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Angela Adams

This loyal Mainer's wanderings took her through gardens, into the woods, and onto state beaches.

The resulting Pathways collection plots impressions from that journey.

The **Stream** runner is an aqueous mélange of flowing clear colors and soft, circular "stones," all rendered in dusky shades of slate blue and purple haze, midnight and dark heather. Adams's low-pile rugs,

handmade in India of pure tufted New Zealand wool, come in one standard 3-by-8-foot size or any custom dimensions. 800-255-9454; angelaadams.com. **circle 571**



Eskayel

Influential Italian photographer Carla de Benedetti rocketed to prominence in the 1970s with her shots of adventurous interiors by the likes of Joe Colombo. To create the new **Jenu Mats** collection, Brooklyn-based designer Shanan

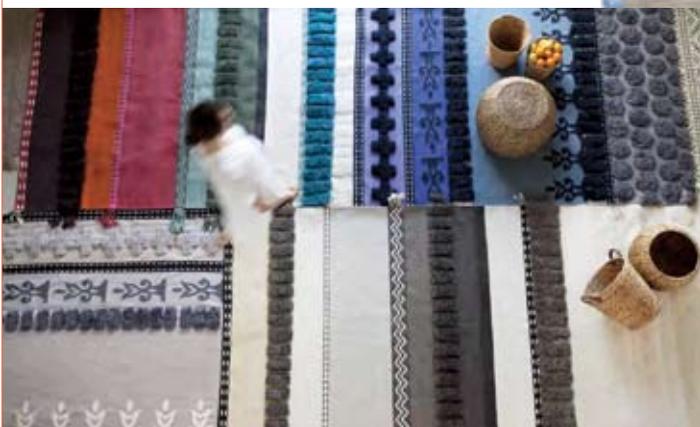
Campanaro referred to those futuristic photos along with images from such dystopian cinematic milestones as *Blade Runner*. Each low-profile mat is a floor-hugging 18 by 27 inches, with a microfiber face and skid-resistant rubber backing. Bonus: The pieces are machine washable and flame resistant. 858-531-9034; eskayel.com. **circle 572**



Paola Lenti

Although the process mirrors the coiled construction of traditional rag rugs, the inspired spiral carpets of the **Natural** collection are nothing less than a high-tech

take on tradition. This adventurous Italian manufacturer's in-house R&D team has spun a round rug using wool cording with a touch of polyamide. Versions with diameters of 78, 99, and 118 inches are offered in a selection of 10 signature Lenti colors. 39-0362-344587; paolalenti.com. **circle 573**



Gan by Gandia Blasco

In her role as graphic designer, Valencia-based Sandra Figuerola was key in reformatting this former blanket maker into a slick contemporary furnishings company. Now, in her other life creating products, Figuerola is responsible for some of the company's most remarkable textiles. Wovens, embroidery, and knotted techniques intermingle in her **Glaoui** rugs.

Antique North African nomadic examples may have provided the creative spark, but the line comes in decidedly modern standard sizes, in any of four color combinations. 858-531-9034; ganrugs.com. **circle 576**

DP Studio USA

They're shooting stars, that's what they are. Caelum—Latin for chisel—is a faint constellation that shines in the southern sky. Designer Diane Paparo borrowed the concept for her ethereal new hand-knotted contemporary runner, **Caelum**, made in Nepal from top-quality wool blended with up to 50 percent silk by men who take their traditional craft seriously. Three standard sizes are available in a total of six color schemes, including stone, jasper, and ametrine. 212-308-9019; dpstudiousa.com. **circle 575**

ABC Carpet & Home

The novel designs from the brilliant minds at New York's venerable furnishings retailer may not seem nerdy, but the result is pretty, um, stellar. The in-house creative team went far-out with their **Supernova 2** carpet, whose energetic pattern was influenced by nuclear fusion and fiery explosions deep in outer space. The 6-by-9-foot multicolored carpet was crafted in India using hand-spun silk. 212-674-1144; abchome.com. **circle 574** ➤