; JesperOffice.com).

3. William Haines's revived *Modern Elbow chair* provides a perfect perch covered in beige linen (\$5,225; through designers; Profiles, 212/689-6903).

4. The trestle of Harold Klein's 23" h hand-polished Plexiglas *table hinges* flat, leaving its 16 1/2" circular top to moonlight as a tray (\$475; JuliaWatts.com).

5. The 29" w polyester bag and wooden frame of Sabine Wald's *Marie Pi hamper* can collapse to the size of a fat umbrella (\$190; Ameico.com).

6. A mirror finish on Lyle and Umbach's steel *Cigarette table* (9" x 12" x 22 1/2") reflects its surroundings (\$2,500; through designers at Holly Hunt, 212/755-6555).